



Friday 19th April 2024

The Mill Messenger

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

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

Open Mornings & Afternoons

For the current term, we will again be offering open mornings as well as open afternoons. Please find the schedule and times below. We look forward to seeing you.

KS1 (Years 1 & 2)

Open Afternoon (2.30 - 2.50): Thursday 25th April

Open Morning (8.30 - 8.50): Wednesday 8th May

KS2 (Years 3 to 6)

Open Afternoon (2.30 - 2.50): Tuesday 30th April

Open Morning (8.30 - 8.50): Tuesday 21st May

Save the Date – Sports Week 2024

Please see below for a first glimpse at our Sports Week Schedule. Full details will be sent closer to the time.

EYFS Wednesday 19th June - AM

Year 1 Wednesday 19th June - PM

Year 2 Thursday 20th June - AM

Year 3 Friday 21st June - PM

Year 4 Friday 21st June - AM

Year 5 Tuesday 18th June - PM (at ICC sports field)

Year 6 Monday 17th June - AM (at ICC sports field)

Polite Reminder – PE and Forest School Schedule

You can find the current PE and Forest School in [this link](#).

Ifield Mayfayre

The annual [Ifield Mayfayre](#) with stalls and entertainment at Ifield Barn Theatre will be held on Bank Holiday Monday 6th May from 11.30am to 4.00pm. The May Queen Parade leaves at St Margaret's School at 11.00am making its way through Ifield for the opening of the fayre at Ifield Barn Theatre at 11.30am. Our very own Maypole and Choir Clubs will also be part of the parade and will later perform during the festivities. Please come along for a fun day and support this local event.

Carnival Festival School Dinner

We will be having a special Carnival Festival Menu on Thursday 16th May for our summer census day, please [click here](#) for the details. Please make sure you pre-book by 8am on the day if you wish for your child to have a hot dinner on the day. Many thanks.

STEM in the Park

STEM in the Park is a free family fun event run by employers from various STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) industries and local businesses. There will be many STEM related activities and displays for all ages. The event will run on Saturday 18th May 2024 from 11.00am to 4.00pm at the Memorial Gardens in Crawley. Further information can be found in [this flyer](#) and on their [website](#).

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: [Superhero](#)

We are signing the song: [Forever Proud Song - Sky Full of Stars](#)

You can revisit previous signing on our [website](#).

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. The winners from w/c 25th March and w/c 15th April were:



Year R Kandinsky	Alex O
Year R Matisse	Maeghan H
Year R Picasso	Eden L
Year 1 Hepworth	Pratyush R
Year 1 Monet	Aun M
Year 1 Hockney	Kayla M
Year 2 Goldsworthy	Dexter S
Year 2 Lichtenstein	Amie C
Year 2 O'Keeffe	Benjamin B
Year 3 Hokusai	Ayra K
Year 3 Cezanne	Violet C
Year 3 Mondrian	Charlie F
Year 4 Kahlo	Miracle N
Year 4 Moore	Tyler H
Year 4 Miro	Charlie H
Year 5 Rousseau	Emi S
Year 5 Egonu	Logan T
Year 5 van Gogh	Baran R
Year 6 da Vinci	Renata G
Year 6 Riley	Alyssa W
Learning Without Walls	Lucas W
Reading - Book Winners	Zaith S, Jack B and Finley A – and Lichtenstein class won a new book for their reading corner.

Attendance Cup Winners

Congratulations to this week's winners, our Year 4 classes had the highest attendance. Well done everyone!



Diary Dates

May Bank Holiday

Monday 6th May 2024

Class Photos & Year 6 Leavers Photos

Monday 20th May 2024

May Half Term

Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2024

The Mill Holiday Sports Camp

Booking information to follow closer to the time.

Tuesday 28th to Wednesday 29th May 2024

Inset Day

Monday 3rd June 2024

Summer Holidays

Wednesday 24th July to Friday 30th August 2024

The Mill Holiday Sports Camp

Booking information to follow closer to the time.

Wednesday 24th to Friday 26th July 2024

Wednesday 28th to Friday 30th August 2024

