

NEWSLETTER



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BOUGHTON MONCHELSEA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Pupils of the Week 24/02/17

Class 6 Maya O - for excellent narrative writing, full of figurative language.

Class 5 Rio O - for working hard in literacy lessons.

Class 4 Steven W - for a great attitude towards work and working hard.

Class 3 Jed S - for stunning holiday homework.

Class 2 Ayva S - for trying really hard at contraction surgery.

Class 1 Sophia L - for being a kind and helpful talk partner.

Class R Billyray L - for having a good attitude to learning and for choosing to write during child initiated time.



Book Week!

Don't forget that next week is our Book Week, and we would love all children to be involved in the following;

Book Swap Bring a book (in good condition) into school to swap with one brought in by another child.

Dressing as a Book Character - On World Book Day (Thursday 2nd March) in return for a £1 donation which will go to Book Aid International. Please encourage your child to choose a character from a book, not from a cartoon or animation.

Share a Story - Volunteer to read your favourite childhood book or poem to a class or group of children. Contact your child's teacher if you would like to do this.

Perform a Poem Competition – Be ready to perform your poem to your class on Monday. Winners will perform in our World Book Day assembly on Thursday.

Design a Bookmark Competition - Please bring in entries, clearly marked with your name and class by Monday.



Playground after school

Please note that children are not permitted to play on the climbing frame, in the woods or on the field after school. When children are passed over to parents/carers at the end of the day, it becomes your responsibility to supervise them, but the school would still be liable if there was an accident. We understand that some children like to let off steam after a day in class and we are fortunate that there are excellent play facilities at the Recreation Ground, which parents/carers are invited to use.

Litter

Please have a look at the following link regarding litter around Boughton Monchelsea School <https://www.facebook.com/>

Netball



Netball club for next week only is being moved from the Wednesday 1st March to Thursday 2nd March. Sandling School will be joining us for a friendly match. All welcome to come and watch. Natasha and Abi.

Traffic around the school

Thank you for helping us improve traffic around the school entrance at morning drop off and afternoon pick up times. This is already helping to make the start and end of the school day safer for our children, families and other road users. We would appreciate your co-operation in continuing to avoid parking opposite the school entrance or turning in the

Year 4 Football

Reminder that there will be no football for Year 4 next week on Wednesday 1st March.



Loose Lions FC

Loose Lions are looking for players to join their new U7's and U8's teams for the 2017/18 season. If you have a child in years 2 or 3 that would like to play football for a local team, please pick up a leaflet from the school reception area.

Boughton Pride

This week's winners were Class 2 Well done!



The Sayers Shield

It is that time of year for the children to begin to think about what topic they would be interested in exploring for our annual Sayers shield project competition. For new pupils, this is a competition in which children find out all they can about anything that really inspires them. Last year we had some fantastic work on such diverse subjects as pets, the Trojans, fashion, dinosaurs, Mexican festivals and electricity.



We will be running the competition slightly differently this year. We would still love to give the children the choice to make their project about whatever they choose, and we also want children to continue to use their creativity to make their entries in whatever way they like.

However, this year we would ask that the projects be no bigger than around 50cm squared (or cubed for 3D projects). This is because we would like to display all the entries for a full week in school so that everyone can enjoy and learn from them before Mr Sayers visits to judge and award this year's prizes. As the projects will be displayed in the hall we need to limit their size so that the space can still be used for assemblies and lunchtimes.

The closing date for entries will be in the first weeks of term 5. We will let everyone know which day to bring their projects in nearer the time.

Last year saw a fantastic range of projects, full of original ideas and thought-provoking learning. I wonder what we will see this time. Good luck everyone!

Football Match Report

On the 9th of February Boughton Monchelsea played Greenfields. The game started off very well for Boughton. Noah ran down the wing, used his speed get past the defender, and shot. It took a slight deflection and went in the bottom corner. 1-0 Boughton.

For about 5 minutes it was just possession play from both teams. Until Brandon made it 2-0. Much like Noah's goal Brandon ran down the side of the pitch, put the ball onto his right foot, shot and fortunately for Boughton the ball bobbed through the keeper's legs.

Before half time Greenfield's attacking pressure brought them two goals so it was all square for the second half. Boughton went ahead again after Noah again ran down the wing and delivered a low cross. Greenfield's captain tried to clear it but she curled it into her own goal.

Unfortunately two further goals from Greenfields meant that a thrilling game ended with a 4-3 scoreline to the opposition.

A special mention goes to Mathew for an impressive debut in defence and Man of the match goes to Max for some last minute tackles and unbelievable blocks. *By Max and Brandon*



Dates for the Diary

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| w/c 27th February | - Book Week |
| 2nd March | - World Book Day (dress up as your favourite character) |
| 31st March | - End of Term 4 |
| 18th April | - Start of Term 5 |
| 26th May | - End of Term 5 |
| 5th June | - Staff Development Day (school closed) |
| 6th June | - Start of Term 6 |
| 21st July | - End of Term 6 |



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