



*A journey for the mind  
A home for the heart*

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We have enjoyed an excellent first couple of weeks to the Summer term at Millfields. I am pleased to share some information with you about recent and future events. Please take a note of some important dates at the end of the Newsletter.

### Class Assemblies

Our first class assembly of the year was really well attended by friends and family of the Year 1 class. The audience, which also included children from other year groups, were amazed at just how much work has happened in Year 1 this year. This children presented beautifully and it was lovely to see so many parents stay on to enjoy a school lunch with their child.

This was followed by the Year 3 Class Assembly. Again, it was really well attended and many parents stayed on afterwards for lunch and some school playtime.

This half term we have two more class assemblies. Our Reception children will be sharing all about their learning on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May, with our Year 4 class assembly taking place on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May. As always parents will have the opportunity to join their child for lunch as part of the assembly celebrations.

### Cheerleading Success

A massive congratulations to the Millfields' Cheerleading team for their victory at the Crewe/Nantwich competition before Easter. A thank you goes to Miss Berry for training the team in the weeks leading up to the competition.

### Year 5 Singfest

Just before the holidays our Year 5 children were lucky enough to perform at Crewe Lyceum, along with several other schools. Their performance was brilliant, not only did they sound amazing but they also had big smiles on their faces to show just how much they were enjoying themselves. We as a school are very proud of them.

### Year 4 Music Concert

It was great to hear the progress that has been made by the Y4 class at their recent music concert. The class have benefited from P-bone lessons since the start of the year with Mr Eccles and played a number of tunes at the concert. There was also a performance by the school band and individual pieces from Finley Monks and Hugh Merrin.

### Reading Challenge

This half term's challenge is being launched on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April. Individual class teachers will inform you what exact task your child will need to complete. However, this half term is slightly different as we have an overall school theme of 'Characters'. All entries will be displayed in our new school library for all the children

to enjoy. All entries will need to be returned to school by Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May. Don't forget all winners will receive a prize as well as being invited to a special celebration at the end of the year.

### Summer Menu

On Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May we are launching our brand new summer menu. This includes delicious dishes like Pulled Chicken Flatbread, Cheese Flan, Fish and Chips, Meatball Pasta Bake and Cornish Pasty Pie. As always there will also be two sandwich choices each day. Look out for full details when the menu is sent home next week.

### Sports Day

We are really looking forward to this year's Sports Day. The children have already starting practising! It will be taking place on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May, weather permitting. Key Stage children will be competing in the morning, while Reception and Keys Stage 1 will race during the afternoon. At lunch time all parents are invited to share a picnic lunch with their child/ren, to help make the day even more special. Look out for further information in the coming weeks.

### Reaseheath Visit

Our Reception children had a fantastic time at Reaseheath last week as they visited the farm and zoo. During the day they learnt many interesting and amazing facts about all the creatures seen. Their behaviour was outstanding and impressed all members of staff. A big thank you to all parents who came along and supported the class trip; your help was really appreciated.

### Dates for the Diary

Wed, 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Academy Photos (Leavers'/Graduation)	18 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 Delamere Residential
Mon, 7 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday	25 <sup>th</sup> /27 <sup>th</sup> June	KS2 Town Sports (Field/Track)
Tues, 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Reception Class Assembly/Parent Lunch	27 <sup>th</sup> June	Nursery Sports Day
Fri, 11 <sup>th</sup> May	Y4 Bikeability	2 <sup>nd</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Y2 Burwardsley Residential
14 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATs	3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> July	Malbank Y6 Transition Days
Tues, 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Y4 Class Assembly and Parent Lunch	Tues, 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Y3 Roman trip to Chester
Thur, 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Sports' Day (KS2 am/KS1 pm)	Fri, 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Reports to parents
Fri, 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 Bikeability	Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Reception Last Balance Bike session
Fri, 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Last day of half-term	Mon, 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Last Y3 Swim
Mon, 4 <sup>th</sup> June	INSET Day	Wed, 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Reading Challenge winners celebration
Tue, 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Children return to school	Fri, 20 <sup>th</sup> July	R-Y5 Reports to parents
5 <sup>th</sup> /6 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5 Bikeability	Fri, 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Leavers' Disco
Thurs, 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5 trip to Jodrell Bank	Mon, 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Y6 Play (afternoon)
Fri, 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Road Safety Presentation	Tue, 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Nursery Leavers' Play (11:00 and 2:00)
Fri, 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception Balance bikes (6 weeks)	Tue, 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Play (evening)
Mon, 11 <sup>th</sup> June	After School Clubs start	Thur, 26 <sup>th</sup> July	Governors' Award/Attendance Assembly
Mon, 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Top up Swim	Thur, 26 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leavers' Assembly (+ parent lunch)
Mon. 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception/Y6 Height and weight check	Thur, 26 <sup>th</sup> July	School closes for 2017/18 Academic Year

