



"Learning Together, Learning for Life"

## Mablins Lane Community Primary School Newsletter ~ 1<sup>st</sup> October 2018

Dear Parents and Children

### Welcome Meetings

Many thanks to those parents who attended the Welcome Meetings earlier this term. It's always good to see you all and I hope you found the meetings informative.

### Year 6 Residential Visit

The Year 6 children had a fantastic time in the Lake District, full of adventure and excitement. They completed all the tasks with enthusiasm and a can-do attitude, from walking 10 miles around the lake, canoeing, ghyll scrambling, abseiling and raft building! The weather was mixed but the children overcame this and have started Year 6 in a very positive way. Year 6 will be sharing their experiences with parents at a special assembly on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October. A letter will be sent out separately about this.



### Year 4



Last week Year 4 visited Technquest, a science based visit aimed to introduce the new topic for the term.

Mrs

Earnden's class is the first of the Year 4 classes to start their 6 week swimming sessions at the Crewe Lifestyle Centre.



### Year 3 Design & Technology Workshop



The children attended a workshop at school about Lego block coding, a fantastic opportunity for them to develop their design and computer programming skills. Children were using tablet software and controlling lights, sounds and pictures to great effect.

### Open Morning

We will be hosting an Open Morning on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November 9:30am – 11:30am for our current parents and new prospective parents. You are welcome to come and look around the school and visit classrooms to see what exciting work your children are doing. Senior Leaders and Admissions staff are also on hand to explain our admission procedures, provide information and answer any questions that you may have.

### Year 5 Harvest Assembly

Year 5 are holding a Harvest Assembly for parents on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 2:30pm in the Main Hall. Parents and Grandparents are invited to join us to celebrate.



### Harvest Time – Food Collection

As part of our harvest celebrations we ask that **all** the children bring in 1 item of tinned or dried food to their class this week (w/c 1<sup>st</sup> October). Please bring the item in on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday morning in time for us to display the items for the Year 5 Harvest Assembly.

### Year 6 children – High School Application

Can we remind parents of our year 6 children starting High School in September 2019 that applications can be made on the Cheshire East School Admissions website? The closing date for applications for Secondary places for 2019 is **31 October 2018**.

### Sporting News

**Quad Kids Competition** - Year 5 & 6 and Year 3 & 4 children attended a competition at the Cumberland Track last week. Year 5 & 6 came a very worthy 2<sup>nd</sup> place, our Year 3 & 4 were winners coming in 1<sup>st</sup> place.



There is a **Tag Rugby Competition** next Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October for Year 3 & 4 and Year 5 & 6. The Sports Team

will send out further details in a letter to the team players.

### School Lunch Payments

Please can I remind parents that dinner money is due before taking a meal? If you are unclear of your balance then please contact the school office for advice. Payments can be made by cash, cheque (made payable to Cheshire East Council) or preferably on the Cheshire East Schools epayment system

<https://online.cheshireeast.gov.uk/SchoolShop/ParentLogin.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fSchoolShop%2fSecureApp%2fParentHome.aspx>

### Parents' Evening 24 October 2018



Our Autumn Term Parents' Evening is scheduled for Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October. We will be using our online appointment booking system, a letter will be sent out when you can start making appointments.

### Fluenz Immunisations

The School Nursing team will be in school on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October issuing the fluenz nasal vaccine to children in Years EYFS, 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5. If you haven't filled in the form yet, please do so and return to the school office.

### Prince William Trust Awards



Mablins Lane were very proud to have been invited to the first graduation ceremony for the Prince William Trust in Birmingham on the 18<sup>th</sup> September. Our Prince William Trust children had a fantastic, inspiring time seeing and listening to Prince William speak, meeting the host, David Walliams, and receiving signed copies of his books for the school.

### Website and Twitter

Please remember to look on the website for information about school the web address is [www.mablinslaneschool.co.uk](http://www.mablinslaneschool.co.uk)

You can also keep in touch on Twitter @MablinsSchool



### Clubs Timetable

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
LUNCH-TIME				Year 5 2 RECORD CLUB	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 BOXING CLUB
AFTERSCHOOL	3:25pm - 4:25pm Year 5 HOMEWORK CLUB Mrs Stafford (INVITE ONLY)	3:25pm - 4:25pm Year 1 & 2 GAMES CLUB Mrs Hunt, Mrs Henson & Miss Widdow Places for 20 children	3:15pm - 4:30pm SPORTSCAPE	3:15pm - 4:25pm Year 5 HOMEWORK CLUB (INVITE ONLY)	3:15pm - 4:25pm Year 5 & 6 BASKETBALL Mr Loader (Space for interested girls, boys full) (INVITE ONLY)
	3:25pm - 4:25pm Year 5 Reading Club Mrs Clarke (INVITE ONLY)	3:15pm - 4:25pm Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 CHOIR & Mrs Sturt / Mrs Brown		3:15pm - 4:30pm Year 5 & 6 NETBALL Miss Morley & Mr Loader	
		3:15pm - 4pm FOOTBALL SQUAD TRAINING (INVITE ONLY) Mrs Manning		3:30pm - 4:30pm BUTTERFLY CLUB (INVITE ONLY)	
				3:30pm - 4pm SMILE TIME TEAM (INVITE ONLY)	
				3:15pm - 4:25pm Year 1 & 2 ART & MINDFULNESS CLUB Mrs King & Miss Henson	

The teachers have sent out individual club letters and the clubs timetable has been emailed to all parents. If you need further information about Clubs, please call into the school office.

### Parent Voice

A Parent Voice group will continue this academic year giving parents an opportunity to discuss any ideas and issues with Governors and influence future decision making in school. Please do come along and get your voice heard, the next meeting is scheduled for Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2:15pm till 3pm, further details will be sent out on a letter nearer to the time.

### Macmillan Coffee Morning



Thank you to all the parents and children that helped raise £647.20 at our Macmillan cancer support events on Friday. We were inundated with lovely sweet treats baked and bought for the event – thank you, it was a fantastic success!

### Dates

Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Festival – YEAR 5 (2:30)
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> October	Y6 Lakes Assembly
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October	Y5 Visit to Dovedale
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> October	Y5 Visit to Dovedale
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	WW1 Family Fun Day
W/B 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Multi Faith Week
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	Fluenz Immunisations EYFS/Y1/Y2/Y3/Y4/Y5
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Eco Team – Recycling collection
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents Evening 3:30 – 7:00pm
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Children break up for half term
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	STAFF INSET Day
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	Children return to school

With Kind Regards  
Justine Joule