

# Millfields Mag

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## MILLFIELDS' LEADER CANDIDATES



What a 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! 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 all also had great fun!

The week started with all of the classes learning about the origins of democracy and children being divided into 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: Suki Fitzwilliam – Rapping Reds, Aranjit Isufi - Orange Energy party, Ashleigh Hunt — Peaceful Power, Ahlaam Sayid — Sky High Blues and Solomon Rigg — Green is Greater party. The manifestos looked great and presented lots of very good ideas and initiatives and 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 at the Round Chapel, speeches were very professional and inspiring. Then yesterday afternoon everyone voted for their new Prime Minister! The turnout was very good and the result was very close! This year we have also elected a Deputy PM who will work very closely with the Prime Minister and other members of the school Cabinet. So: the big announcement, the Deputy prime Minister for the academic year 2017-18 **Suki Fitzwilliams**, and the new Millfields' Prime Minister is **Solomon Rigg** of the Green is Greater party! Huge congratulations to them both! They both gave very emotional acceptance speeches and thanked everyone who voted and their team, as well as all the other candidates. I am really looking forward to working with them both next year. The out-going PM, Aasma Hajat thanked the school community for working with her during her 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) and 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 Megan, Macy, Karmelle, Samantha, Oasis, Aamina, Nancy, Fahima, Fatima, Rose and Ivy. We also had our very own spin doctors – a big thanks to Peter, Ahmed, Yasin and Elvizo. Copies of the newspapers are on the Millfields website. And finally, as I mentioned last week, the Year 4 tennis team took part in a Hackney tournament last Friday. They all tried so hard and played so well that we earned 2nd and 3rd place overall! A fantastic result as the team have only really been playing together this year! Well done and thank you to Elena for managing and training them to be champs! Finally, thank you for all the birthday wishes this week. Have a good weekend. Best, Jane

### Important Dates

**INSET Day**

**Friday 23rd June**

*(school closed to pupils)*

**Sports Week**

**26th—30th June**

**Year 6 Prom**

**Friday 30th June**

**Parents' Evening**

**Weds 5th July**

**Summer Fair**

**Saturday 8th July**

**London Day**

**Tues 18th July**

### Attendance

**Week beg: 5th June**

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 96.4%

Winning classes:

KS1 Manchester (97.5%)

KS2 Swansea & Bristol  
(100%)

**Well done!**

### Tuck Shop

Thank you to

Portsmouth Class for organising the last tuck shop. Amount raised was £72.00

Thank you for all of your support!

### **Reminder:**

**Head Teachers Surgery**

**Tues 20th June 11-12pm**

**School Tours—9:45am**

**Friday 30th June**

**Friday 7th July**



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

- 10th June ~ Lois Birch, Elliott Marsden, Stella Duverneuil, Brianna Carter-Campbell, Sam Hallgarten & Fiona Sigmund
- 11th June ~ Eugenia Aning
- 12th June ~ Mya Macarthy, Ishmil Asim Javid & Marcella Chambers
- 13th June ~ Rose Dhaliwal, Johnce Palata, Umayr Husain, Tazmeena Begum Rob
- 14th June ~ Oluwadamilare Arasokun-Akande, Steven Fisher, Ava Blisset & Jane Betsworth
- 15th June ~ Maariyah Mulla, Sandro Miguel
- 16th June ~ Ashaylah Spence-Lewis, Max Harman, Leon Nguyen, Darius Burducea & Adele Ndoh-Ehade

Many happy returns to you all!

We're pleased to announce that Millfields is introducing a new, more efficient and secure system for reporting your child's absence due to illness, called **Studybugs**.

If you haven't already, please get the free Studybugs app, or register on the Studybugs website, and use it to tell us whenever your child's ill and unable to attend school.

<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>)

#### Top 3 reasons to use Studybugs

1. It's integrated with our systems so we know right away if your child is unaccounted for.
2. It's quick and easy to register and use and automatically reminds you to keep us posted.
3. You'll be helping the NHS and other public health organisations improve children's health

*Thank You!!*

## PSA After-school Tuck Shops Summer 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
Friday 23rd June	Cycle Club
Friday 30th June	Belfast
Friday 7th July	Cardiff
Friday 14th July	Edinburgh



### **Tuesday 27th June**

KS1 - Yr1 and Yr2

### **Wednesday 28th June**

UKS2 -Yr5 and Yr6

### **Thursday 29th June**

Nursery and Children Centre -am

Reception -pm

### **Friday 30th June**

LKS2 -Yr3 and Yr4



## **Make Sun Safety Fun...**



With children spending an average of 1.5 hours a day outside at school, typically during hours when UV rays

are at their strongest, its vital to educate children about the risk that the sun poses and how they can look after their skin.

Meet the Sun Heroes, their mission is to teach children in a fun, interactive way how and when to stay safe whilst outside in the summer months.

Watch them in action here... [https://youtu.be/\\_BKdFdC7S-M](https://youtu.be/_BKdFdC7S-M)

## SHARING ASSEMBLIES Summer Term 2017

Date (Fridays)	EY and KS1 (Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Top Hall @ 9.10am)		
<b>HALF TERM</b>				
22.6.17 <i>*this is a Thursday</i>	South London (Angela's Class)	Leeds (Vicky's Class)		Winchester (Naomi's Class)
30.6.17	Sports Week Assemblies			
7.7.17	North London (Cynthia's Class)	Nottingham (Kelly's Class)	Birmingham (Emma's Class)	
13.7.17 <i>*this is a Thursday</i>		Derby (Rachel's Class)		Sheffield (Kate/Carlie's Class)



## Millfields Tennis Champs



 **Calling parents, students and teachers**



# STOP THE CUTS IN EDUCATION SPENDING



**Saturday 17 June 12-2pm**  
Hackney Community College, Falkirk St N1 6HQ

This is a planning meeting open to all parents, teachers, students and governors to discuss the successes of the Fair Funding For All Schools campaign and to plan future campaigning activities

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## OCEAN MATHS



Parents, Your children need you!

Calling Derby class parents and carers....

**Thursday 22nd June**  
9:00am in the bottom hall.

Calling Nottingham class parents and carers....

**Friday 30th June**  
9:00am in the bottom hall.

# STARS OF THE WEEK



## Key Stage 2

