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We Wish You A Merry Christmas!



Firstly, a huge 'thank you' to the whole school community who have been collecting food donations in their class and staffroom for 'Reverse Advent' calendars since the beginning of December. We have managed to fill an amazing 120 rucksacks with basic food and toiletries, and put together more than 25 food hampers. The rucksacks were distributed to several homeless shelters and some of the Choir and School Council members gave a few out on the streets of London yesterday. We have also collected nearly £400 for the Clapton Community Drop-in Centre and today raised around £200 for 'Save the Children'. We also collected enough money after the concerts in St James Church to make a donation of £150 and buy them a new cooker! Thank you so much for your generosity, especially at this time of year and for your continued support.

The choir have been bringing festive cheer to lots of less fortunate and vulnerable groups this week as they visited St Joseph's Hospice, Acorn Lodge, Notre Dame Refugee Centre and Homerton Hospital. Thank you to Roz and the amazing music team –Tom, Simeon, Lawrence, Jon, James, Maria and Jack, who have been relentless in their musical adventures over the last few weeks!

We have had a great week celebrating at Millfields. On Monday, each class enjoyed the school pantomime to celebrate the end of term; then on Tuesday, all the children were busy making hats to wear to while eating their special Christmas Lunch. As always, the kitchen team managed to feed more than 850 of us! A great effort –thank you Leea and her team for all the hard work. Wednesday saw the start of the "Daily Mile"—each class did exercise to collectively run a mile. This will start in earnest in the New Year. Yesterday was London Day – a day when all the children go out to visit a museum or gallery in London to find out more about our amazing city! Reception enjoyed a day out at the Olympic Park. Year 1 visited the Museum of Childhood in Bethnal Green. Hepworth and Riley went to explore HMS Belfast and Brown Class went to William Morris gallery. Year 3 had fun at the Victoria and Albert Museum and Year 4 visited the National Maritime Museum in Greenwich. Year 5 went to the Museum of London at Docklands and 2 Year 6 classes visited The Churchill War Rooms, while Hawking class went to the Imperial War museum. They all enjoyed their day out and had lots of stories to tell me on their return. Finally, this is the last Mag of the calendar year, so if I do not see you, I hope that you have a restful holiday and enjoy Christmas if you celebrate. Just a reminder that school starts back for children on Monday the 7th January 2019. Best Wishes, Jane

Important Dates

First day of Spring term

Monday 7th January

Creative Week

21st –25th January

Hispanic Week

11th –15th February

iDiscover Week

4th 8th March

World Book Day

Thursday 7th March

Y5 Residential trip

13th-15th March

Attendance

Week beg: 10th Dec

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 94.7 %

Winning classes:

KS1 Lowry (98.6%)

KS2 Jones (98.3%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Whiteread Class for organising the tuck shop last week.

Amount raised was an amazing £66.30!

Thank you for all of your support!

Reminder:
Head Teachers Surgery
Starting again in January

School Tours

Fri 11th Jan 09:45am

Fri 8th Feb 09:45am

The date for the next series of Operation Ouch will start with the first episode going out on CBBC at 17:30 on Wednesday 02 January 2019.

Millfields will be in episode 3 which will be going out on Wednesday 16th January 2019 at 17:30. Don't Miss It!!



Carols at The Pond

This Saturday, Dec 15th at 4pm.

Organised in partnership with Reverend Rosemia Brown and St James Church



CYCLING TEAM NEWS

Last Friday was time for race 3 in the Hackney school's cycling league, this time years 4&5 indoor roller racing. A noisy and speedy sprint over a distance of 250 meters, the Millfields riders had to be patient to wait for their turn, but all raced brilliantly, winning all 4 races and building a huge points score. On the day, 87 boys and girls from different schools took part, and the fastest rider out of them all was....our very own Connice! Well done everyone!



PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Spring 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 11th Jan	Hepworth
Friday 18th Jan	Riley
Friday 25th Jan	Brown
Friday 1st Feb	Berners-Lee
Friday 8th Feb	Baylis
Friday 15th Feb	Macintosh
HALF TERM	
Friday 1st Mar	Jones
Friday 8th Mar	Lovelace
Friday 15th Mar	Dunlop
Friday 22nd Mar	Year 5
Friday 29th Mar	Year 6
Friday 5th April	Cooke



Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week and will do so over the Christmas break:

15th Dec ~ Samar B
 16th Dec ~ Connie T
 19th Dec ~ Millie W
 20th Dec ~ Uma N, Farhaan H, Glen T & Steffi A
 21st Dec ~ Yaameen U, Diarmuid R, & Amaanah R,
 22nd Dec ~ Lakhdeep S, Eesa M & Ifeoma U
 23rd Dec ~ Metin A & Loza T
 24th Dec ~ Esther C, Sofia C & Aydin G
 25th Dec ~ Tina B & Jesus C
 26th Dec ~ Henry S
 27th Dec ~ Safira A, Zaina H & Sarah F
 28th Dec ~ Persius G
 30th Dec ~ Zamzam A, Buki O & Sharon K
 31st Dec ~ Tia-Elise A & Thomas L
 1st Jan ~ Mehmet A & Sheyenne W
 2nd Jan ~ Otilie D, Leondre H & Darren M
 4th Jan ~ Maryanne A & Oluwatobiloba S
 5th Jan ~ Seyma K, Orla M & Mia M
 6th Jan ~ Nikolas K & Daniyal M
 7th Jan ~ Vidhi P

...Christmas Ticklers...

Q: Why is it always cold at Christmas?

A: Because it's in Decemberrrrrr

Q: What do Spanish sheep say to each other at Christmas?

A: Fleece Navidad to ewe

Q: Who hides in the bakery during Christmas?

A: A mince spy

Q: Why are Christmas trees like bad knitters?

A: They both drop needles

Many happy returns to you all!

SHARING ASSEMBLIES - SPRING TERM 2019

Date (Friday)	EY and KS1 (Bottom Hall @ 9.00am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Top Hall @ 9.00am)		
25/01/2018	Creative Week			
01/02/2019	Potter (Cynthia's Class)		Macintosh (Jess's Class)	
08/02/2019		Hepworth (Fiona's Class)		Anning (Sheyenne's Class)
15/02/2019	Rosen (Bruno's Class)		Dunlop (Clara's Class)	
HALF TERM				
01/03/2019	Cooke (Kamilah's Class)			Turing (Fintan's Class)
08/03/2019	iDiscover Week			
15/03/2019		Brown (Alex's Class)	Berners-Lee (Emma's Class)	
22/03/2019	Hutchins (Rana's Class)			Hawking (Matthew's Class)
29/03/2019		Riley (Ashraf's Class)	Jones (Naomi's Class)	
05/04/2019	Bond (Joy's Class)			Faraday (Sumon/Keli's Class)



Millfields December Review



Lower Key Stage 2

Upper Key Stage 2