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It's Beginning To Look A lot Like Christmas



Christmas started at Millfields this week with Riley Class and Brown Class Nativity Shows. They have been practising really hard for weeks and their performances were brilliant – loud voices, comic timing, beautiful singing and fantastic costumes. They made us laugh and cry and feel extremely proud! Well done to all the children involved and to all the staff who helped make the show run so smoothly. We are looking forward to Hepworth Class performance next week.

Also next week, there are Winter Concerts for all classes Y1-Y6, the dates are inside this mag and on the school website. We hope that you had the dates in good time so that you will be able to come and join in the singing and celebrations.

Year 6 classes have all enjoyed a trip to the Buddhist Temple as part of their RE enrichment work. All RE trips enhance the curriculum learning and ensure that pupils have a deeper understanding of the major world faiths. Each class has at least one visit to a place of worship each year.

Well done to our Y5 and Y6 cross country runners who took part in the 3rd inter-schools event this week. There are 2 more events in the new year and we will be seeing if our best 3 overall results will leave us in a medal position at the end of the season. Thank you to Reagan, Akeba and Theo for organising pre-school training on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. These sessions will continue until the end of term.

Also this week, the football team took part in the Hackney Schools preliminary round on Monday. Millfields were unbeaten so this means that we are through to the next round. Also this week, the 2017-18 Cycle Team got back together to officially accept the Hackney Cycling League champions trophy for the 3rd successive year! A huge 'thank you' as always to all the parents who support the team and especially Paul Marsden for all his work with the team before, during and after!

Reception classes visited Chats Palace to watch their Xmas production of 'Your toys'. The children loved the experience and the story, and were extremely well-behaved even though they were the youngest children there!

Yesterday, lots of children and parents joined school staff in a Lantern Procession to Chatsworth Road Christmas Market. The choir were singing their Christmas repertoire and the Millfields jazz band impressed with their playing. Thank you to everyone who supported this event by making lanterns and joining us on the walk, and to the music team for bringing it all together! The choir also sang in the Westfield Choir Competition on Wednesday and the judges loved the enthusiasm of the singers, as well as the range of different and original songs that Millfields sang compared to other school choirs! Fingers crossed that we hear some good news next week!

Finally, today is the Christmas Fair. Thank you to all the parents and carers who are helping out as I write this. More news on this next week.

Have a good weekend. Best Wishes, Jane

Important Dates

Nativity -Hepworth

Monday 10th Dec
10.30am and 2pm

Pantomime

Monday 17th December

Christmas Lunch

Tues 18th December

London Day

Thursday 20th December

Christmas Jumper day

Friday 21st December

Attendance

Week beg: 26th Nov

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 91.8%

Winning classes:

KS1 Riley (96.5%)

KS2 Curie (96.3%)

Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Hutchins Class for organising last week's tuck shop. Amount raised will be in next week's mag! Thank you for all of your support!

Reminder:
Head Teachers Surgery
Thurs 13th Dec 9 - 10am

School Tours
Fri 14th Dec 09:45am



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 kipferls, 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



Save the Children.

Only £1

Christmas Jumper Day

Wear your Christmas Jumper to School on the last day of term (21st Dec) to help raise money for Save the Children!

Please post your cards for delivery around school in the fabulous Christmas post box outside Jane's Office

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 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

Play games and MEET SANTA!

Face painting available for a small fee

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 Speakeater@hackney.gov.uk or
Call to book a place 0208 588 3351

Decorate your own bauble
Make your own Christmas card

DEAR SANTA CLAUS, HOW HAVE YOU BEEN? HOW IS YOUR WIFE?

I AM NOT SURE WHAT I WANT FOR CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR.

SOMETIMES IT IS VERY HARD TO DECIDE.

PERHAPS YOU SHOULD SEND ME YOUR CATALOGUE.

You know it's nearly Christmas, when you spot your first Robin in a tree.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



- Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week:**
- 1st Dec ~ Lesonte J, Olive W, Arun K, Ameera M & Aleeyah P
 - 2nd Dec ~ Oskar D
 - 3rd Dec ~ Shirley W
 - 4th Dec ~ Kayan A, Maryam H & Akaash S
 - 5th Dec ~ Annie C & Delaney P
 - 6th Dec ~ Logan H, Mohammed H, & Yaaseen U
 - 7th Dec ~ Talia P, Tiana P & June F
- Many happy returns to you all!**

STARS OF THE WEEK

