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Walking Like Egyptians in Year 4



Another busy week of learning and enrichment at Millfields! Year 4 were amazed at some of the interesting and unusual facts that they learnt at the interactive Egyptian workshops on Wednesday. The children enjoyed dressing up and looking at artefacts. Year 1 had a great time finding out about dinosaurs in the Dinosaur Dome that visited school this week. They found out lots of facts and learnt the names of dinosaurs as well as looking at clues about how dinosaurs lived. Year 2 took off in to space inside the Space Dome that was also in school this week. The children were very excited and enjoyed learning lots of facts about space and the night sky! Also this week, the children from our Autistic Resource Provision visited the London Transport Museum as part of their work on moving things and transport. The children told me that they had great fun going on the different vehicles and are doing lots of work based on what they saw on their trip. Please ask your children about their learning experiences in school.

On Monday, 120 Year 5 and 6 children visited the Royal Opera House to see the 'The Magic Flute'. One of our own students, Ilya Greatrex was part of the performance and Millfields children and staff all said that they were very excited and proud that Ilya was part of the performance and they also said he was brilliant! Well done Ilya!

In assemblies this week we have been learning about Harvest, it's significance and the Harvest traditions at this time of the year. We are collecting food donations for the Hackney Food Bank so please bring your donations to the main reception –we are collecting until next Wednesday.

Well done to our Year 5 and 6 Orienteering Team – Hugh, Milton, Kaspar, Solomon, Suki, Aoife, Frey, Exauce, Louis, Joseph, Aa'sim and Hamza. The whole team scored really well and after one out of eight events taking place amongst Hackney schools over the next academic year, we hold the top 7 spots, with Louis and Hugh in joint place at the top of the table with 100 points each! Congratulations and keep it up! I am sure that you will know by now, that 'Beat the Street' was launched on Wednesday! Congratulations to the winners of our in-school poster competition –Chieyiem, Isobel, Molly, Liam White, Evy, Indie and Janiayah who took part in the official launch at the Orbit in QEOP. Well done and thank you to all the children who designed posters and entered the competition. The standard was very high with some very imaginative designs and ideas! If you have not yet registered, please do it as soon as you can and get involved with the individual and school challenge!

The newly elected Junior Road Safety officers, Viggo and Leila, went to the Hackney Museum yesterday to learn more about their role for the coming year and how to encourage and support our school community in crossing the road safely. As part of our drive to ensure that the children are able to cross the road safely and that all our parents and carers keep the children safe at the start and end of the school day, there is a consultation drop-in session at the school on Thursday 28th September at 3.45pm. It will outline plans to temporarily close roads around the school entrance. Please try to drop in if you can!

Next week is 'Maths Week' at Millfields. The children will all be working on individual and class projects about the magic of numbers! There are workshops planned for parents and carers in each age-phase, - please see dates inside mag and sign up at the main office. To round off the week of celebration of Maths, Friday 29th September is non-uniform day when we are asking children to dress up as Maths Magicians!

There is also a Maths raffle where you can win Maths Books, Maths dictionaries, pencil sets and Maths games. It is 50p a ticket all next week –the winning tickets will be drawn on Friday afternoon!

Finally, please ensure that you let the main office know if you change your phone number and also make sure that you have a second number that we can call. Also, from after half term, the Mag is going to be sent via email only, so please ensure that you have given the office a current and working email address. Have a good weekend. Best Wishes, Jane

Important Dates

Maths Week

25th—29th September

No Pens Day

Wednesday 4th October

Local Democracy Week

9th—13th October

Diversity Week

16th—20th October

Half Term

23rd—27th October

Attendance

Week beg: 6th Sep

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 97.4%

Winning classes:

KS1 Liverpool (100%)

KS2 Swansea (100%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to

Nottingham Class for
organising last week's

tuck shop. Amount
raised was £104.85!

Thank you for all of your
support!

Reminder:

Head Teachers Surgery

Weds 27th 10am-11am

Tues 3rd Oct - 2—3pm

School Tours

Fri 29th Sept 09:45am

Fri 13th Oct 09:45am

WEBSITE OF THE WEEK:

<https://beatthestreet.me/eastlondon>

PSA AGM:

Friday 20th October —9:10am Staff Room

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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

- 16th September ~ Angelika Haralambaci, Anno Rettler & Alla Trusele
- 17th September ~ Rehana Budi, Mary Marcel & Joanne Bohan
- 18th September ~ Angela Kelly
- 19th September ~ Dorothy Ofori
- 20th September ~ Reuben Conceicao, Sadie Milton, Elijah-Marie King & Rohan Hooper-Stewart
- 21st September ~ Connice Pilgrim & William Myles
- 22nd September ~ Wren Riley & Maria Chatzipoliou

Many happy returns to you all!

REMINDER:

NON UNIFORM DAY—FRIDAY

Dress as a maths magician for a £1.00 donation!



FAMILY CRAFT
at the Round Chapel Old School Rooms
Join our monthly slow craft group (with a 'craftivism' twist)

CROSS STITCH
WHEN? LAST THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH, 5.30-7PM. (DATES MAY VARY IN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS)

KNITTING

CROCHET

WHERE? ROUND CHAPEL NURSERY, CANAL, ROUND CHAPEL OLD SCHOOL ROOMS, 1 POWERSHOUT ROAD, ES, ORS
WHO? THIS IS A FAMILY DROP-IN, GEARED AT ADULTS WITH CHILDREN OVER THE AGE OF 6
HOW MUCH? £2 DONATION PER PARTICIPANT FOR MATERIAL COSTS
BOOK YOUR SPACES! EMAIL FI (FAMILIES OUTREACH WORKERS) TO CONFIRM YOUR PLACE.
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ROUND CHAPEL
Facilities Manager

From the desk of the Deputy Prime Minister...

Hello Everyone! Do you remember me? Suki, the deputy PM. My aim this year is to help Solly come up with ideas that will change our school! I can't wait to get started. Suki.

SHARING ASSEMBLIES - AUTUMN TERM 2017

Date (Friday)	EY and KS1 (Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Top Hall @ 9.10am)
29/09/17		Birmingham (Emma's Class)
06/10/17	Nottingham (Bruno's Class)	Swansea (Alex's Class)
13/10/17		Portsmouth (Alice's Class)
20/10/17	Derby (Rachel's Class)	Dundee (Matthew's Class)
HALF TERM		
03/11/17	Edinburgh (Rana's Class)	Winchester (Naomi's Class)
10/11/17		Manchester (Ashraf's Class)
17/11/17	North London (Teague's Class)	Oxford (Dorothy's Class)
24/11/17		York (Angela's Class)
01/12/17	Cardiff (Joy's Class)	Canterbury (Blaithin's Class)
Week Beginning 04/12/17	Year 2 Nativity Performances	
Week Beginning 11/12/17	Winter Concerts	

PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Autumn 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 29th Sept	Sheffield
Friday 6th Oct	Oxford
Friday 13th Oct	Birmingham
Friday 20th Oct	Portsmouth
HALF TERM	
Friday 3rd Nov	Canterbury
Friday 10th Nov	Winchester
Friday 17th Nov	Year 5
Friday 24th Nov	Year 6
Friday 1st Dec	Belfast
Friday 8th Dec	Cardiff
Friday 15th Dec	Edinburgh
Thursday 21st Dec	Cycle Club

PARENT/CARER WORKSHOPS - supporting your child at home		
Autumn Term 2017		
Date	Workshop	Staff Lead
26/09/2017	Maths in Y5 and Y6 (9:30am)	Keli Tawiah & Matthew Otto
27/09/2017	Maths in Y1 and Y2 (9:30am)	Keli Tawiah & Matthew Otto
28/09/2017	Maths in Y3 and Y4 (9:30am)	Keli Tawiah & Matthew Otto
05/10/2017	Early Reading in Reception (9:30am)	Rana Mazrani
12/10/2017	Cookery Session - Healthy Eating (2:00pm)	Leea Williams & team
HALF TERM		
01/11/2017	Y1 and Y2 phonics and spelling (9:30am)	Debi Cookhorn and Vicki Wood
08/11/2017	Cookery Session - Healthy Eating (6:00pm)	Leea Williams & team
22/11/2017	Spelling in KS2	Debi Cookhorn

'More in Common'
A Celebration of Community

SATURDAY 30TH SEPT

Community Cafe & Families Open Day 10.30AM TIL 3.30PM

FREE Family/Children's Taster Sessions ALL DAY

- *Baby Yoga * Singing *
- *Ballet *Breakdance*
- *African Drumming*

Tea & Delicious Cake
Craft with Hackney Mosaic & Crafty Ladeez

Sign up on the day & check session times at www.facebook.com/roundchapelamilies

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Thursday, 14th September 2017

Dear Millfields Community School

We are writing to thank you for your very kind and generous donation of **£1,510.57** for our families affected by the Grenfell Tower fire.

Your support and generosity at this time is greatly appreciated by our families and wider school community. Because of your kindness we will be able to directly support our seven families who were living in the Tower as well as some families living in the immediate vicinity.

In a time of such tragedy, we would like you to know how uplifting to our school family your generosity and thoughtfulness has been.

We can assure you that the money you have donated is going directly to help the families rebuild their lives. So far we have helped by providing cash, clothing, resources and access to immediate appropriate therapeutic support.

Please be assured of heartfelt gratitude and know that your school community are in our thoughts and prayers.

With best wishes

From the St Francis of Assisi School Community



The PSA would like to welcome you by coming to join our Coffee morning between 9:00am and 10:00am in the staff room. Not only can you find out a bit more about what the PSA does, but you can raise money for a great cause by eating cake!! It really doesn't get any better than that. *See you there!*



HELP PLEASE!

This is a shout-out for any 'home corner' equipment for our Early Years Foundation Stage classes. If you have any unwanted toys or items at home that you would like to re-house, then they would be gratefully received here at Millfields; cookers, pots and pans, even the kitchen sink!

Thank you!

STARS OF THE WEEK

