

The Monega Messenger

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Dear Parent/Carers

Welcome back to the Summer Term. The weeks ahead are important as teachers ensure that all children are ready for the next steps into a new year group in September.

This term will have some amazing opportunities; pupils in Year 6 will be developing and rehearsing a show and visiting the Lower Treginnis Farm in Wales. All other year groups will have enrichment opportunities and begin to prepare for their next steps.

Please be reminded that the weather is getting warmer. We encourage children to come to school with a hat, plastic water bottle and wearing sun cream when the weather is hotter.

Please be reminded that we are always here to help. If you have any concerns, please come and approach us on the gate.

Regards,

Ms Harris
Headteacher

A BIG THANK YOU

A big thank you to our Microsoft Volunteers who gave up their time to help clear out our library in preparation for a brand new soft play area.

AUTHOR VISIT - BANJI ALEXANDER

Friday 21st June 2024, Monega is taking part in a very special event. We will be visited by celebrated, published author **Banji Alexander** - as seen on Britain's Got Talent!

All pupils will have the chance to purchase signed copies of his book; **Lockdown Looms: Reggie's Birthday Party**.

More information about this exciting event was also sent out to all parents via Arbor.

If you have any questions please speak to your child's class teacher for more details.



Thank you

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IMPORTANT DATES

GENERAL ELECTION SCHOOL

CLOSURE -

Thursday 4th July 2024

AUTHOR VISIT BANJI ALEXANDER -

Friday 21st June 2024

PARENTS EVENINGS -

Tuesday 25th June &

Thursday 27th June 2024

SUMMER FAIR -

Monday 15th July 2024

YEAR 6 - RESIDENTIAL IN WALES

Monday 8th July - Friday 12th July 2024

NURSERY LEARN ABOUT ALMA THOMAS

This week, the Nursery learnt about artist of the term, Alma Thomas. Alma Thomas' artwork involves abstract and repeated shapes using vibrant colours. The children interpreted her work by creating mosaics, using child safe glue guns and mosaic tiles. They used the glue guns with confidence and care. This was a great opportunity to experience taking controlled risks, whilst learning to concentrate, plan and create. The children were very proud of their finished products and asked if they can do it again soon!



CJ STORYTELLER VISITS NURSERY

On Thursday, CJ the Storyteller held a story session for parents and children in the Nursery.

The session was interactive and child-led, allowing the children to contribute their own ideas. As the story was told without a book, the children had the opportunity to use their language and thinking skills to change the direction of the story by adding additional characters, settings and scenarios. CJ's parent and child sessions are always a success!



The sessions have reminded many parents of their own childhood experiences growing up in their home countries when their own Grandparents would regularly tell them stories without a book. Thank you to all of the parents that came along and joined in. It was a memorable experience for us as well as the children!

AROUND THE WORLD DAY 2024

We will be celebrating **Around the World Day** on **Friday 14th June 2024!** Pupils will be exploring countries from all around the world and learning about a variety of different cultures and traditions. Pupils can bring in a small treat from home in the morning that relates to the continent they will be learning about. We also have a lovely surprise for all pupils in KS1. All pupils are required to wear full school uniform on the day. Thank you for your continued support and co-operation.



MONEGA SCHOOL MENU

Please see choices below for school lunches. Please discuss the choices with your child so that it is easier for them to ask for the food they would like each day. Please note,

Monday's is our **Meat Free Monday** and Wednesday's is our **No Added Sugar Wednesday**.

MONDAY Meat Free Monday	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY No Added Sugar Wednesday	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Wholemeal Pitta Pizza with Potato Wedges	Chicken Quesadilla with New Potatoes	Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Greek Chicken with Lemon and Herb Rice and Tortilla	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fingers with Chips and Tomato Ketchup
Omelette with Potato Wedges	Vegetable Stir Fried Rice	Cheese and Onion Pastry with Roast Potatoes	Macaroni Cheese	Quorn Nuggets with Chips and Tomato Ketchup (V)
Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings
Carrots Green Beans	Peas Sweetcorn	Green Beans Carrots	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Baked Beans Garden Peas
Oaty Cookie (V)	Chocolate and Pear Sponge with chocolate Custard or shortbread (V)	Fresh Fruit Salad (V)	Apple and Sultana Crumble Slice (V) or Shortbread (V)	Jelly (V)

STAR OF THE WEEK

RA - Fatima

RB - Abdulhadi

RT - Mohammad Musa Khan

1H - Sabiha

1R - Nabhan

2A - Rayyana

2P - Labeed

2A - Cameron

3A - Areez

3D - Nusayir

3M - Kiya

4L - Wesley

4C - Sasha-Maria

4S - Pari

5M - Shafaat

5FR - Tahiyat

5SH - Diana

6A - Antonia

6S - Liliana

6T - Iban

ATTENDANCE WINNERS

This week's attendance winners are

KS1: 2A with 97%

KS2: 5FR with 98.7%

