

Newsletter



Dear Malvern Families,

The final week of term has been a wonderful celebration of everything that makes Malvern such a fantastic community. Throughout the final weeks, there have been lots of opportunities for our community to come together. The fun started with our community bingo event last week and continued right through to our Easter bonnet parades and egg hunts. It has been great to celebrate the togetherness that makes our Malvern community so special. Once again, I extend a huge thank you to school colleagues who work passionately to provide the families of Malvern with the very best opportunities. I am exceptionally grateful to each and every individual for their determination to go above and beyond expectations in the interest of our school community.

I wish you a restful spring break and I look forward to welcoming you back to school after the Easter holiday.

Mr James

Headteacher

Are you Ready to Read?

Our grand total for our sponsored reading event is getting closer and closer to £1000! Please send any outstanding sponsor money and forms into school after the Easter holiday.



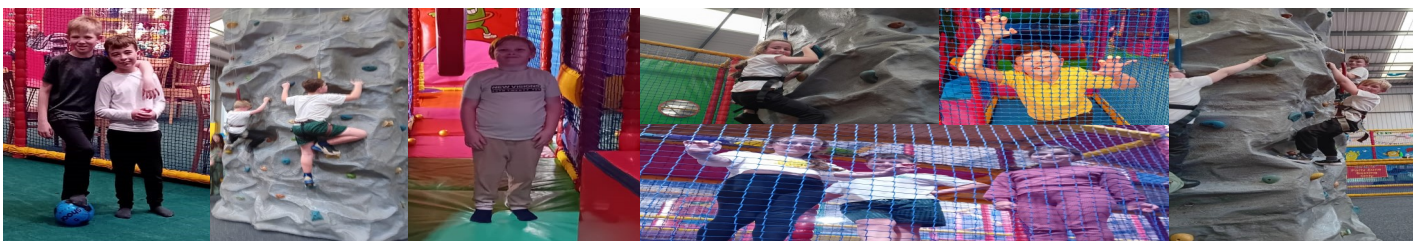
Portico Vine

Over recent years, we have developed a strong relationship with Portico Vine Rugby Club. It is lovely to see more and more of our children enjoying the sport of rugby as an extra curricular activity.



Here On Time (HOT) reward

Good punctuality is vitally important. This week, children who were lucky enough to be drawn from our 'HOT' raffle enjoyed an afternoon at Jelly Beans Play Centre. The children had an amazing time! Special thanks to Miss Brown, our punctuality lead, for arranging this special treat. I look forward to seeing what will be planned for the next lucky winners.



Liverpool Institute for Performing Arts

Throughout this term, we have been delighted to welcome Caitlin Newman from LIPA to Malvern. Caitlin has been working with a group of our super-talented Y6 Drama & Theatre Club children. Under Caitlin's guidance and direction, the children have investigated the challenges associated with moving from primary to secondary school and created a short dramatic piece entitled 'Nervous Wreck'. This explored how the character of 'John' overcame fears of moving on and developed the confidence to try new things.

The culmination of all their creativity and hard work was the staging of their short play at Dixons Broadgreen Academy on Wednesday evening. In front of parents, grandparents and siblings, the children dazzled with a witty and thought-provoking performance. At the end of the performance, they each read out a letter to their future selves, asking how the transition went and reflecting on primary school friendships. Daniel, Harry, Emily, Ellen, Ella, Anna, Abbie, Marsea, Olivia, Megan and Esme would like to say a huge 'thank you' to Caitlin for making Monday after school drama sessions so much fun.



Great British Spring Clean

Pupils at Malvern have made a fantastic contribution to the Great British Spring Clean project over the past two weeks, becoming #LitterHeroes. They have taken part in litter picks all over the local area, from Crosby Beach to Dovecot Park. They have also received support from trainee teachers at Hope University and members of the school community. Our pupils have been great ambassadors for Malvern and Keep Britain Tidy, who are the creators of the Great British Spring Clean. We totally agree with their message, 'No one is too small to make a big difference'.



TTRS Rock Wizards

It gives me great pride to announce that we have our first ever 'Rock Wizards' at Malvern. Unfortunately, Times Table Rockstars do not have a category for children who can answer over 150 calculations in a minute correctly so we decided to make our own. I cannot overstate what an accomplishment this is. Lucy and Lucas are now not far off the World Record and we are incredibly proud of their commitment and dedication.



Spelling Frame Platinum Award

We are delighted to announce that Mason and Nathan have achieved their platinum award for reaching over 200,000 points on Spelling Frame. This has been achieved through practising spelling rules on the Spelling Frame app.

Throughout the academic year, both boys have also received their bronze award (50,000 points), silver award (100,000 points) and gold award (150,000 points).



Counting Our Cubes

Pupils across school have been counting their cubes in preparation for our end of term treats. In addition to making purchases in our Cube Shop, children have the opportunity to cumulate their cubes to take part in some special experiences. This term, children could choose between an afternoon of Easter crafts, an inflatable obstacle adventure or participating in an Easter football tournament. Over 150 children took part in our experiences and it was lovely to see them enjoying the spoils of their wonderful behaviour.



Summer Term PE Kit Information

For details about Summer term PE, please see information below. On PE days (or on after school club days), it is important that all children arrive in school wearing a full school PE kit.

Monday	Year 6
Tuesday	Year 2 & Year 5
Wednesday	Year 3
Thursday	Year 1 & Year 4
Friday	Reception & Nursery

97% Attendance Reward

We love to celebrate excellent attendance at Malvern and last week we were able to offer fifty of our pupils with outstanding attendance the opportunity to attend the Liverpool Legends fixture at Anfield Stadium. We extend a huge thank you to Liverpool FC Foundation for their continued support of our school community.



Easter Celebrations

Throughout this week, pupils took part in a variety of Easter themed activities. Activities included: Easter egg hunts around the school grounds, multiplication Easter bingo celebrations and fabulous Easter bonnet parades around the courtyard. I'm certain you'll agree it looks like everybody had great fun!



Attendance League Standings

POSITION	TEAM	PLAYED	WON	DRAW	Points
1	Hayes' Hedgehogs	24	16	0	51
2	The Mighty Murphys	24	14	0	49
3	Resilient Reception 2	24	13	0	47
4	The Fiery Frasers	24	10	0	44
5	The Bulldogs	24	12	0	44
6	The Ferocious Phillips Crew	24	13	0	43
7	Resilient Reception 1	24	13	0	42
8	O'Brien's Lions	24	13	0	40
9	The Pyne Patrol	24	11	0	37
10	Byrne's Bandicoots	24	9	0	34
11	Matthews' Magicians	24	11	0	36
12	Worthington's Warriors	24	8	0	32
13	Brown's Busy Bees	24	8	0	26
14	Davo's Dinos	24	6	0	20

#In2Win

Attendee of the Week

Eddie had an operation recently and we were expecting him to be absent from school for a couple of weeks as he recovered. However, it soon became apparent that Eddie was recovering quicker than expected, so he asked his Mum if he could return to school sooner. Then, a week later, Eddie had an accident and had stitches in his head, but came to school the following day! What a brilliant example of a brave, resilient young man! Well done, Eddie!



Weekly School Attendance

95.5%

Overall School Attendance

95%