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VIVA ESPAÑA AND BRAZIL, ARGENTINA, CHILE, PERU...)



What a brilliant finale for Hispanic week today -it was great to see the amazing effort that so many children (and parents), and staff have made to dress up to celebrate Spanish diversity! Well done to the best in each class and to the staff winners -Bruno (York Class) and Matthew (Dundee Class). Thank you also to all the parents and some of our pupils who gave up their time to talk to classes about different Spanish-speaking countries around the world! As part of our celebration, all the classes have tried some Spanish cooking and have been singing

Spanish songs. Yesterday, all the classes were treated to a Flamenco Dancing Performance. The pupils in Year 6 also visited a Mexican restaurant in Stratford and learnt how to make quesadilla. Also, there is still time to buy your Raffle ticket -see the main office! Gracias Belen for organising everything this week!

Well done to Millfields Year 4 tennis team who took part in the Hackney tournament last Friday and who are visiting the National Tennis Centre at Roehampton today with hopefully the chance to see some top stars practising and have a hit on the famous clay courts! Thank you to Elene (India's mum) for organising and to Guy (Bertie's dad) and Monique (Joel's mum) for their support and help!

Thank you to all the Year 6 parents who attended the residential trip meetings this week. Here's hoping that the weather stays fine and that the children have a great time during the week beginning 5th June. There will be daily updates on the school website.

Also coming up in the next half term is 'Democracy Week' and 'Sports Week' -please look at the website and newsletter for more details in the coming weeks. Dates for Sports Days are already on the website and inside this week's Mag.

On a more sombre note, the children at Millfields proudly shared their thoughts and prayers with the victims of the terrible events in Manchester earlier this week. We marked the national minute's silence yesterday at 11am. In assemblies and in class, staff have sensitively and appropriately spoken with the children and have advised the children to speak to you as parents, if they have worries or concerns. The PSHE Association have produced some guidance that we have shared with all staff, that is designed to help teachers and parents answer questions, structure discussion and, if appropriate, extend children's learning and understanding. See link here: https://www.pshe-association.org.uk/curriculum-andresources/resources/discussing-terrorist-attack-children-primary

Finally, I hope that you will be able to join us for the 'Stop the Cuts' picnic in Millfields Park after school today. There will be lots of food and drink, face-painting, games and activities, as well as speakers, banner-making, dancing, singing and a pupil and parents' rally.

Thank you to all the families for your support as usual this term. I hope you have a good rest and an break with family and friends.

Happy Half term! Best Wishes, Jane

Important Dates

Half Term

29th May—2nd June

Year 6 Residential

5th -9th June

Democracy Week

12th 16th June

INSET Day

Friday 23rd June

(school closed to pupils) **Sports Week**

26th—30th June

Attendance

Week beg: 15th May

Our school target: 96.5% Last week: 97.1% Winning classes: KS1 York (99%) KS2 Oxford (98.7%) Well done!

School Disco

The disco last Friday went really well and raised a total of £431.51. Huge thanks to all who attended and helped out!!

Reminder: **Head Teachers Surgery**

Weds 7th June 11-12 Fri 16th June 2-3 School Tours—9:45am Friday 9th June Friday 30th June



Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week and will do so over the half term holiday:

20th May ~ Aliyat Olasupo

21st May ~ Ameera Syeda, Mustafa Yusuf & Mehmet Soylu

22nd May ~ Asher Duckworth

23rd May ~ Mansor Mansor, Aira Hussain & Simone Walker

24th May ~ Sheikh Miah, Carvalli Thompson

26th May ~ Keisha Mudambana, Sienna May McKenzie Breary **Taijah Stewart**

27th May ~ Macy Gupta, Rayhan Khan, Steve Webster & Roz Wilson

28th May ~ Zahrah Patel

Abdullah Solak, Huxley Wilson, Eli Gemgunal 29th May ~

30th May ~ **Jennifer Peart**

Aahil Rahman, Maria Macarthy & Isabelle Ouffoue 31st May ~

1st Jun ~ Jacqui Headley

2nd Jun ~ Ethan Creary-Bennett, Sonny Dhaliwal, Amrit Kaur

& Sugra Isrolia

Many happy returns to you all!



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	
HALF	TERM	
Friday 9th June	Portsmouth	
Friday 16th June	Year 5	
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

IKS2 -Yr3 and Yr4



Message from the Prime Minister

Hello Millfields,

As you probably know, we have an election coming up in our country and Democracy Week at Millfields ís approaching. Democracy is really important because it gives people a chance to have their say. Make sure you encourage your parents to vote on election day.

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	<u>.</u>	SHARING ASSEMBLIES Summer Term 201			
Date (Fridays)	EY and KS1 (Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)		LKS2 and UKS2 (Top Hall @ 9.10am)		
HALF TERM					
9.6.17	Belfast (Teague's Class)	York (Bruno's Class)	Portsmouth (Alice's Class)		
16.6.17	Democracy Week Assemblies				
22.6.17 *this is a Thursday	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 *this is a Thursday		Derby (Rachel's Class)		Sheffield (Kate/Carlie's Class)	



















Workshop

A free Maths Workshop with a



Maths expert!

Look out for dates soon!

A free toy for children of attending parents!







Everyone can help their children learn maths. Just come along to the workshop and join in the activities and maths games with your children.

Free tea and cake after the workshops.

Stay and use the chance to talk about your children learning maths.

Parents, Your children need you!





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Calling Leeds class parents and carers....

9:00am in the bottom hall.
Calling Derby class parents and carers....

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

Calling Nottingham class parents and carers....

Friday 30th June
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STARS OF THE WEEK











