



Friday 10th May 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.

Good Luck Year 6!

Next week, our Year 6 classes will be taking their SATs. We are so incredibly proud of all the progress the children made in preparation for the tests. We wish them the best of luck and we are rooting for every one of them!



Ifield Mayfayre

This year's Ifield Mayfare will definitely stay in our memories as the wettest it could have been. However, we braved the weather to walk in the parade with children from both our Forever Proud Choir and from the Maypole Dancing Club. They delivered their beautiful performances later on inside the barn theatre too. Thank you so much to everyone who came to perform, to support and to cheer on the children.

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](#).

New Guitar Teacher

We have a new visiting guitar teacher available to offer music lessons to our KS2 children. Last week, the children had the opportunity to meet him in an assembly. You can find details about lessons in [this letter](#). If you would like your child to receive a taster lesson before signing up please email office@themill-tkat.org to be added to the list.

Open Mornings & Afternoons

Please see the remaining schedule below. We look forward to seeing you.

KS2 (Years 3 to 6)

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

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. This week's winners are:



Year 1 Hepworth	Kenzie P
Year 1 Monet	Emmanuel E
Year 1 Hockney	Jameson P
Year 2 Goldsworthy	Archie D
Year 2 Lichtenstein	Zion L
Year 2 O'Keeffe	Jayce J
Year 3 Hokusai	Elijah A
Year 3 Cezanne	Lucas F
Year 3 Mondrian	Molly S
Year 4 Kahlo	Izzy S
Year 4 Moore	Lily P
Year 4 Miro	Eshaan M
Year 5 Rousseau	Maisie H
Year 5 Egonu	Elijah M
Year 5 van Gogh	Tilly R
Year 6 da Vinci	Freija E
Year 6 Riley	Muhammed C
Learning Without Walls	Charlie H
Reading - Book Winners	Baran R, Bradley C, Jacob P – and da Vinci class won a new book for their reading corner.

Attendance Cup Winners

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



Diary Dates

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

Tuesday 28th to Wednesday 29th May 2024

Inset Day

Monday 3rd June 2024

PTA Father's Day Sale

Thursday 13th June 2024

Sports Week 2024

w/c 17th June 2024 – First details can be found [here](#).

PTA Summer Fair

Thursday 11th July 2024 from 3.00pm

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

