

Millfields Mag

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Anyone for Tennis?



On Friday last week, the tennis team took part in a Hackney pre-season tennis tournament. Our team did really well and are really looking forward to the competitions starting so they can represent the school and bring back the trophies! Thanks as ever to the parents who support the tennis team especially Elena, Guy and Monique.

This week, the children in Y2 have been working really hard on their SATs reading and maths papers. Parents of Y2 children please be assured that we are reinforcing that the children should try their best and do what they always do in class! Year 6 classes have also been very busy revising for the KS2 SATs that start next week. As part of their support and our commitment to reducing the stress levels and anxiety, all 3 classes took part in a workshop that reinforced strategies to cope with feelings of anxiety and methods to help them keep calm pre, during and post each test. Y6 parents, again, please reiterate that the children should just try their best and that we will all be very proud of them whatever the outcome as they have all worked extremely hard this year. The tests are not a measure that secondary schools readily use, so please tell your child that they should not be worried or stressed about the results. Good luck to everyone!

Thankfully the sun was shining on Wednesday when we had our class photos taken. This meant that we could have the photos taken outside and the children looked lovely and smart in their school uniforms. Look out for the proof that will be coming home with your child hopefully next week. Also on Wednesday, the Y3 and Y4 football team took part in a Hackney tournament at Mabley Green. The rising stars won 3 and lost 3 matches, ending up 3rd overall, so well done everyone! Ten children in Y4 and Y5 who attend the Arsenal Double Club visited the Emirates Stadium and had an opportunity to play on the pitch. They loved it and were full of excitement when they arrived back at school with lots of Arsenal goodies. Thank you to Dwayne for organising and making this happen!

The Book Fair arrived yesterday so I hope you will have a chance to look at the books on sale and buy one or two. We make a really good amount of commission on the total sales, this means that we are able to keep our school library well-stocked. It will be open after school today and until Wednesday next week –cash and cards accepted.

Friday is always busy at Millfields and today was no exception! Thank you to the parents who came to the PSA meeting where they discussed arrangements for the KS1 Disco tonight and the Summer Fair that is scheduled for Saturday 30th June –put the date in your diary now! If you think you can help in any way, please email the chair of the PSA: alisonquinn@yahoo.fr. Thank you also to all the parents who attended the York and Sheffield Class Maths sessions –we hope you found them useful and they have given you an idea of how to support your child in their learning. Thanks also to the parents and families who attended the 2 great class assemblies –Liverpool & Glasgow. We have also been busy planning our two special days next week. Thursday 17th May is 'Outdoor Learning' day and all the classes will be going to Hackney Marshes to have a day of outdoor activities, games and shelter-building! The whole school will be having a picnic lunch that day. Then, on Friday 18th May, we will be celebrating the royal wedding –more details inside this week's Mag! Finally have a good weekend. Best Wishes, Jane

Eurovision Song Contest Finals

Saturday 12th May

Walk to School Week

Mon 14th—Fri 18th May

Outdoor Learning Day

Thursday 17th May

Royal Wedding picnic

Friday 18th May

Hispanic Week

21st –25th May

Half Term

28th May –1st June

Attendance

Week beg: 30th April

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 95.3%

Winning classes:

KS1 Derby (98.6%)

KS2 Canterbury &
Portsmouth (100%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to

Year 5 for

organising last week's
tuck shop. Amount
raised was £51.35

Thank you for all of your
support!

Reminder:

Head Teachers Surgery

Tues 15th May 11-12pm

School Tours

Friday 18th May 9:45am

Friday 8th June 9:45am

School Council Project

PLEASE DONATE!



There are many homeless people in Hackney. This term the school council are raising awareness and collecting for homeless people in Hackney. People living on the streets need your help as they are suffering and have no water or shelter at all. If you have any spare of the following, then please donate them to the front office:

- ~ Clean Towels
- ~ Toothbrushes and toothpaste
- ~ Roll mats/sleeping bags
- ~ Combs and brushes
- ~ Spare suitable adult clothes
- ~ Soap
- ~ Clean adult footwear



Your donations will go directly to many homeless people in need.

Thank you.

PSA After-school Tuck Shops Summer 2018

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 18th May | Belfast |
| Friday 25th May | Cardiff |
| HALF | TERM |
| Friday 8th June | Edinburgh |
| Friday 15th June | Manchester |
| Friday 22nd June | INSET DAY |
| Friday 29th June | York |
| Friday 6th July | Liverpool |
| Friday 13th July | Derby |
| Thursday 19th July | Cycle Club |



Fabulous Foundation

Holiday Club

Millfields Community School Children's Centre

PLAYSCHEME FOR CHILDREN
AGED 3 - 11

Summer Half Term

Tuesday 28th May to Friday 1st June
08:00am to 6:00pm

Book by Wednesday 23rd May 2018 to avoid disappointment as places are limited

Payment is accepted at the School Office

PRICES:

| | |
|-------------|-------------------|
| Daily Rate | Half day—£25.00 |
| | Full day —£50.00 |
| Weekly Rate | Half day—£100.00 |
| | Full day —£200.00 |

20% Discount for Families receiving Income Support

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Royal Wedding

CELEBRATIONS AT

A very special and exciting day is on the horizon and we can't wait to get involved and be a part of it! It's the Wedding of Ms. Meghan Markle and Prince Harry. So on **Friday 18th May** we will be marking this momentous occasion and celebrating in style!

We want to bring the joy and celebration of the Royal Wedding to Millfields as we delve into British monarchy history and take a look at previous royal weddings which we have celebrated in the past!

We'll take a look at images and visual aids from a wide range of cultures as well as same sex marriages, to understand the similarities and differences these traditions have to the royal wedding.

We will be having a wedding picnic in the playground and there will be entertainment and lots of singing.

We would like to invite all children to **Dress up like they are going to wedding!**

It's a day that will go down in history and a day to be remembered which is why we are looking forward to celebrating and sharing this experience with our school community!

LOVE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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

- 5th May ~ Gabriel KS
- 6th May ~ Anahita B & Sofia A
- 8th May ~ Asiyah A
- 9th May ~ Brady T
- 11th May ~ Marium F, Tigerlily B, Maja & Tomasz B

Many happy returns to you all!

'Come Dine with Us'

This term, we are offering parents with children in Reception, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5, the opportunity to have lunch with their child.

Parents in Year 2 are invited to a year group picnic.

(School Packed lunches available on request!)

Lunch will start at 11.45am and you will be able to sit with your child and their friends in the Dining Hall, to take part in the daily routine, experience the atmosphere and taste the lovely food that your children are offered every day.

Please sign up and make a payment at the main office if you would like to join us on the day.

Adult meal without dessert = £3.00

Adult Meal with dessert =£4.20

Millfields at the Emirates Stadium



It's Time To Do The Friday Dance



Summer Term 2018

| Date | Year Group |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Tuesday 22nd May (Hispanic Week) | Year 4 |
| Tuesday 5th June | Year 5 |
| Tuesday 19th June | Year 2 Picnic |
| Tuesday 3rd July | Year 1 |

MILLFIELDS MATHS SESSIONS

For parents & carers of children in Oxford & Liverpool Classes

Friday 18th May 2018—9:30am

Please call the office to confirm attendance.

| Date | EY and KS1 (Middle/Bottom Hall @ 9.10am) | LKS2 and UKS2 (Middle/Top Hall @ 9.10am) | |
|------------------|---|---|------------------------------|
| 18.05.18 | Belfast (Kamilah's Class) | Birmingham | (Emma's Class) |
| 25.05.18 | | York (Angela's Class) | |
| HALF TERM | | | |
| 08.06.18 | | Nottingham (Bruno's Class) | Exeter (Fintan's Class) |
| 15.06.18 | North London (Teague's Class) | | Sheffield (Rosie's Class) |
| 29.06.18 | | Leeds (Alex's Class) | Dundee (Matthew's Class) |
| 06.07.18 | South London (Svetlana's Class) | | Oxford (Dorothy's Class) |

