

# Millfields Mag

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## Millfields Learning Inside and Out!



This week was a nervous one for our Year 6 children who awaited their KS2 SATS results that were published on Tuesday. I am really pleased to say that all the children did very well and have made us and their families very proud. The hard work and determination has definitely paid off! The results for the school will be validated and published nationally in the Autumn term, and on the school website in the next week, but initial calculations show that 80% of pupils made the expected level in Maths, 83% in Reading 82% in Writing and 87% in SPaG. the combined RWM score that the school is essentially measured on is 77%, so a huge well done to all the children and to all the school staff who have worked so hard with the children this year!

As I write this, I am really hoping to hear that Millfields have built on their points at today's event and won the Hackney Cycling League again, but will need to update you next week! Everyone associated with the team are so proud of all the riders in Y4, Y5 and Y6 who took part this year to ensure that we led from the start of the season so fingers crossed! A huge 'thank you' to Paul, Karen and Nicky who do all the hard work organising the team, fixing the bikes and raising money for the team. Thank you also to Sharon, Theo, Dudley, Sumon and Chris who have supported the team this year. Well done everyone!

The music department, all of Year 6 staff and all of the Y6 children have been busy preparing for the end of year show, which is 'Aladdin'. All of the children will have an opportunity to watch this next week, and Year 6 families are invited to an afternoon performance at 2.15pm and evening performance at 7pm on Tuesday 16th July. As part of the Y5 Music curriculum, 2 classes visited the Stratford Theatre to see the Benjamin Britain performance of 'Noyye Fludd' -they had a great time and thoroughly enjoyed the music.

Thank you to the parents and carers who dropped in to speak to their child's class teacher about their reports and/or pick up SATS results yesterday and to those who have completed the feedback sheet. Please hand them in to the main office if you would like to give us your views.

This week, Reception classes have visited the Diana Memorial Gardens and had so much fun splashing about in the water. Year 2 classes, Hepworth and Riley visited the Fire of London workshop at the Museum of London and really enjoyed finding out more about the topic they have already learnt so much about.

Yesterday was Transition morning for all of the children and staff. We welcomed back Rosie



from maternity leave, Rachel Stone from her year out, new teachers – Emily, Cheneice, Rosie, Mia and Rachel Pan to the Millfields staff team. Our class names are staying the same this year; EYFS classes are named after British authors; KS1 classes are named after British artists; LKS2 classes are named after British inventors; and UKS2 classes are named after British Scientists. It is going to take all the staff and children some time to learn all the new names, but I hope that your child will have spoken to you about their class name and that you will help them research and find out more about their class namesakes over the holidays. I hope that your child enjoyed their morning with their new class teacher/s. It is always a difficult task to allocate teachers to classes and there are always many reasons that my team and I have to consider when making this decision, factors that you may not be aware of as parents, but please be assured that the decisions are not taken lightly and much thought always goes in to the process to ensure the best outcomes both academically and socially, for all of the children in the class as a whole. The class allocations, with the new names can be found on the website under the parents information section. Support staff allocations have not yet been finalised, but we are confident that we can again maintain the high ratio of pupil-staff next year despite the budget cuts. A list of all the school staff will be available on the school website at the beginning of the school year.

It has been 'Safety Week' this week, so please talk to your child about the different kinds of dangers we have been talking about in assembly and in class -road safety, rail safety, how to do CPR in a medical emergency, water safety and e-safety.

Please note that London Day is on Thursday 18th July, and all classes will be visiting a London park as their end of year trip. Also, please note that the last day of term in Friday 19th July at 2pm. All end of year class parties with the exception of Newton Class will take place in the morning of Friday 19th July -teachers will let you know what you can bring.

Have a good weekend and enjoy the sunshine. Best, Jane

### Important Dates

**Year 6 Show**

**Tuesday 16th July**

**London Day**

**18th July**

**Last Day of Term**

**Friday 19th July**

**School closes at 2:00pm**

**Autumn Term starts**

**Weds 4th September**

### Attendance

**Week beg: 1st July**

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 96.2%

Winning classes:

KS1 Whiteread (100%)

KS2 Hawking & Anning  
(99.3%)

**Well done!**

### Tuck Shop

Thank you to Brown Class for organising the last tuck shop. Amount raised was an amazing £54.27  
Thank you for all of your support!

### **Reminder:**

**Head Teachers Surgery**

**Monday 15th 11-12pm**

**School Tours**

**Friday 27th September  
09:30am**



### 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>

Ministry of Stories are running a writing project during the summer holidays that your children might be interested in.

### **The Space Chase**

Aged 8-12 and looking for an adventure?

Sign up for our expedition to space from 5th – 10th August 11am – 1pm with Writing Program Leader Sandra Agard!

There will be lots of writing games so that we can create new poems and stories together in partnership with Shoreditch Library and inspired by the Summer Reading Challenge. Join the Space Chase!

<https://www.ministryofstories.org/summer-writing-projects/>.



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

6th July ~ Azra F, Bruna P, Sander V, Blessing M  
7th July ~ Simon B, Henry S, Zayd N  
9th July ~ Chelsea B, Zakariyya M  
10th July ~ Esa M, Sol M  
11th July ~ Shaun K, Olsin M & Kate R  
12th July ~ Biba C, Ayla Y, Sadiyah A, Lucas B, Syed N, Bruno G & Kimberley B

**Many happy returns to you all!**

### Millfields Pedal Power

We're hoping to raise £750 to help fund new toys and equipment for the playground

If you wish to sponsor Dudley then please click on the link below:

[https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/dudley-white-2?utm\\_id=60&utm\\_term=dv5XZzQwQ](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/dudley-white-2?utm_id=60&utm_term=dv5XZzQwQ)



**Clissold Park, Hackney Downs,  
London Fields, Millfields**



**22<sup>nd</sup> July – 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug, 2019**

**Tots, Minis  
& Juniors**

**Early Bird  
Discounts**

**Book  
Online Now**

**[www.hackneytennis.co.uk](http://www.hackneytennis.co.uk)**



## **Fabulous Foundation Holiday Club**

INCLUSIVE PLAYScheme FOR  
CHILDREN AGED 3 - 11

**Mon 22nd July to Fri 15th August**

## **Summer Holiday**

**08:00am to 6:00pm**  
Book by Friday 19th July 2019 to avoid  
disappointment as places are limited

Payment accepted at the School Office until 19th July  
**Please note: No electronic payments can be  
accepted after this date!**

**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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## Did you know?

Since 2005, donkeys and horses in Britain have been required to have a passport..

### THE 7TH ANNUAL SOLLY CUP CHARITY FOOTBALL MATCH

SATURDAY 13TH JULY 2019 AT MILLFIELDS PARK PITCH  
DADS MATCH KICK OFF 4.30PM

### BATTLE OF THE KIDS MILLFIELDS COMMUNITY SCHOOL V RUSHMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL

A game of spirited action, dreams of glory  
and good old fashioned sportsmanship

KICK OFF 3.30PM

All donations this year will go towards Hadney Shed / [www.hadneyshed.org.uk](http://www.hadneyshed.org.uk)  
[www.justgiving.com/fundraising/sollycup2019](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/sollycup2019)

## Save the date!



In its 7th Year, Clapton Jumble Trail is a celebration of community, recycling and bargain hunting!

When: Sunday September 22, 11am – 4pm.

There will be stalls in the playground and all over Clapton. Follow @claptonjumble for updates.

## Jones Class Homework



### SHARING ASSEMBLIES Summer Term 2019

Date (Fridays)	EY and KS1 - 9:00am Bottom Hall	Middle Hall	LKS2 and UKS2 - 9:00am Middle Hall	Top Hall
16.7.19	Year 6 End of Year Show			

### PSA After-school Tuck Shops Summer 2019

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 July	Cycle Club



### FREE HOLIDAY FUN

at the Geffrye Museum of the Home

#### ACTS OF KINDNESS

AGES  
2-12

Thursdays & Fridays:  
15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30 August, 10am–4.30pm

Get creative and spread a little love this summer!  
Explore the theme of kindness through activities,  
digital workshops, crafts and trails in the gardens.

\*Enjoy free weekend performances of Great Expectations  
by Free Theatre UK between 9 August – 1 September\*

The museum is closed until spring 2020 for redevelopment  
so activities will take place on the lawn or under canvas.  
Light refreshments on sale or bring a picnic.

[www.geffrye-museum.org.uk](http://www.geffrye-museum.org.uk)

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MUSEUM OF THE HOME

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### SCIENCE FESTIVAL

Tuesday 16th July 4-6pm

Rockets, robots, sparks & splashes  
suitable for all ages.  
FREE to enter. All welcome.



Find out more at [www.petcheyacademy.org.uk/science-festival](http://www.petcheyacademy.org.uk/science-festival)

The Petchey Academy

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### SCIENCE FESTIVAL



4pm doors open

visitors are free to visit the outdoor science  
stalls and displays

4.15pm Science Museum show  
approx. 30 mins in auditorium

6pm close

Visitors please use the entrance to the rear of  
the academy on Downs Park Road.

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# STARS OF THE WEEK

