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A FIGHT TO NAME THE NEW PM!

The final countdown to who becomes the next Prime Minister is almost here. Who do you think will be crowned Millfields' new Prime Minister? Reporters are busy in the halls and playgrounds gathering inside information on this year's battle. As the press conference began, all 5 party leaders and deputies were challenged by their inquisitive audience with many daring questions. Read on for exclusive content on the final days of the competition.....



INSIDE:

We exclusively interview this years candidates!

An unique look into this years press conference.

An exploration of the latest sports news

Plus all the latest gossip and more....



The Emerald Dragons

An exclusive interview from our new party leader!



Party Leader:
Grace F

Q1: If you become Prime Minister what will you do for the school?

"I will try my best to tackle bullying and racism, as well as other issues in the school to make it an even nicer environment."

Q2: Out of 10, how many people do you think will vote for you?

"I think 8/10 people will vote for me as my manifesto is very strong and I have a few tricks up my sleeve."

Q3: What is your main part of your manifesto?

"The part that makes the school a greener, better and overall a fun space for people everyday."

Q4: Which party is your biggest competition this year?

"The Revolution Riders are my biggest competition as I have been told they have a great manifesto."

Q5. Out of 10 how confident are you?

"Last year I felt a 7/10 for confidence but this year I feel like I am at a 9/10!"

By Vidhi P

The Brilliant Blue Dragons

An exclusive interview from our new party leader!



Party Leader:
Iris A

Q1: If you become Prime Minister, what will you do for the school?

“I would like to change the times in playtime so we can get all of our energy out and focus better in class. I also think we should do more team work between years so there is more bonding between children and we can learn things together.”

Q2: Out of 10 people, how many do you think will vote for you?

“I think 5/10, I don’t know if that is accurate but that’s what I would guess.”

Q3: Which party leader do you think is your biggest competitor?

“I think that Grace and Dixie, who are both in The Emerald Dragons party. They make a great team.”

Q4: What is the main part of your manifesto?

“It is to be dedicated to and work on the three main areas: our school, community and the world.”

By Moinuddin Y

The Orange Tigers

An exclusive Interview from our new party leader!



Party Leader:

Akaash S

Q1: Out of 10, how many people do you think will vote for you?

“I think I could get around 7.5/10 votes.”

Q2: Who do you think is your biggest competition this year?

“My biggest competitor for this year is definitely Iris from The Brilliant Blue Dragons, that party is brilliant.”

Q3: What advantages do you have over the other party leaders?

“I have 100% confidence. I think that I will lead The Orange Tigers to victory!”

Q4: How are you finding the process of running for prime minister?

“I find it very exciting. It is also nerve racking and tense, but enjoyable nonetheless.”

Q5: Do you have any advice for future party leaders?

“Never give up and always believe in yourself and others!”

The Revolution Riders

An exclusive Interview from our new party leaders!



Party Leader:
Tessia

Q1: On a scale of 1-10, how confident are you feeling that you'll get the role of Prime Minister?

"At the moment I am at 6.5/10 but hopefully that will increase."

Q2: Which party leader is your biggest competitor?

"The Emerald Dragons are my biggest competitor but it only makes me work harder."

Q3: What is the number one thing you want to change around the school?

"I would like to put a barrier around the cage where we play so that any balls being used don't fly out."

Q4: Do you think you have a chance to become the prime minister?

"Yes I think I have a high chance. I will try my best to lead my part to victory."

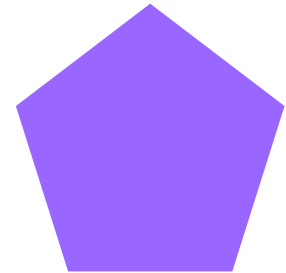
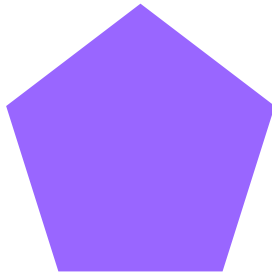
Q5. Out of 10, how many votes do you think you will get?

"Not so many, maybe 4/10."

By Inayah

The Peaceful Passionate Penta-

An exclusive Interview with our new party leaders!



Party Leader:

Tia E

Q1: On your manifesto, you said that you would try and bring back golden time – we usually do spelling after lunch on Friday– where would you put that in the weekly schedule?

“I think we should do spelling first thing in the morning as that’s when people’s minds are the freshest, then golden time can come after lunch.”

Q2: How will you raise money for better playground equipment?

“We should use the money from bake sales on Friday.”

Q3: Different young people will be facing a range of different problems – how will you facilitate all of these?

“Any young person facing difficulties can feel free to come in and chat to a member of staff.”

Q4: Based on your manifesto, how will starting lessons on cooperation and teamwork help stop conflict on a global scale?

“The more people that know, the bigger the community grows and the stronger we will be and more people will be safe.”

By Daani S



The Press Conference!

The Emerald Dragons



Question - A lot of the other manifestos are similar, what makes yours unique?

Answer - "We have decided to try and support Ukrainian refugees by giving them online lessons"

Question - What are you going to do about bullying within Millfields?

Answer - "Me and Dixie want to introduce a new system called the Anti-Bullying Programme. This is an arrangement in which new lessons will be added, where students will be taught about the different types of bullying in many ways including doing role plays on bullying"

Question- Anything else?

Answer - "Yes. We want to introduce more vegan/vegetarian foods on our lunch menu so the vegans and vegetarians aren't too sick of jacket potato"

By Daani S

The Press Conference!

The Brilliant Blue Dragons



Question – What is your most important point?

Answer - “We believe that the environment is a massive part of our manifesto and remember— there is no planet B!”

Question - What do you think about bringing back golden time?

Answer - “We would like to bring back golden time but we believe that only hard working and well behaved students should have the privilege of golden time. The reason we want to bring it back is so students work hard during the week and deserve some time to relax.”

Question – What would you first act be after becoming Prime Minister?

Answer - “Well...in test week we think that by having 15 minutes extra break that would be a great idea.”

By Daani S

The Press Conference!

The Orange Tigers



Question – What foods will be in the lunches?

Answer - “We will advocate for more vegetarian and plant based options rather than just jacket potatoes.”

Question – What areas will benefit from any funding you bring?

Answer - “We will mostly put them into charities like comic relief.”

Question - What will be your first act if you become prime minister?

Answer - “Hopefully we can introduce toilet monitors and introduce ‘grab a bag’ in the cafeteria.”

Question – How will you deal with bullying, racism and sexism?

Answer - “As individuals we should all be advocating for equality and therefore we will bring back Equality Champs to make sure that everyone is treated and treats people with kindness.”

By Alahna M

The Press Conference!

The Revolution Riders



Question – What sports will be played in the MUGA?

Answer - “We don’t have many plans to change the games. Games like tennis, football and basketball can be played”

Question - Which ideas in your manifesto are your favorite?

Answer - “We are sure a lot of people would like integrating drama classes into our timetables, it would make the days even more fun”

Question – What would your first act as PM be?

Answer - “We would like to put a roof or something similar to one around the cage where we play ball games. Therefore we will lose less balls and save money buying more.”

Question – How will you pay for MUGA alterations?

Answer - “We will organize more cake sales and jumble sales as its an easy and accessible way to raise money.”

By Alahna M



The Press Conference!



The Peaceful Passionate Pentagons



Question– What would your first act as PM be?

Answer - “We would immediately try and instill a new system of ‘Peace Protectors’ where students are on the lookout for any bad behavior and bullying and will quickly report to teachers. Therefore any issues can be dealt with quickly and easily.”

Question– How will you deal with bullying, racism and sexism?

Answer – Alongside our new ‘Peace Protectors’ system we will also introduce a warning system. Whilst bullying, racism and sexism should have immediate and serious sanctions, we think that the first two out of three warnings can keep people from committing bad behaviour before they reach the extreme behaviour that deserves a third warning.”

Question – Why should we vote for you?

Answer - “We are very friendly, have good connections with many pupils and teachers so can therefore be a useful asset to both staff and pupils.”

By Daani S

Current Affairs: Sports Corner



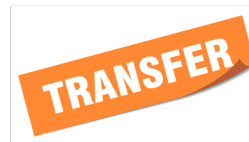
Take a step away from democracy for a refresher on the latest sports.

The Transfer Latest

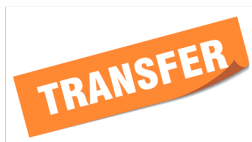
Sandro Tonali leaving Milan to go to Newcastle for £55m



Spurs sign Manor Solomon From Fulham



Neymar makes an iconic move back to Barcelona



See how a familiar tennis favorite is getting



Widely regarded as the **'G.O.A.T'** (greatest of all time), Novak Djokovic is the strongest contender for Wimbledon 2023, especially as his competition, Nick Kyrgios, is no longer playing because of a wrist injury. Wimbledon is happening now and will continue for the next two weeks.

Djokovic's tennis career: The numbers

- \$169,769,547 made from tournament prize money
- 23 grand slam titles won
- 348 grand slam games won
- 34 grand slam final appearances
- 10x Australian open matches won
- 3x U.S open matches won
- 7x Wimbledon winner

Now onto women in sport....



SUPER LIONESSES!

As the women's world cup approaches, excitement levels for England are skyrocketing. After winning the 2022 Euros, expectations for the lionesses are breaking limits. Here's just how football came home!

England were in group A, along with Austria, Norway and Northern Ireland. After a shaky 10 mins, Beth Mead scored the first goal of the tournament and set England on their way to victory. Norway, the most challenging team in their group, were thrashed 8-0 with Beth getting a hattrick! Despite England being in the knockout stages, they couldn't be stopped from destroying Northern Ireland 5-0!

As the tournament continued, The Lionesses went on to play against Spain, with Lucia Garcia leading the attack. At this time, she was considered one of the best players in the game. A tense first half finished 0-0 with Spain dominating the attack. 4 mins after the break, Spain scored putting the score up to 1-0. Shortly after, Ella Toone was brought on as a substitute for Ellen White and with her 7th touch, she tapped one in the goal; 1-1. 25 mins later, Georgia Stanway smashed the ball into the top left corner of the goal, scraping a victory and pushing England to the semi's finals!!

Next up was Sweden, rated second best in the world. Alessia Russo got substituted in and scored a double goal. Mead followed on and got another double goal with a stunning volley. **4-0 to England!**

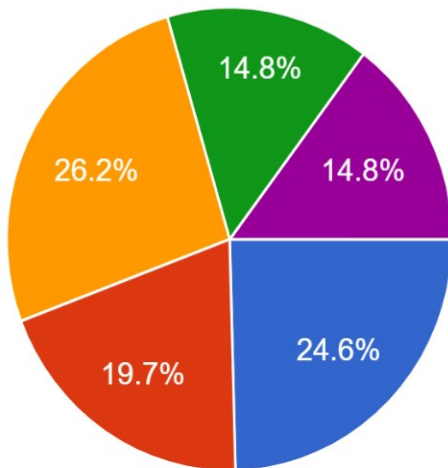
Wembley, the home of football, where a trophy had been missing from England, since 1966. They would be playing Alexandra Popp's Germany team, with Pop considered an equally good top scorer of the tournament as Beth Mead. However, just before the match it was announced that Pop was injured, meaning Beth Mead no longer had competition. Half time ended with another 0-0 draw as Lucy Bronze hit the crossbar of the goal. Then Ella Toone came on and immediately hit the post; it wasn't looking very promising! Yet with ten minutes to go she slipped past the keeper and scored a goal making the score 1-0. Germany fought back and scored once more in the 84th minute, levelling the score. Finally, Sarina Wiegman put Chloe Kelly on the pitch and as time crept to the 90 minute mark, she rocketed one into the bottom corner of the goal. **ENGLAND HAD WON THE EUROS!!**

Written by Milo, Sam and Carl

The Latest Polls!

Which pledge do you think is the most promising?

61 responses



- The Brilliant Blue Dragons
- The Revolution Riders
- The Orange Tigers
- The Emerald Dragons
- The Peaceful Passionate Pentagons

Question of the Day

Which country was the first to allow women the right to vote?

- A) The United Kingdom
- B) Sweden
- C) New Zealand



Yesterday's questions answered

Which of these animals can't swim?

- A) A chinchilla B) A camel C) A bat

Daily Gossip!

Word has spread that a candidate has threatened to kick their deputy out of the party because the deputy expressed that they wanted to have separate meetings to the leader



Two parties are in severe conflict! They have been seen and heard fighting about who is better suited

One party allegedly has a traitor who has been seen sending out bad information about the party leader ... someone is sabotaging in secret!



Got any hot gossip on the election?

Contact the Press Team - anonymity guaranteed!!