

Friday 9th June 2023

The Mill * Messenger

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

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

Sports Days

Our first week of sports days has now ended and the children and staff had a blast. The children also engaged in Hockey and Tennis sessions this week which was great fun. Reception and Years 2, 5 and 6 have had their sports days and we would like to thank all the parents, carers and family members that came along to cheer on the children. The atmosphere was fantastic! The new Year 6 sports records will be published on the board on the back playground shortly. Well done everyone! We look forward to our remaining sports days and another week of workshops and activities for the children to join in. Please note that on Wednesday 14th June, we ask all children to wear their PE kits to school for our "Tough Miller" activity.

Year 1: Tuesday 13th June 1.15-2.45pm Year 3: Friday 16th June 9.15-10.45am Year 4: Thursday 15th June 9.15-10.45am

Warm Weather Conditions

We would like to politely remind you that children should have a refillable water bottle in school every day. Please also consider to apply sun screen before school and provide your child with a sun hat when temperatures peak. Many thanks for your support in keeping the children healthy and happy.

PTA Father's Day Sale

The PTA will be selling Father's Day gifts at the cost of £2.50 to children in Years 1-6 on Thursday 15th June during school hours. Children will be taken to the sale with their class and will then bring the wrapped present home. Please ensure that, should you wish for your child to purchase a present, they will have £2.50 in a named envelope on the day, no change will be available. Many thanks.

Open Mornings

Please see below for our upcoming Open Mornings on Wednesdays from 8.45 to 9.15am up to the summer break.

KS 2 (Years 3-6) 21st June

KS 1 (Years 1+2) 28th June

KS 2 (Years 3-6) 5th July

Mr & Mrs Moutrey

Huge congratulations to Mr Moutrey who teaches Kandinsky class in Reception. During the half term he got married and we wish him and the new Mrs Moutrey a wonderful life together. On Friday before half term, his work colleagues gave him the most adorable send off by decorating his car with notes the children wrote for the couple.

Kind Regards

Sophie Gosden Headteacher

Makaton in Early Years

Every week we will now share our Makaton signing with you! This week's signing is: Orange

We are signing the song: **Down Under The Sea** You can revisit previous signing on our website.

Inset Days 2023/24

These are our scheduled inset days for the next school year.

Friday 01/09/2023 Friday 29/09/2023 Monday 22/01/2024 Monday 19/02/2024 Monday 03/06/2024 Monday 01/07/2024



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 R Kandinsky Rafael R Year R Matisse Melissa G Mason P Year R Picasso Year 1 Hepworth Ziane M Year 1 Monet Myron B Mila W Year 1 Hockney Year 2 Goldsworthy Jack B Year 2 Lichtenstein Connor L Year 2 O'Keeffe Ayra K Year 3 Hokusai Cora W Year 3 Cezanne Amay G Year 3 Mondrian Sarah M Year 4 Kahlo Mia T

Year 4 Moore Eviee-Jade W Year 4 Miro Sooryansh T

Year 5 Rousseau double winners next week

Year 5 Egonu Sam C Year 6 Riley Tilly D Year 6 da Vinci Frankie G Year 6 Turner Edward B

Attendance Cup Winners

Congratulations to this week's winners, our Year 1 classes had the highest attendance.

Well done everyone!



Diary Dates

Sports Days (Details can be found here) w/c 5th June and w/c 12th June 2023

Year 6 Residential Trip

Wednesday 21st to Friday 23rd June 2023

PTA Father's Day Sale

Thursday 15th June 2023

PTA Summer Fair & Non-uniform Day

Thursday 6th July 2023

Year 6 Leavers Festival

Wednesday 12th July 2023 from 2.00-4.00pm

Summer Break

Monday 24th July to Thursday 31st August 2023

Inset Day

Friday 1st September 2023

