## Millfields Mag

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#### **Important Dates**

**Sibling Photos** Monday 22nd January **Safer Internet Day** 

Tuesday 6th February **Creative Week** 

5th - 9th February

Children's Mental Health Day

Friday 9th February

**Half Term** 12th - 16th February

**Creative Evening** 

Wednesday 21st February

#### **Punctuality and Attendance**

Please make sure you are on time for school every day—lateness disrupts learning!



#### **Tuck Shop**

Thank you to Olympus Class for organising the last tuck shop before Christmas!

Thank you everyone for all of your support!



#### **Another Busy Week at Millfields!**



The children have all been working hard and been very busy as usual in class and around school and the wider community.

Year 6 are learning about the Victorians, and Mississippi Class led the way for this term's Sharing Assemblies by sharing their work and information earnt so far about the Victorians, and what it was like to be a child in Victorian times!

children concluded that they would rather be at school learning and having fun with their friends than working as a child in Victorian times. Orinoco Class visited the Ragged School Museum in Tower Hamlets and spent the afternoon putting themselves in the shoes of a Victorian child - they were happy that it wasn't real and didn't have to wear a dunce's hat in class if they didn't know the answer! Luckily, at Millfields, we love the children to ask questions and share their opinions! Also, this week, Y6 Yukon Class visited the London Buddhist Centre as part of their RE work on Buddhism.

As part of their History work this term: 'Time machines', Y1 classes visited Bruce Castle Museum and took part in a toys workshop about toys past and present. They were able to handle the toys and ask guestions and really enjoyed looking at old toys and thinking about the toys of the future too. The children learnt lots that will feed back into their history learning in school. On Tuesday, Reception classes visited the Science Museum to look at the space exhibits and the rockets as part of their work in class on space! They had a lovely time, and enjoyed the journey there on the tube too! Y3 Classes visited the Hackney School of Food to make bread and vegetable soup. They learnt lots of kitchen skills and loved working together and to make and then eat their finished product!

Y2 classes enjoyed an in-school drama performance, and story-telling workshop from the Freshwater Theatre Company as part of their Geography work on Africa. They had great fun taking part in the warm-up activities and sharing ideas and vocabulary with the facilitator. All of this learning will help when they are back in class.

Sports events and competitions started again this week. The Y5 and Y6 boys and girls cycling teams took part in the Roller Bike event - the 4th event of the Hackney League. They were again brilliant, and the points they accumulated keeps us top of the league! Well done to all the children who took part and to Dudley for taking them. Also, next week, the boys and girls football teams are in action and hopefully, the cross country runners and LKS2 basketball teams.

Finally, as you will read later in the Mag, we will be holding a few coffee mornings/sharing sessions for parents of children with additional needs. Look out for more information coming your way very soon!

I hope you all have a good weekend. Take care, keep well and stay warm! Remember to get your thermals, hats, gloves and scarves out ready for the cold weather forecast next week! Best Wishes, Jane



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

6th January ~ Tolayo A, Orlaith M & Daniyal M

8th January ~ Zynah A, Tom D, Annie M, Cosimo P & Safiya S

9th January ~ Arin C & Noah M

10th January ~ Yve S

12th January ~ Yumi A, Ace B & Cynthia H

#### Many Happy Returns to you ALL!















#### Did you know that you can hire our school spaces?

Our wonderful school facilities are available to hire during the evenings, weekends and school holidays!

We work with local social enterprise, School Space to provide the ideal space for community groups to meet, greet and gather.

Check out the spaces we have to offer at school-space.org!

To make a booking, contact School Space at: bookings@school-space.org | 020 3369 3269





## SHARING ASSEMBLIES Spring Term 2024

Spring term 2024												
Date (Fridays)	(Middle/Bottom Hall @ 9:10am)	(Middle/Top Hall @ 9:10am)										
19.01.2024	Fitz Roy Class (Yr5)	Shenandoah Class (Yr5)										
26.01.2024	Shannon Class (Rec)	Acatenango Class (Yr5)										
02.02.2024	Mersey Class (Rec)	Yukon Class (Yr6) & Orinoco Class (Yr6)										
	HALF TERM											
01.03.2024	Trent Class (Rec)	Nile Class (Yr2)										
08.03.2024	Zambezi Class (Yr2)	Duoro Class (Yr2)										
15.03.2024	Thames Class (Nur)	Lea Class (Nur)										

### PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Spring 2024

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 19th Jan	Annapurna (Yr3)										
Friday 26th Jan	Yangtze (Yr4)										
Friday 2nd Feb	Shenandoah (Yr5)										
Friday 9th Feb	Trent (Rec)										
HALF TERM											

# Milifields Life in Pictures











































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\* One Inset Day still to be allocated

