

Friday 14th July 2023

The Mill ** Messenger

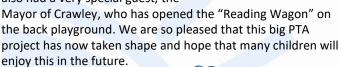
Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

Please have a read through our latest news and the exciting

things happening at The Mill.

PTA Summer Fair

This year's fair was another huge success for the PTA and the school and will, as always, help the PTA fund much appreciated projects across the school. We also had a very special guest, the



Year 6 "Millchella"

This week, the Year 6 children got to enjoy "Millchella", a big festival that was organised by our PTA to celebrate their time at the Mill. The children joined in with lots of activities like

tie-dying, archery, dancing and different outdoor games. There was a disco tent, a stall for glitter tattoos and two "almost real" unicorns to cuddle and take photos with. What an amazing afternoon for all who took part! A big thank you to the PTA for making this happen!



Uniform Donations

We are kindly asking for your clean, good quality second hand uniform, PE Kit, shoes, wellies and coats. Accessories are welcome but not essential. The PTA are kindly opening the Cafe Wednesday 19th July 2023 from 2.45-3.30pm for you to drop off anything you no longer need that can be reused and recycled. Next year, we will be running drop/swap events to continue to support The Mill Community. We welcome donations via the office, at any time. Thank you for all your continued donations and support.

Year 6 Fundraising

Over the past weeks, children from our Year 6 classes have engaged in fundraising activities by holding little break and lunch time sales.

Scarlett, Ruby, Dd and Meliz have raised an amazing £204 which was equally donated to The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity and St Peter & St James Hospice.

Sara, Ava and Mia have raised money to create a special leaving surprise goody bag for each child in Year 6. Thank you so much to you all, your thoughtfulness is a real credit to The Mill!

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: Ice cream

We are signing the song: <u>Make your own kind of Music</u> You can revisit previous signing on our <u>website</u>.

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 Kenzie P Year R Matisse Zarah S Charlton K **Year R Picasso** Molly C Year 1 Hepworth Year 1 Monet Ameya-Rae F Year 1 Hockney Olivia F Year 2 Goldsworthy Quinn K Year 2 Lichtenstein Alex K Year 2 O'Keeffe Benjamin P Year 3 Hokusai Matthew T Year 3 Cezanne Sienna S Year 3 Mondrian Frankie G Year 4 Kahlo Amran T Year 4 Moore George R Year 4 Miro Lewis C Year 5 Rousseau Kenisha M Year 5 Egonu Emma N Year 6 Riley Marshall L Year 6 da Vinci Fva S Year 6 Turner Humayl Z

Attendance Cup Winners

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



Diary Dates

<u>Year 6 Leavers Assemblies</u> (2 adults per child welcome) da Vinci Class - Thursday 20th July 2023 9.00-9.30am Turner Class - Thursday 20th July 2023 9.45-10.15am Riley Class - Thursday 20th July 2023 10.30-11.00am

Summer Break

Monday 24th July to

Thursday 31st August 2023

Inset Day

Friday 1st September 2023

Inset Day

Friday 29th September 2023

Autumn Half Term

Monday 23rd October to

Friday 27th October 2023

