



Friday 5th November 2021

The Mill Messenger

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

Please have a read through our latest news and the exciting things happening at The Mill.

Safer Schools App

We are really excited to introduce the Safer Schools app to our school community. It is a fantastic tool to support us all in ensuring our children are safe online. A letter has been given to your child today detailing how to access the app. Please note that the QR code only works if you have not installed the app yet, please use the entry code in this case. As well as this, Mrs Crockford and Mrs Lakeman will be available to answer any queries on a Friday from 2-2.45pm in the Café.

Safety Workshops for Parents of TKAT Pupils

Safer Schools are holding an online safety workshop for TKAT parents and carers on Tuesday 9th November. You can register online at <https://oursaferschools.co.uk/tkat-parents-evening/> and will be sent separate correspondence via email, featuring information on the event and a joining instructions email.

What will be covered?

- Enhancing knowledge of how children engage with social media platforms
- Understanding the key issues & risks your children face online
- Facilitating conversations around risks, screen time and addiction and accessing support when you need it
- Explore how the Safer Schools App can help you keep children in your care safer online
- Key themes: Popular platforms, live-streaming, gaming & having conversations with your children, top tips around engaging with a child reg social media.

Room 13 – From Janey

This week 16 Year 4 children used Room 13. We've been carrying on with our #StayAtHome installation today, creating adorable little stitched houses that will form part of our display at Crawley Museum in the new year. The houses have been hand drawn and then sewn over using free machine embroidery. 🏠🏠🏠



Children in Need

Join us on our Pudsey-themed pyjama day on Friday 19th November. As a cashless school, we are now asking for donations to be made online via the link below. Many thanks!
<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=3836>

Kind Regards

Sophie Gosden

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Headteacher

Absences

In case of sickness, please leave a message via our absence line on 01293 571893 by 8.45am on each day of your child's absence. Please include their name, class and reason for their absence. If your child presents any symptoms related to Covid-19, please leave a detailed message of their symptoms and if you have sought medical advice or arranged for a Covid-19 test.

Water bottles – Lunch time

Please ensure that your child has a water bottle with their lunch box as children are unable to bring their class water bottles to the lunch hall.

Forever Proud

On Fridays, each class nominates their 'Forever Proud' award winner who is announced in our whole school assembly and will receive their badge and certificate to take home. This week's winners are:



Year 1 Hepworth Dylan P

Year 1 Hockney Elwood H

Year 1 Monet Grace E

Year 2 Goldsworthy Stacey A

Year 2 O'Keeffe Graham P

Year 2 Lichtenstein Noah H

Year 3 Mondrian Mia T

Year 3 Hokusai Maisie H

Year 3 Cezanne Charlie C

Year 4 Kahlo Rahma H

Year 4 Moore Victoria P

Year 5 van Gogh Sahel P

Year 5 Egonu Imogen W

Year 5 Rousseau Franceska M

Year 6 Riley Olly R

Year 6 da Vinci Robin A

Year 6 Turner Deivi C

Well done to all of you!

Attendance Cup Winners

Congratulations to this week's winners, our Year 2 classes had the highest attendance.
Well done everyone!



Diary Dates

Nasal Flu Vaccination

Wednesday 17th November 2021 (Register by 10th November)

Children in Need Pudsey-themed Pyjama Day

Friday 19th November 2021

PTA Christmas Fair

Thursday 2nd December 2021 – 3.15–5.00pm

Christmas Jumper Day

Wednesday 15th December 2021

PTA Breakfast with Santa

Wednesday 15th December 2021 – 8.00–9.00am

Easy Lunch Christmas Dinner

Wednesday 15th December 2021

