

Millfields Mag

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A Great Week at Millfields!

Dear parents and carers,

Another beautiful week at Millfields! The children are now fully settled into their learning routines. A warm thank you to all our Year 3, 4, and 5 parents and carers who attended our Welcome Parent Meetings this week. It was wonderful to see so many of you and share the learning journey planned for the year ahead.

Important Reminders & School Safety

- **Home Pick-Up Procedure:** To ensure every child remains safe, staff can only release pupils to individuals listed on your authorised collection form. If an emergency arises and an unauthorised adult needs to pick up your child, please email the school office by 12:00 PM (midday) with their name so this information can be passed to the class teacher.
- **Nut-Free School Policy:** Following up on information shared previously, please ensure children do not bring snacks containing nuts into school. In compliance with Benedict's Law, we have tightened our safety policies to protect all pupils with allergies.

Google Classroom Update: Google Classroom is unfortunately not yet operational. We are working closely with our IT provider, Turn It On, to resolve the issue and expect the platform to be back up and running by Monday. We thank you for your support and patience.

In assemblies this week, pupils learned about the International Day of Democracy, celebrated annually on September 15th. Children reflected on how democracy starts with small actions: listening to others, respecting different opinions, being fair, and speaking up when something isn't right.

We also proudly introduced our new Pupil Prime Minister and his cabinet: Ida, Clara, Sukhmani, Janet, Khloe, Ava, Eva, Milo, Arlo, and Jude.

Class Language Champions from Years 1 through 6 held their first meeting this week, practising simple words and phrases in German to share with their peers. Throughout the year, champions will learn a new language each month, including Turkish, Somali, Portuguese, Lingala, and Gujarati, celebrating the rich language diversity at Millfields.

Congratulations to our Key Stage 2 Reading Champions, who completed their first duty inspecting our school reading corners. If you have any gently used books at home to donate to our class libraries, please send them in with your child.

Finally, thank you to all the Year 1 and 2 parents who joined us for reading this morning; this reading session is open to parents every Friday.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend, and see you back on Monday!

Anna

Important Dates

Friday 25th September

TTRS Dress Up Day

Thursday 1st October

National Poetry Day

Thursday 8th October

EY & Yrs 1-3 Photo Day

Friday 9th October

EY & Yrs 1-3 Photo Day

Friday 16th October

Racism Red Card Dress Up Day

WORD OF THE WEEK MAGNANIMOUS

First Recorded Use: 1500s

Adjective

Meaning: Generous, kind, and forgiving

Eg: Even though he was disappointed to lose the school sports day sprint, Arthur was magnanimous in defeat, shaking the winner's hand and congratulating him with a genuine smile.



Magnanimous has a direct, secret cousin in the English language that means the exact opposite. While a magnanimous person is "great-souled" (magnus + animus), someone who is petty, cowardly, or small-minded is described as pusillanimous!

Tuck Shop

Don't forget to stop by today and buy some yummy allergy aware treats!



Thank you everyone for all your support!

Fun Fact Friday!

A single cloud typically weighs around a million tonnes





Happy Birthday to all the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays over the last week:

13th Sept ~ Alisha A & Eleri C,
 15th Sept ~ Ella B, Ernest D, Stanley D, Anthony M, Roger M & Vanessa S
 16th Sept ~ Gabriel B, Kimball M & Orlando R
 17th Sept ~ Arlo B, Yanagi H & Rehana B

Many Happy Returns
 to you ALL!



SCHOOL TOURS

DISCOVER OUR SCHOOL.
 IMAGINE THEIR FUTURE.

-  **SEE OUR COMMUNITY**
Warm, welcoming and inclusive.
-  **EXPLORE OUR LEARNING**
Engaging programs for every learner.
-  **SUPPORT THEIR GROWTH**
Nurturing confidence and potential.



TOUR TODAY.
 SEE WHAT MAKES
 OUR SCHOOL SPECIAL.

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST:

[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/HEN48ZACTPFBFQ538](https://forms.gle/HEN48ZACTPFBFQ538)

(LINK TO GOOGLE FORM)

PSA AFTER SCHOOL

Tuck Shops — Autumn 2026

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 and comply with the school policy on allergies

DATE	CLASS
Friday 25 th Sept	Fuji (Yr 3)
Friday 2 nd Oct	Douro (Yr2)
Friday 9 th Oct	Olympus (Yr 1)
Friday 16 th Oct	Shannon (Rec)
Friday 23 rd Oct	Orinoco (Yr 6)
HALF TERM	
Friday 6 th Nov	Acatenango (Yr 5)
Friday 13 th Nov	Ganges (Yr 4)
Friday 20 th Nov	Ararat (Yr 3)
Friday 27 th Nov	Zambezi (Yr 2)
Friday 4 th Dec	All Classes (Winter Fair)
Friday 11 th Dec	Karisimbi (Yr 1)
Friday 18 th Dec	Trent (Rec)

School Fundraising

Turn your daily shopping into everyday magic for us with easyfundraising

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JOHN LEWIS



Viking

ASOS

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Uber Eats

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

ROCK DAY
COMING SOON

ON **FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER**

DRESS UP AS A ROCK STAR AND ROCK ON!



SHARING ASSEMBLIES Autumn Term 2026

Date	Bottom Hall @ 9:10am	Middle Hall @ 9:10am	Top Hall @ 9:10am
Friday 02/10/2026	Orinocos Class (Y6 - Hizza)		Mississippi Class (Y6 - Leigh)
Friday 09/10/2026	Ganges Class (Y4 - Will)		Yangtze Class (Y4 - Ella)
Friday 16/10/2026	Mekong Class (Yr4 - Bruno)		Yukon Class (Y6 - Theo)
Friday 23/10/2026	Annapurna Class (Y3 - Jess)		Acatenango Class (Y5 - Claire)

HALF TERM

Friday 06/11/26			Shenandoah Class (Y5 - Hurvinder)
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Children In Need

Friday 13/11/26			
Friday 20/11/26	Fuji Class (Y3 - Tom)		Fitz Roy Class (Y5 - Naomi)
Friday 27/11/26			Ararat Class (Y3 - Feryal)

Week Beg: 07/12/26

Year 1 Nativity Performances

Tuesday 8th Dec: Karisimbi - Middle Hall
Wednesday 9th Dec: Kilimanjaro, - Middle Hall
Thursday 10th Dec: Olympus - Middle Hall

Week Beg: 07/12/26

FS, KS1, LKS2 and UKS2 Winter Concerts

Monday 15th Dec: EYFS
Tuesday 15th Dec: Y4 & Y5, Wednesday 16th Dec: Y2 & Y6
Thursday 17th Dec: Y1 & Y3

END OF TERM



MESSAGE PSA

From the

Welcome back!

The summer already feels like a lifetime ago and Christmas is only 97 days away! But the good news is that between now and then we have discos, a wine & cheese evening, and the winter fair! Plus the launch of the new playground designs. So lots to look forward to.

We really need lots of people to get involved and make it all happen, so don't be shy.

If you aren't on the WhatsApp community already, join it here

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/CVAqmv4iel2K6NUp7Q5YrS>

We also have a uniform swap shop here:
<https://chat.whatsapp.com/K6VR6NM1xj0FXISMos2wd5?mode=ghost>

There are 6 of us on the PSA committee, it's loads of fun, and we are looking for more people to join us - it doesn't have to be a second job. Come and chat to us, we are usually hanging around the main gates most mornings, especially on Fridays after drop off.

Watch this space space for a round up of what you helped fund last year (we are just getting the figures together)

WHO WILL BE OUR

TIMETABLES ROCKSTARS

WHOLE SCHOOL COMPETITION



RUNS FROM
THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER
TO SUNDAY 27TH

LET'S
ROCK
IT!



PRACTISE
YOUR TIMES TABLES

EARN
POINTS FOR YOUR
CLASS & YEAR GROUP

CLIMB
THE LEADERBOARD

BEAT
THE OTHER CLASSES
AND YEAR GROUPS!

WHAT'S ON IN THE COMMUNITY



CARDINAL POLE
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

OPEN EVENING

TUES 22ND SEPT | 4PM - 7PM



CLICK TO
REGISTER
YOUR
INTEREST

JOIN US FOR OUR LIVE TOURS

EVERYDAY FROM MON 28TH SEPT - FRI 9TH OCT | ARRIVE BY 9:15AM



@CARDINALPOLERC



FOREST
SCHOOL

Forest School is delighted to invite parents and pupils to visit the school on **Saturday 19 September at 8.30 am-12.30 pm**. This is a whole school event where we will give visitors a flavour of the breadth and depth of the opportunities available to pupils at Forest School. Open Morning is an exciting opportunity for families to see the whole School in action. Our pupils, led by staff and specialists, will be busy in classrooms, at drama rehearsals, playing sport or performing in musical ensembles. Both Preparatory School and Senior School teaching staff will be available for informal discussion.

Please note the last tour will set off at 11.45 am. More details will be available soon – we are finalising details to ensure this is a truly unforgettable day and the first step on your journey to Forest!

[Book your place](#)

How to get here:

Forest School is situated in a beautiful location on the edge of Epping Forest. We are close to London and local amenities and very secluded by the ancient trees that surround us. Our location has excellent public transport links but, being so green, has extremely limited parking. The area around the School is zoned for resident parking only and therefore we strongly encourage visitors to use public transport to reach us: [Here is guidance from our website on how to get to us via public transport.](#)



ALL SAINTS
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Shaping Tomorrow, Inspired by Faith



JOIN US AT OUR OPEN EVENTS

Open Evening

WEDNESDAY, 30 SEPTEMBER 2026, 16:30 - 19:30

6-16 AMHURST PARK, LONDON, HACKNEY, N16 5AF

OPEN MORNINGS

2ND - 9TH OCTOBER
9:30 - 10:30

OPEN SATURDAY

3RD OCTOBER,
10:00 - 12:00

REGISTER VIA OUR
WEBSITE OR SCAN
THE QR CODE



ALLSAINTSCHS.CO.UK

Term Dates Current Year

September 2026							October 2026							November 2026							December 2026							Key
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	School Holiday
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	Bank Holidays
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Next Year

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SOON