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Millfields Out and About

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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, animal adaptations session, orienteering, climbing, team building games and time to explore the grounds - play football, basketball, play on the play equipment, feed the horses and spot rabbits and chickens. The children had a great time and were 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 trip. A huge 'thank you' to the staff at Kench Hill, and also to our staff - Emma, Claire, Debi, Matt, Chris, Tom and Joseph, as well as parent volunteer, Jayde, and especially Sheyenne who organised the whole week!

The Y5 back in school also had lots to do this week! They had lots of Art and PE sessions, had a 'Thames Explorer' workshop to learn more about the river in our city, and they also enjoyed playing a range of board and card games, before designing and making their own! There were some great efforts and will be in classes to be played during wet play and free time for the rest of term.

Today, we were also treated to 3 brilliant sharing assemblies -the children in all three classes, Yangtze, Annapurna and Mekong were brilliant. They had all learned their lines, and delivered them well, worked together, supported each other and entertained the parents and carers who came. Well done to them all, and thank you to all the parents who came in. Thank you also to the parents who came in to read in class in Y1 and Y2 today -this happens every Friday, so please try to pop in at 8:50am next week!

Also this week, we had a visit from an ex-pupil. Steve attended Millfields as a child, more than 50 years ago. Steve said he remembered Millfields with great fondness and he is hoping to visit again soon.

Remember, it is the long May bank holiday weekend, and school is also closed on Monday 6th May, so we will see you all back in school on Tuesday 7th May.

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

Take care, and keep well. Jane

Important Dates

Bank Holiday Monday 6th May SATs Week 13th–16th May Hackney Run Saturday 18th May Y6 Residential 20th-24th May Half Term 27th-31st May Parent & Families Week 3rd-7th June



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a small wooden vessel or tub for butter, lard, etc.

E.g.: After the harvest festival, the townspeople gathered around to share stories over slices of bread from a *firkin* of butter.

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Olympus Class for organising last week's tuck shop. Amount raised was a superb **£131.60!** Thank you everyone for all of

your support!





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

27th April ~ Saga D, Charlie H, Yuri M & Noah T 28th April ~ Nina V 30th April ~ Finn B, Klara H, Loutro H & Simeon M 1st May ~ Ali A 2nd May ~ Cameron I, Noah L & Clara N 3rd May ~ Cosmo G, Ellie O & Parker P

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

PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Summer 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 10th May	Fuji (Yr3)									
Friday 17th May	Mekong(Yr4)									
Friday 24th May	Fitz Roy (Yr5)									
HALF TERM										

SHARING ASSEMBLIES Summer Term 2024

Date							
(Fridays)	(Middle/Bottom Hall @ 9:10am)	(Middle/Top Hall @ 9:10am)					
10.05.2024	Acatenango Class (Yr5) & Fuji Class (Yr3)	Ganges Class (Yr4)					
17.05.2024	Fitz Roy Class (Yr5)	Shenandoah Class (Yr5)					
24.05.2024	Kilimanjaro Class (Yr1)	Zambezi Class (Yr2)					
	HALF TERM						
14.06.2024	Karisimbi (Yr1)	Duoro Class (Yr2)					
28.06.2024	Shannon Class (Rec)	Nile Class (Yr2)					
5.07.2024	Olympus Class (Yr1)	Trent Class (Rec) & Mersey Class (Rec)					



Milfields Life in Pictures



















Free Trial Session and £40 discount at Perform

Popular children's drama and dance school Perform is offering a Free Trial Session and a **special introductory discount of £40 for members of Millfields Community School** if they sign up by Monday 23rd September.

Parents should quote MILU230924 when they book their free session by going to <u>perform.org.uk/try</u> or calling 020 7255 9120.

You can find out more about the classes at <u>perform.org.uk/try</u>. Alternatively, pdf flyers can be downloaded from <u>here</u>.



Bright Ideas 4 Tennis Charity Event Sat 4th May



Tennis Charity Bright Ideas For Tennis will be joining Hackney Tennis on **Saturday 4th May from 1-6pm.** Charity founder and former British Davis Cup Player Danny Sapsford will be joined by former World No1 Junior and top 100 ATP player Martin Lee, to deliver tennis clinics along side HT coaches at Clissold Park during the afternoon. The event will finish with Danny and Martin playing in an exhibition doubles match from 5-6pm.

There will also be tennis games, raffles and prizes, with funds raised going to disability tennis in Hackney. If you would like to join one of the clinics or activities please sign up using the links below:

2:30-3:30 Tennis Clinic for Intermediate adults-£15

3:30-4:30 Tennis Clinic for team/advanced level adults-£15

4:30-5:00 Serve speed competition & beat the coach-£2

5-6pm Danny Sapsford and Martin Lee doubles exhibition-Free

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