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## A TRIP TO THE CAFÉ IS ALWAYS GOOD!



This week, the whole school community joined the national campaign, and have been learning how to stay safe on the internet. The children all took part in SID (Safer Internet Day) activities in class and watched short films that promoted the safe use of the internet and how to tackle cyber-bullying. Also on Wednesday, lots of parents joined Vicky and Sumon to learn a bit more about how they can support their children to stay safe online. We will be holding more Safer Internet workshops in the future as parents had lots of questions and ideas, and wanted more opportunities to do some more 'hands on' activities. Staff also took part in an E-safety workshop after school. You should be receiving a leaflet with tips to stay safe online along with the Mag today.

Also this week, Year 3 classes took a trip around the Roman town of Colchester. Although it was a bitter cold day, the children really enjoyed learning more about the Romans, and seeing some of the old walls and ruins of Roman buildings while listening to their very own guide. The guides were very impressed with the children's prior knowledge and their questions, and remarked on how well they behaved and engaged. Well done Year 3!

Thank you to all the pupils, parents and staff for their feedback this week on the new morning arrangements in Year 3 –6. The children have overwhelmingly said that they like the calm start to the day and the fact that all the adults say good morning to them on their way upstairs. The teachers also say that it makes the start to the day much calmer and means that the children are ready for learning. Also, the majority of parents like the idea too. If you need to speak to a teacher about something urgent, please go to the main office who will either pass on the message or get the teacher to speak to you, or you can speak to the teacher at the end of the day. The easiest way to contact the teacher is by email, and you can make an appointment this way. All the staff names and email addresses are on the school website under the Staff section on the right hand side. We will be continuing with this arrangement after half term and may also trial it with KS1 classes as well to alleviate the congestion in the front playground. I will keep you posted!

Thank you to the Year 6 parents who joined their children for lunch on Tuesday –we hope you enjoyed the food and company! Look out for more dates to dine with your child after half term. Parents of children in Reception have the opportunity on Tuesday 14th March.

Today, the cycling team are out in the cold and rain today at the latest cycling race. Good luck Millfields! We are currently at the top of the cycling league table and are hoping to retain the top spot at the end of the season!

'Always Good' children visited Jim's café on Chatsworth Road yesterday. They really enjoyed the cookies! Well done to you all for being great ambassadors for the school! Finally, have a very happy half term, and enjoy the break with family and friends.

Best Wishes, Jane

### Important Dates

**Half Term**

**13th—17th February**

**School Reopens**

**Monday 20th February**

**Book Week**

**27th Feb—3rd March**

**World Book Day**

**Thursday 2nd March**

**Come Dine with Us— Rec**

**Tuesday 14th March**

### Attendance

**Week beg: 30th Jan**

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 96.3%

Winning classes:

KS1 Manchester (99%)

KS2 Canterbury (99%)

***Well done!***

### Tuck Shop

Thank you to Winchester for organising the last tuck shop. Amount raised was £71.00!  
Thank you for all of your support.

### **Reminder:**

**Head Teachers Surgery**

**Tuesday 21st Feb 2-3pm**

**School Tours—9:45am**

**Friday 3rd March**

**Friday 16th March**



Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week and will do so over the holidays:

- 4th Feb ~ Aleemah Uddin & Mohammed Mulla
- 5th Feb ~ Asmaa Hajat, Ashleigh Hunt & Rayid Ibrahim
- 6th Feb ~ Nazira Mulla
- 7th Feb ~ Keli Tawiah
- 8th Feb ~ Nazia Khatun
- 9th Feb ~ Willow Wilson
- 10th Feb ~ Aaliyah Pirbhai, Eshaal Husain, Rayan Ali & Safwan Mangera
- 11th Feb ~ Khadeeja Noor
- 12th Feb ~ Aaminah Patel
- 13th Feb ~ Joni Harrison, Prachi Patel & Laura Krysa
- 14th Feb ~ Tychic Antoko Kuvila, Angela Blaize & Jaidon Knight
- 15th Feb ~ Jane Curtis
- 16th Feb ~ Erion Imeri, Amal & Amran Muhiddin
- 17th Feb ~ Ayaan Bhat

Many happy returns to you all!



SHARING ASSEMBLIES - SPRING TERM 2017				
Date (Friday)	EY and KS1 (Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Top Hall @ 9.10am)		
HALF TERM				
24/02/2017	Cardiff (Joy's Class)		Birmingham (Emma's Class)	
03/03/2017		Manchester (Ashraf's Class)		Exeter (Keli's Class)
10/03/2017	North London (Cynthia's Class)		Oxford (Dorothy's Class)	
17/03/2017		Leeds (Vicki's Class)		Swansea (Alex's Class)
24/03/2017	South London (Angela's Class)		Portsmouth (Alice's Class)	
31/03/2017		York (Sevilay's Class)		Dundee (Matthew's Class)



**Young Hackney Primary Schools Cycle League**

Great results from Friday with Gold medals for Robin Steer, Milton Higgott and Ashleigh Hunt. Silver for Laila Grace McKenzie Breary and Bronze for Elliot Marsden.

All our riders scored points, which is amazing. We extended our lead by 6 points and are therefore now 29 points ahead of the other schools in the league! Well done everyone—keep up the good work!



## PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Spring 2017

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
<b>HALF TERM</b>	
Friday 24th Feb	Year 6
Friday 3rd Mar	Liverpool
Friday 10th Mar	York
Friday 17th Mar	Manchester
Friday 24th Mar	Leeds
Friday 31st Mar	Derby



### Thought for the Week

Be the change! How do you stay safe online?



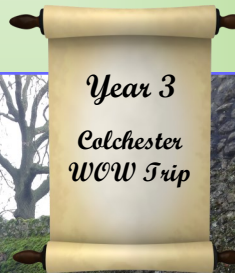
## We're Collecting!



Sainsbury's

Active Kids

Eat well • Move well • Live well



## ATTENTION children in Year 3 and 4!

Do you want to enrol for this term's Film Club? Then please see Ifeoma!

## ALSO TWO NEW CLUBS STARTING

Knitting and Eco Warriors Again, please see Ifeoma. Many thanks!



*EcoRangers After School Club needs you!*

EcoRangers: Kids to the Rescue club will run after school on a Monday and will empower Year 1 & 2 children to take steps to change their environment, influence their peers and hold the school to task over the health of our ecology. By ecology we mean how the small things influence the big picture - our school culture, activism, waste, resourcefulness, environmental creativity and the health of our community and the marshes and canals that surround us.

From November 7<sup>th</sup> 2016 until February 26<sup>th</sup> 2017, GALAXY Hot Chocolate Fund are seeking to award a total of seventy, £300 donations to help community groups and people across the UK and Ireland. Please vote for Millfields Community School Eco Rangers After School Club here at:

<https://www.galaxyhotchocolate.com/fund/profiles/millfields-community-school-ecorangers-after-school-club/>

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**GRAB A TEAM ITS QUIZ NIGHT**

**Friday 24th Feb**

**Cheese and wine**

**Teams of 6 £15 a Table**

*Fun! Fun! Fun!*

# STARS OF THE WEEK

Estrellas de  
la Semana

Key Stage 1



Lower Key Stage 2

Upper Key Stage 2

