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MILLFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Road Safety Concerns



A number of parents have raised concerns about inconsiderate and dangerous parking on the roads around school. In particular concerns have been raised about car parking on verges and pavements.

It is vital that if parents / carers are travelling to school by car that they park considerately and safely thinking about their own and others safety.

We would urge all parents, carers and pupils where possible to walk to school in order to limit the number of vehicles on the roads

World Book Day - Thursday 5th March



To celebrate World Book Day on Thursday 5th March all pupils are invited to come to school dressed as a character from one of their favourite books. Pupils are also encouraged to bring in one of their favourite books to share with others.

The following week on Monday 9th, Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th March, parents / carers are invited to come and join us in the hall after school for our annual Scholastic Book Fair.

We will also be joined after school in the hall on the 9th, 10th and 11th March by members of the catering team from Chartwells (who provide our school meals) who will be able to answer any questions parents / carers may have. The Chartwells team will also be providing some tasty samples for parents / carers to try!

Important Information for Y5 Parents / Carers



Parents / carers of our current Year 5 pupils are invited to come and join us in the hall at **9.00am on Friday 13th March (please note change of date)** for a presentation regarding the Year 6 Laches Wood residential visit to take place between Monday 5th October and Friday 9th October 2020. *(Please note Year 5 pupils who indicate they would like to participate in the visit will attend the presentation with their current teachers).*

At this presentation there will be full details of the visit including: information about the exciting activities pupils will complete during their stay, day to day arrangements and equipment the children will need to bring with them.

At the end of this meeting parents / carers will be given consent forms to complete if their child would like to attend the visit as well as details of the cost and how payments can be made.

Parent Consultation Evenings



Our Parent Consultation Evenings this term are being held on:

Tuesday 24th March: 3.30pm - 5.30pm

Wednesday 25th March: 3.30pm - 7.00pm

Parents / carers will be able to book appointments for these evenings online from Monday 9th March.

Dates For Your Diary

Tuesday 24th March

Parent Consultation Evening

3.30pm - 5.30pm

Wednesday 25th March

Parent Consultation Evening

3.30pm - 7.00pm

Friday 3rd April

School closes to pupils for Easter

Monday 20th April

Pupils return to school for start of new term

Friday 8th May

School closed for VE day 75th Anniversary Bank Holiday

Monday 11th May

Year 6 Key Stage 2 Test Week

Friday 22nd May

School closes to pupils for half term

Monday 1st June

Pupils return after half term

Friday 17th July

School closes to pupils for summer holidays

Wednesday 2nd September

Pupils return to school after summer holidays for start of new academic year.

Thursday 22nd October

School closes to pupils for half term

Friday 23rd October

Staff In Service Training Day

Our staff will be joining other staff from the Rawlett pyramid of schools today to participate in joint staff training.

Monday 2nd November

Pupils return to school after half term

Football Tournament Winners



Well done to our football team which has won the 2020 Tamworth Primary Schools indoor football competition.

Following their victory in a qualifying competition the team went on to compete in and win the final held on Friday 7th February.

The team was: *Calum Burford, Jack Dolan, Oliver Dolan, Alfie Pagett Grainger, Dominic Harper, James Mander, Ethan Shenston, Kian White.*

The team was managed and coached by Mr Atkins. Many thanks to those parents / carers who were able to come and support the team as well as help with transport to and from the event.

Stars of the Week!



Our Star of the Week Awards for Friday 14th February were:

EYFS: *Daniel Grainger*

Kye Allison

Year 1: *Stacy Shuttleworth*

Thomas Norbury

Year 2: *Dylon Nadunge*

Rae Quilter

Year 3: *Harrison Cullum Kenyon*

Niamh Smith Coates

Year 4: *Ellie Lewis*

Mollie Corbett

Year 5: *Imogen Selvester*

Max Bishop

Year 6: *Imogen Hill*

Madeleine Shorthouse

EYFS / KS1 Lunchtime Award: *Kye Allison*

KS2 Lunchtime Award: *Rory Penn Bourton*

Head Teacher's Award: *Bethany Ashwood*

Our Star of the Week Awards for Friday 28th February were:

EYFS: *Campbell MacKenzie*

Mollie Russell

Year 1: *Allegra Owen*

Tyler Ambrose

Year 2: *Aiden Coyle*

Polly DiGennaro

Year 3: *Penny Hedley*

Logan Jackson

Year 4: *Darcey Newman*

Brandon Coyle

Year 5: *Chloe Twigg*

Eden Perry

Year 6: *Ellis Moorcroft Ethan Shenston*

EYFS / KS1 Lunchtime Award: *Toby Pool Whyley*

KS2 Lunchtime Award: *David Shorthouse*

Head Teacher's Award: *Jack Brazier*



Well done to all our pupils to who have completed their 10 miles Golden Mile challenge since our last newsletter.

Well done to Nathan Kirby in Year 5 who has now completed 25 miles in total this academic year.