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And our New Prime Minister is...



What a fantastic week as always at Millfields! This week was 'Democracy Week' and as you will have seen and heard, the school has been buzzing with talk of political parties, policies, pledges, manifestos and spin! I hope you have enjoyed being kept right up to date with all the top stories, gossip and polls throughout the week via the student newspaper - 'Daily Democracy'. It has been a truly fantastic learning experience for every single child in so many ways. Every child has been involved and has learnt something about democracy - teamwork and collaboration, values, rights, passion, drive and they have also all had great fun! The

week started with classes learning about the origins of democracy and children being divided in to parties. Each class elected a MC (Member of Class) and from these members, a leader and deputy was elected and a party name was agreed. The party names and party leaders are as follows: Annie Chekoff - Revolutionary Reds, Ariane Kediri - Trusty Triangles, India Bottici - Powerful People, Kit Crane - Sky High Blue and Louis Reynolds - Stars of the Show party. The party advisors, leaders and deputies really excelled themselves this year as the manifestos looked great and presented lots of very relevant, current and original ideas. Some of the Press Team visited the Mayor of Hackney on Tuesday and asked some probing questions, and also he very kindly came along today to hear the announcement of the new PM. The atmosphere yesterday as the children and staff all marched down Lower Clapton Road chanting and singing in support of their parties, was brilliant. At the hustings that took place back at school, the speeches were very professional and inspiring. Then yesterday afternoon everyone voted for their new Prime Minister! The turn-out was very good and the result was very close! All of the leaders, as well as their deputies will work very closely with the Prime Minister as appointed cabinet ministers. So, the big announcement, the Deputy Prime Minister for the academic year 2018-19 is **Annie Cherkoff**, and the new Millfields' Prime Minister 2018-19 is **Kit Crane of the Sky High Blues!** Huge congratulations to them both! They both gave very emotional acceptance speeches and thanked everyone who voted and their teams, as well as all the other candidates. I am really looking forward to working with them both next year. The out-going PM, Solly Rigg, thanked the school community for working with him during his year as PM, and wished the new team all the very best for the year ahead. The whole week has taken a lot of planning and organisation which has been done with great precision. A huge 'thank you' to Emma (Y3 Birmingham Class teacher) who made this week happen. The planning, preparation and good humour is very much appreciated by us all, and also to parent governor, Joe Walker. Thank you also to Sumon who has managed and guided the press team all week - they were fantastic and produced a quality newspaper every day to keep us all informed! Well done to all the writers who have worked tirelessly this week! Copies of the newspapers are also on the Millfields website. Thank you also to the party advisors - Adam, Nino, Eliza, Izaak and parent, Sam Crane; it couldn't have happened without you! Finally, thank you to all the children who have embraced democracy and made the week so exciting! Lastly, wishing all our Muslim families a very happy Eid - enjoy celebrating this weekend. Have a good weekend. Best Wishes, Jane

Refugee Week

18th -24th June

Inset Day

Friday 22nd June

Sports Week

25th -29th June

EYFS -Friday 29th

KS1 -Thursday 28th

LKS2 Wednesday 27th

UKS2 -Monday 25th

Bike Around the Borough

Thursday 28th June

Summer Fair

Saturday 30th June

Attendance

Week beg: 4th June

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 95.9%

Winning classes:

KS1 Leeds (98.8%)

KS2 Canterbury &
Portsmouth (97.3%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Edinburgh Class for organising last week's tuck shop.

Amount raised was a super £87.22

Thank you for all of your support!

Reminder:

Head Teachers Surgery

Tues 19th June 2-3-pm

School Tours

Friday 29th June 9:45am

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 22nd June	INSET DAY
Friday 29th June	York
Friday 6th July	Liverpool
Friday 13th July	Derby
Thursday 19th July	Cycle Club

SPORTSIDESK

CYCLING TEAM NEWS

Last Friday saw a fantastic effort from staff and Yr6 cyclists, rushing back early from their residential week for grass track racing on Hackney Downs. Exhausted from a week of fun at camp, they still managed to put in an enormous effort to secure a great points total. Also, a special mention to Nella G and Layla H who bravely raced in a year above their age! With Year 5's determined and successful racing too, we remain firmly at the top of the league with 1 race to go!

Remembering Alice



On Wednesday 27th June

Millfields Staff will be walking in remembrance of our friend and colleague Alice Warhurst –Kew

As part of our drive to promote wellbeing we will be raising money for



If you would like to donate, collections are being received in the main office

Saturday 30th June 2018 11am to 3pm



come & have some FUN!
eco active
SORK THE TEACHER
ANYONE FOR PIMMS
LUCKY DIP
RAFFLE
TOMBOLA

Millfields
ECO
summer
fair

BOUNCY CASTLE
WATER OR WINE
POT THROWING
BEAUTY CORNER
HENNA
SPIN PAINTING
HOT FOOT, SANDWICHES, HOT DRINKS AND CAKES
Hook a Duck
AND MUCH MUCH MORE!

We will be collecting donations on the week leading up to the fair from Monday 25th June; Books and toys, Clean uniform Items for the tombola, Bottles of wine, Raffle Prizes, Mugs etc.

Date	EY and KS1 (Fridays) (Middle/Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Middle/Top Hall @ 9.10am)	
HALF TERM			
29.06.18	Sheffield (Rosie's Class)	Leeds (Alex's Class)	Dundee (Matthew's Class)
06.07.18	South London (Svetlana's Class)		Oxford (Dorothy's Class)

We will need people to collect the donations on the week leading up to the fair in the mornings and some to help sort it on the Friday. If anyone wants to help please contact Alison on 07710 501479

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week and will do so over the half-term holiday:

- 9th June ~ Suki F, Inayah M
- 10th June ~ Brianna C, Stella D, Sam H & Fiona S
- 11th June ~ Arlo H & Eugenia A
- 12th June ~ Ishmil A, Mya M & Marcella C
- 13th June ~ Johnce P, Umayr H
- 14th June ~ Dammy A, Steven F & Jane B
- 15th June ~ Maariyah M

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

Summer Term 2018

Date	Year Group
Tuesday 19th June	Year 2 Picnic
Tuesday 3rd July	Year 1

Cycling Team



Open Day

Saturday 16th June 10.30am - 3pm

FREE TASTER CLASSES

Baby Massage Film Club

Fashion Upcycling Ballet

Toddler Singsation Breakdancing

Family Meditation ShowKids drama

sign up on the day!

FAMILY CAFE

Tea & Cake available all day
Maya's Rasoi Cafe for a tasty Lunch

CRAFT ACTIVITIES

FUNDRAISING

Any money raised will be split between the Clapton Community Drop In and the Akwaaba refugee centre

FROM THE DESK OF THE NEW PRIME MINISTER

First of all, I'd like to say a massive thank you to everyone who voted for me.

I would also like to thank all the candidates and I am looking forward to working with them in the cabinet. Other people I would like to thank are all the advisors (Izaak in particular) for their excellent guidance to me and all the other candidates. The organisers are another group of people I must thank for making Democracy Week happen.

Finally, I would like to thank all my teachers and friends for supporting me on this journey.

Kit Crane

STARS OF THE WEEK

Key Stage 1



Democracy Week Finale



**Our new Deputy PM
Annie, new PM Kit
and current PM Solly**



**Our New Prime Minister with
Cllr Rathbone and Mayor of
Hackney - Philip Glanville**