

Millfields Mag

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Year 5 Having a Ball at Kench Hill



Firstly, it has been a great week in Y5 as the majority of the year group have been on a 2 night residential trip to Kench Hill in Kent. The weather was not too good at the beginning of the week, but that didn't stop the excitement, enthusiasm and enjoyment. Both groups enjoyed lots of outdoor activities including a 3 mile hike through ancient woodlands, fields and streams, shelter building, archery, orienteering, climbing, team building games and time to explore the grounds - play football, basketball, feed the horses and spot rabbits and chickens. The children were all

so well-behaved, polite, engaged and interested to explore new environments and learn new things. Well done to all the children. Going away with the children on any trip is one of my favourite things to do, and I loved being with Y5 on this residential. A huge 'thank you' to the staff at Kench Hill, and also to our staff - Emma, Ben, Dudley, Lucy, Isabelle, and especially Sheyenne who organised the whole week!

The Y5 back in school also had lots to do this week! Some were involved in the daily Confident Cycling course, there was lots of chess played, a Computing project and lots of Art and PE. They also visited Stepney City Farm as part of our ongoing work with them with Empathy Animals, the charity with the therapy dogs -Bobby, Peppi and Nigel that we work with. They had a great time there feeding the animals, sketching them, and thinking about the way they feel and behave and how our behaviour can influence that. The children have all been great this week!

If you would like to support the charity Empathy Animals, our very own lovely TLA Jose is running the Hackney Half Marathon later in May, to raise some money for them. Best of luck Jose, we are with you all the way! See the link here: <https://give.empathyanimals.org/fundraising/jose-querra>

Also this week, the catering staff have been busy preparing the menu for our special King's Coronation Picnic that is taking place on Friday 5th May (Hope the weather holds!!). If your child usually has a packed lunch from home, but you would like your child to have the school picnic on Friday, please book and pay in the usual way via SCOpay.

Thank you again to all the families for their support for the teacher's over the last and upcoming strike day. I know that it may seem disruptive to your child's learning, and obviously inconvenient for many of you to find childcare etc., but we feel that the children are working really hard during school hours and we are making sure that not one bit of the curriculum is missed! The action by NEU members is not just about missing a day of learning from your child, it is action to secure the future for education in England, so thank you for your understanding, patience and support.

Finally, well done to our Y3 and Y4 runners who took part in the Hackney cross country competition on Friday—they did really well against some much older children from other schools! Also, all of your Y3 children were involved in Personal Best workshops this week. This is a Hackney-led initiative that encourages the children to improve their fitness through quick stamina building drills. The children are tested 3 times over the year with the aim to make personal improvement over time! They all tried really hard and looked like they had lots of fun too! Remember, it is the long May bank holiday weekend, and school is also closed on Tuesday 2nd May due to strike action, so we will see you all back in school on Wednesday 3rd May.

I hope the weather improves and that you have a good one.

Take care, and keep well. Jane



Important Dates

Bank Holiday

Monday 1st May

Strike Day—School Closed

Tuesday 2nd May

Coffee Morning

Friday 5th May—9:00am

King Charles III Coronation

Celebration

Friday 5th May

Bank Holiday

Monday 8th May

Jumble Sale

Saturday 13th May

Class Photos

Wednesday 17th May

Attendance

Week beg: 17th Apr

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 91.5%

Winning classes:

Rec Bond (95.6%)

KS1 Hepworth (96.1%)

KS2 Macintosh (95.2%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Faraday Class for organising the last tuck shop.

Amount raised was a stonking **£159.40**

Thank you everyone for all of your support!





Happy Birthday to the children who celebrated their birthdays this week:

22nd April ~ Alahna M
 23rd April ~ Tiernan H & Gloria O
 24th April ~ Arthur A, Wolf S
 25th April ~ Jean D
 27th April ~ Saga D, Charlie H, Yuri M & Noah T
 28th April ~ Nina V

Many Happy Returns to you ALL!



Millfields Food Bank Donations

If you wish to donate money instead of items to the school foodbank, please speak to a member of SLT staff at your pick up gate. A HUGE thank you to everyone who supports the school Food Bank. It really is a success because of all of your generous donations and helps so many Millfields families.

Direct Debit Donations Programme

If you would like to support the school with a monthly donation to the PSA, you can find out more about the 3 special funds and make your donation here:

RENEW: <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8204>
 ENRICH: <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8205>
 INSPIRE: <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8206>

PSA After-school

Tuck Shops — Summer 2023

We always need people to volunteer time to run the stall on the day and will need lots of donations of food on the day. Just take your food to the office on the day of your stall. Please remember that all food must be nut free to comply with school policy.

Date	Class
Friday 5th May	Dunlop
Friday 12th May	Riley
Friday 19th May	Baylis
Friday 26th May	Whitread
HALF	TERM
Friday 9th Jun	Newton
Friday 16th Jun	Cooke
Friday 30th Jun	Lovelace
Friday 7th Jul	Brown
Friday 14th Jul	Macintosh



LGBT History Month comp winners

Congratulations to all our winners for their excellent pieces of work

Grace F: Frida Carlo

Martha M: Frida Carlo

Amin'a K: Nicola Adams

Cedric-D: Andy Warhol

Beatrix D: Frida Carlo

Betty: Alan Turing

Evelyn M: Elton John

Isaac V: Frida khalo

Tia Main Prize winner: Marsha P Johnson

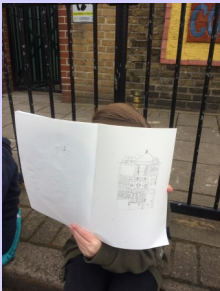
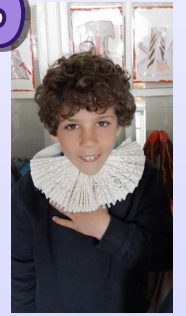


Sign of the Week

To look



Millfields Life In Pictures



A MILLFIELDS COMMUNITY SCHOOL FUNDRAISER OPEN TO EVERYONE

ART
&
CRAFTS

SATURDAY 13 MAY

MILLFIELDS SCHOOL PLAYGROUND AREA
HILSEA ST, E5 0SH

BOOKS
&
VINYLs

BARGAINS

11AM-3PM
FREE ENTRY

TOYS

BRIC
A
BRAC

JUMBLE SALE

CAKES
TEA
COFFEE

WANT TO SELL YOUR STUFF?

BOOK A PITCH FOR £8 - A TABLE CAN BE RENTED FOR £5 EXTRA

EMAIL: MillfieldsJumbleSale@gmail.com

King Charles III Coronation Weekend Celebration

Saturday 6 May, 11am–2pm

- Free activities at **Hoxton Street Market**
- Watch the coronation on a big screen at **Howl at the Moon pub**



Hoxton
Street
Market

Grand
Union
Orchestra

Live
music

Hoxton
Hall
Circus
arts

Hoxton
Radio
DJ skills

Ministry
of Stories
King for a
Day zine

Make
your own
fabric
crown

Monday 8 May, 3–4.30pm

- **Hackney and East London School of Music** present
'Let's Celebrate' classical music concert at Hackney Town Hall

Hackney residents can book free tickets by emailing:

speaker@hackney.gov.uk

Maximum 2 tickets per booking, first come, first served



For more information scan
the QR code or visit:
lovehackney.uk/coronation

 **Hackney**

HACKNEY SPEAKER'S KING'S CORONATION
2023



ART COMPETITION

PRIZES: AMAZON VOUCHERS & VIP TICKETS TO
HACKNEY'S CORONATION CONCERT ON 8 MAY

DEADLINE: 4 MAY 2023

Please email entries to
speaker@hackney.gov.uk



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Millfields VIPs



KS1



LKS2



LKS2

