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Millfields Maths Mastery!



Millfields staff and children have been getting ready for the end of term Christmas and Winter celebrations that start in earnest next week. You should have seen the dates of the Y2 Nativity performances and the dates and times of the Winter Concerts, so we do hope that you will be joining us at one or two events over the next few weeks.

Also next week, on Thursday 6th December, it is The Chatsworth Road Community Christmas Festival that we have agreed to take part in as a school. The brilliant choir will be singing and our fantastic jazz band will be playing a few pieces. We are hoping that lots of you will join the Lantern Procession that will start from Millfields at 4:30pm. Please make a lantern this weekend and sign up at the main office to let us know the numbers of children with adults that are taking part. Please refer to the letter that was emailed out earlier this week.

Last Friday, we said farewell and good luck to Rosie, Y3 Baylis teacher who has gone on maternity leave. We will keep you updated with any baby news in the next few weeks. We have also said a huge 'congratulations' to Dwayne who became a father this week. Mum and baby Jeremiah are doing very well.

Teachers have been focussing on Maths lessons this week as we had a visitor from the local Maths Hub on Tuesday who came to have a look at the children's Maths books, watch some Maths lessons and talk to the children about their Maths learning. SLT have also been observing lessons this week. We are focussing on developing our Maths mastery approach this year, so will keep you updated. Still on maths, we welcomed parents in to Jones, Berners-Lee, Hepworth and Tarrant classes today – we hope that the parents and carers enjoyed learning with the children. Please feel free to email any feedback you may have from all the Maths lessons over the last few weeks.

On that note, thank you to the parents who completed the online parent survey this week. We had 150 responses and we are currently going through the results and comments to analyse questions and respond fully to comments – this will be emailed out to parents in due course.

We also held the finals of the Joke competition this week – one child from each class was selected as the class winner and they performed their joke in front of Vicky to be selected for the cross schools' final. The Millfields winner is Elisa from Turing Class who will be representing Millfields in the new year. Well done Elisa!

Finally, we are doing lots of work in the local community around homelessness. We will be collecting money as our choir sings in various locations across Hackney and London, as well as each class collecting food, toys and toiletries as part of the 'Reverse Advent' calendar initiative. The collections will be donated to local homeless shelters and organisations. Look out for more information next week.

Have a good weekend. Best wishes, Jane

Important Dates

Y2 Nativity Shows

3rd, 4th 10th December

Christmas Fair

Friday 7th December

Pantomime

Monday 17th December

Christmas Lunch

Weds 19th December

London Day

Thursday 20th December

Attendance

Week beg: 19th Nov

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 95.1%

Winning classes:

KS1 Tarrant (99%)

KS2 Newton (97.9%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Bond Class for organising last week's tuck shop.

Amount raised was a smashing £61.61!

Thank you for all of your support!

Reminder:

Head Teachers Surgery

Thurs 13th Dec 9 - 10am

School Tours

Fri 7th Dec 09:45am

Fri 14th Dec 09:45am

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

WINTER CONCERTS

Thursday 6th December – School

Early Years Sharing Concert 9:30am or 2:00pm

(Rosen, Potter, Hutchins, Bond, Cooke)

Tuesday 11th December – St James Church

Y5 and Yr6 Sharing Concert 11:15am or 2:00pm

(Curie, Faraday, Newton, Anning, Hawking, Turing)

Wednesday 12th December – St James Church

Yr3 and Yr4 Sharing Concert 11:15am or 2:00pm

(Berners-Lee, Mackintosh, Baylis, Dunlop, Jones, Lovelace)

Thursday 13th December – St James Church

Yr1 & Yr2 Sharing Concert 10:45am or 2:00pm

(Lowry, Whiteread, Tarrant, Riley, Hepworth, Brown)

Tuesday 18th December – St James Church 6:30pm

Choir and instrumentalists

Refreshments on sale



MAISON MILLFIELDS will be opening, with the first-ever

MILLFIELDS PUBLIC CHRISTMAS BAKE

Traditional British and European Christmas-themed biscuits, cakes and edible decorations, all home-made, will be sold at Palm 2. Huge thanks to Abdul for supporting this!!! All proceeds will go to the school.

There will be gingerbread, Viennese tea biscuits, vanilla kipferts, crumbly mince pies, gluten-free cakes and vegan delights.

Come and buy, support, or help out on the day!

Saturday 8 December—10am – 4pm

PALM 2, 152-156 Lower Clapton Road



CHATSWORTH CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Thursday 6th December 2018

Chatsworth Road community have arranged a Christmas Festival and market and have asked Millfields and Rushmore schools to get involved and be part of all the festivities and celebrations.

We need your help and support! There will be a Lantern Procession led by the children and parents of Millfields Community School at 4:30pm. We will gather in the school playground and we will be processing down the street with homemade lanterns creating a magical musical parade.

What we need you to do:

1. Make lanterns at home if your child wants to take part 2. Please sign up at the main office so we have an idea of numbers for the organisers. 3. Ensure that you accompany your child on Thursday 6th December –turn up at 4:25pm and we will leave from the playground at 4:30pm on the day.

This will be a lovely community event and we hope that you will take part and make the Millfields Lantern Procession, a lovely start to the whole event.



There will be a student stall area at the fair for £2.00 a table. If you are interested, please leave your name, class, contact number and what you will be selling with the front desk or you can email: Psamillfields@gmail.com

There are also community stalls available for £20.00 per table.

CONGRATULATIONS
to Elisa A, the winning entry from
Millfields for The Royal College of
Speech and Language Therapy
Voicebox National Joke Competition!!



Knock Knock! - Who's there? Colleen...Colleen who?

Colleen Your Doormat!



Come join us on
TREE PLANTING DAY

2ND DECEMBER 2018 FROM 10AM
AT THE STONEBRIDGE LOCK
LONDON N17 0XD

Organised by Plastic Free Hackney, as part of National Tree Planting Week we will be planting over 320 saplings. Bring a shovel!
Sign up here: <https://bit.ly/2RcOa58>

   Follow us on @plasticfreehackney

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 7th Dec	Lowry
Friday 14th Dec	Whitread
Friday 21st Dec	Tarrant



Christmas FANCY DRESS PARTY

Thursday 13th December 2018 4-6pm
Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street E8 1EA
£2 per child
Face painting available for a small fee

Play games and MEET SANTA!

Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times!
Santa will be at the party from 5-5.30pm get there early to queue up
Limited spaces only, email Speaker@hackney.gov.uk or
Call to book a place 0208 356 3591

Arts and Crafts
Decorate your own bauble
Make your own Christmas card



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

24th Nov ~ Steven C & Cheryl S
26th Nov ~ Brianna Q, Iris B, Salome C & Rafik I
27th Nov ~ Mahina B
28th Nov ~ Narin U & Babette C
29th Nov ~ Abbdullah H, Lullaby V & Mariam P
30th Nov ~ Aaron O, Safiya Y

Many happy returns to you all!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Key Stage 1



Lower Key Stage 2

Upper Key Stage 2

