

HEADTEACHER UPDATE

It has been an exciting week in school as we look ahead to key events in our community. We were delighted to welcome families to our Parents' Information Evenings for both the Year 4 and Year 6 residential visits. These meetings provided an opportunity to share important information, answer questions and help children and parents feel confident and prepared for these valuable experiences ahead.

We are also very much looking forward to welcoming parents to our annual May Day celebrations, where our talented pupils will showcase their wonderful maypole dances.

This week also saw the start of a variety of extra-curricular clubs across the school. It has been wonderful to see so many children embracing new opportunities, developing talents and enjoying time with friends beyond the classroom. These activities play an important role in enriching school life and broadening children's experiences.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all of the staff involved in organising these events and leading our clubs. Their dedication, time and care ensure that our children receive such rich and rewarding opportunities.

Mrs Otway

THE MONKSMOOR WAY AWARDS

This week, we proudly celebrated another group of Monksmoor Way Award winners. These awards recognise children who continually live out our school values through their learning, behaviour, and the way they treat others.

Nursery - Mia
Reception - Amelia
Year 1 - Ibrahim
Year 2 - Neitas
Year 3 - Hollie
Year 4 - Mia
Year 5 - Millie
Year 6 - Joshua

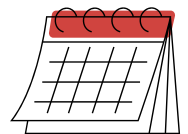
SAFEGUARDING

At Monksmoor Park, safeguarding is at the heart of everything we do. In line with the The Rutland Learning Trust guiding principles, we believe that nothing is more important than keeping children safe.

- Everyone has a part to play – safeguarding works best when school and home work together. Please continue to share any concerns or changes that may affect your child's wellbeing
- Be vigilant – if something does not seem right, however small it may appear, it is always worth raising. Early support can make a significant difference.
- Online safety matters – regularly check devices, apps and games, ensuring privacy settings are secure and content is age-appropriate.
- Attendance supports safeguarding – regular attendance helps children feel settled, connected and ready to learn.
- Trusted adults – remind children that they should always speak to a trusted adult at home or school if they are worried about anything.

Thank you for continuing to work in partnership with us to keep all children safe, happy and able to flourish.

UP COMING EVENTS

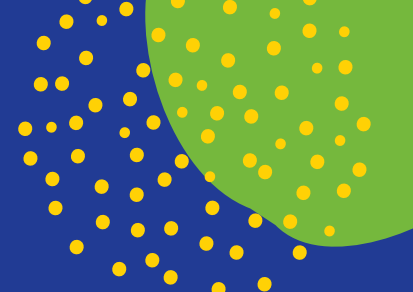


NEXT WEEK...

28th April - Years 1-6 trip to the cinema.

1st May: All parents and carers are invited in to school at 2pm to watch the children take part in traditional maypole dancing. This is a whole school event.





SUPER STAR SPORT

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Adverts

Monksmoor Park Primary School
Croxten Way
NN11 2PD

Time: 15:30-16:30
Term Price: £33.00

Activities
Reactive Racing Club
Year Group: All years
Day: Friday

To book:
Visit www.superstarsport.co.uk
Go to "Book Now" & select your club!

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MESSAGES AND NEWS



As the weather becomes warmer, please ensure your child comes into school wearing sun cream each morning so they are protected throughout the day. We would also ask that children bring a sunhat to school to help keep them safe during outdoor learning and playtimes.

As pupils are likely to remove jumpers and cardigans during the day, please make sure that all clothing is clearly labelled with your child's name so that any misplaced items can be returned promptly.



Race for Life

Eloise will be taking part in the Race for Life 5K on 2nd May 2026, raising money for Cancer Research UK. We are very proud of her for taking on this challenge and supporting such an important cause.

Cancer affects 1 in 2 people in their lifetime, and every donation helps fund vital research. We would love the school community to show their support and you can donate [here](#) or via the QR code below.



Summer Term

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| Monday | Athletics - Cancelled for 27 th April Music & Movement |
| Tuesday | Gardening (4.30pm finish) Drama |
| Thursday | Bead & Read |
| Friday | Netball Go Kart Club Reactive Racing Club - RC Cars (Super Star Sport) |

Please note all staff-led clubs finish promptly at 16:15pm unless otherwise stated. Clubs run from w/c 20th April 2026 to w/c 6th July 2026



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