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Millfields Holding Out for A Hero!



This week we have been thinking and learning more about how to stay safe when crossing the street and when scooting or cycling on the roads, as part of Road Safety week and the school's ongoing support for the initiatives 'Walk to School' and 'Safer Streets' scheme. Hopefully you will have seen via the email link we sent earlier this week that Millfields was part of the BBC Newsround report on National Road Safety week. Thank you to Vicky, our eco-champions and road safety officers who worked on the film and interviews that were shown. The final piece was cut shorter than our original report so we will put the longer version up on the school website. This way, all those involved that did not make the final cut, can be celebrated and congratulated on their roles.

Today the whole school community dressed up as Road Safety Super Heroes and dazzled in their bright and luminous colours, and brilliant cloaks and masks. Thank you to children, staff and the community for all your support!

It has been a busy week for parents and staff this week as we welcomed parents and carers to the Parent consultation meetings on Wednesday. This year, our termly questionnaire where we ask for feedback and constructive ideas for moving the school forward and supporting the children, was sent via email and there is a link on the school website. Thank you to those who have already completed it, but please be reminded that the survey closes at the end of today. Please make sure you have your voice heard and have a look now. We will let you know the headlines in the coming weeks and will do our best to respond to any comments or issues that you have raised.

Thank you to the parents who came to eat lunch with their children in Year 3 this week. You should have noticed that our menu is changing as we are working with the 'Chefs in schools' programme to diversify choice and introduce new dishes to the children. We will be looking at all classes taking part in cooking lessons with our catering team over the school year. Thank you also to the parents who came to the Y5 and Y6 Spelling work-shop –the feedback suggests that you found it very useful. And today we have lots of you visiting the maths lessons on Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y4. The final sessions for these year groups for this term are next Friday – please sign up at the main reception as there are limited spaces. Thank you also to Bond and Lovelace classes for their class sharing assemblies that took place this morning. Please note that these assemblies now start at 9am.

Finally a huge thank you to the parents who have been opening the book fair every morning and evening over the last week! Even though it has been very cold, you have still been there selling books to help the school! Thank you Emily for organising everyone! Finally, there will be lots of exciting events happening over the next few weeks, so please look out for confirmation of all the dates and times via all of the school communication channels – website, text, marvellous me or email.

Have a good weekend. Best Wishes, Jane.



Important Dates

Y2 Nativity Shows 4th,5th 10th December Christmas Fair Friday 7th December Pantomime Monday 17th December Christmas Lunch Weds 19th December London Day Thursday 20th December

<u>Attendance</u> <u>Week beg: 12th Nov</u>

Our school target: 96.5% Last week: 94.7% Winning classes: KS1 Lowry (96.6%) KS2 Newton (98.9%) *Well done!*

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Cooke Class for organising last week's tuck shop. Amount raised was an amazing £80.45! Thank you for all of your support!

Reminder: Head Teachers Surgery Thurs 29th Nov 2 - 3pm Thurs 13th Dec 9 - 0am

School Tours Fri 7th Dec 09:45am Fri 14th Dec 09:45am

'Come Dine with Us'

This term, we are offering parents with children in Reception, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4, the opportunity to have lunch with their child.

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.

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Adult meal without dessert = £3.00					
Autumn Term 2018					
	Year Group				
	Year 4				
SHARING ASSEMBLIES - AUTUMN TERM 2018					
Date (Friday)	EY and KS1 (Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)		LKS2 and UKS2 (Top Hall @ 9.10am)		
30/11/18		Whiteread		Curie	
		(Angela's Class)		(Kingsley's Class)	

Y2 Nativity



at St James Church 10.30am and 2pm each day Monday 3rd December

-Riley Class **Tuesday 4th December** -Brown Class **Monday 10th December** -Hepworth Class



PSA BOOKFAIR TOTAL...

The book fair made a whopping £2,299.65! Which, with 60% commission, means £1379.79 going directly to restocking the school library.

Thank you to everyone who bought books!!

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

17th Nov ~	Lara S, Honor W & Vickie W
18th Nov ~	Momorie K, Zephyr T & Theo H
19th Nov ~	Ofili P & Jess J
20th Nov ~	Jimmie B, Paula W & Vicky N
21st Nov ~	Orianna T, Fatou C, Khadija R
	& Jonathan M
22nd Nov ~	Jatin T
23rd Nov ~	Kit C

Many happy returns to you all!



PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Autumn 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 30th Nov	Hutchins	
Friday 7th Dec	Lowry	
Friday 14th Dec	Whiteread	
Friday 21st Dec	Tarrant	

WINTER CONCERTS

<u>Thursday 6th December</u> – School *Early Years Sharing Concert* 9:30am or 2:00pm (Rosen, Potter, Hutchins, Bond, Cooke) <u>Tuesday 11th December</u> – St James Church *Y5 and Yr6 Sharing Concert* 11:15am or 2:00pm (Curie, Faraday, Newton, Anning, Hawking, Turing) <u>Wednesday 12th December</u> – St James Church *Yr3 and Yr4 Sharing Concert* 11:15am or 2:00pm (Berners-Lee, Mackintosh, Baylis, Dunlop, Jones, Lovelace) <u>Thursday 13th December</u> – St James Church

Yr1 & Yr2 Sharing Concert 10:45am or 2:00pm (Lowry, Whiteread, Tarrant, Riley, Hepworth, Brown)

<u>Tuesday 18th December –St James Church 6:30pm</u> Choir and instrumentalists Refreshments on sale







Come and join HMDT Music's Saturday Programme

If your child is interested in singing, dancing or learning to play an instrument, we have something for the whole family!

Places are still available for the Spring Term so apply now to avoid Disappointment!

- Music Box (6 months to 4 years old) with Guest Musicians
- Fledglings (Singing and Movement for Reception)
- I Can Sing! Music Theatre (Singing, Dancing, Drama, Stagecraft - Years 1-6)
- CYMH Instrumental Programme (Years 1+)
- Music Treehouse SEN/D Programme (Early Years, Primary and Secondary School)

The Saturday Programme takes place during term time at Haggerston School in Hackney, E2. Visit our website at www.hmdt.org.uk, or call us on 020 8882 8825 to find out more and book your place!

You can also find us on Twitter, Facebook, Vimeo & Instagram, where you can get a good idea of what happens each week.

