

Mablins Lane Community Primary School Newsletter ~ 18th March 2022

Dear Parents and Children,

Another week in school has flown by and the children have been busy with lots of great activities. The Year 4s have had an amazing time away in Anglesey and it is lovely that we can once again take children on trips away. Thank you to all those parents that have supported this trip and I'm sure there will be some tired but happy children this weekend 😊

YR4 ANGLESEY TRIP PICTURE GALLERY



Ukraine Appeal

A massive thank you to all our families for your overwhelming generosity in donations for the refugees from Ukraine. The collection filled 8 trollies - piled high - at Dunelm. A massive thank you also to Energized Property Development Ltd & Mason Builds for transporting it all.



Thought of the Week



Assembly Shout Outs



Certificates for this week were awarded as follows:

EYFS

Poppy H, Connor B & Arlo

Year 1

Ivy B, Amelia & Callum

Year 2

George, Olivia & Ashton

Year 3

Bobby, Albie & Oscar

Year 4

Whole Year Group!

Special Staff Shout Out to Miss Gaffney

Year 5

Micha, All of the children in Miss Parker's class & Izzie

Year 6

Tristan, James & Ethan V

Rainbow Room

Bobby (Y5 RL) & Harry (Yr3 JE)

Congratulations

GIRLS FOOTBALL!!!

Mablins Lane girls' football team has **won** through to the next stage of the Premier League Primary Stars U11 National Girls Football Tournament 2021/22. Well Done Girls!!



Drop off – Parking

Again, please can I remind parents to park responsibly and respectfully in the vicinity of the school? There's been some very inconsiderate parking on Mablins Lane and Parkers Road this week! Parents are parking on the

pavement so that pedestrians are struggling to use the footpath and cars are parking opposite junctions which is causing local residents to complain to school and the Police.

Our PCSO has been informed and if he visits he will be issuing tickets if this continues.

To help ease this situation we are very grateful that the Eight Farmers pub car park has been made available for school drop off / pick up parking again. Many thanks to Lisa and her team at the pub for allowing us to use this facility.

Road Safety – SPEED/YELLOW ZIG ZAG LINES



PARENTS SHOULD NOT BE DROPPING CHILDREN OFF AT THE FRONT OF SCHOOL ON THE YELLOW ZIG ZAG LINES!

During the period of drop off and collection vehicles should adhere to the "20's plenty" slogan. I have witnessed many vehicles in Mablins Lane exceeding this speed. Parents are dropping children and then 'speeding' away. This is dangerous for all concerned. Please keep your speed low and our children safe.



Maths Week – 21ST March

**+ MATHS WEEK ÷
× W/B 21ST MARCH -**

The Maths Team have planned a week of maths activities in school for next week beginning the 21st March. We want children to have lots of fun problem solving in

maths. We will also be spending time on times tables and TT Rockstars!

On **Friday 25th March**, we would love children to once again come dressed in a TT Rockstar outfit, this can be very simple and please don't go out and buy any outfits! There are lots of great prizes to be won for TT Rockstars this week and for great outfits on the Friday ☺



FRIDAY 25TH MARCH

COME TO SCHOOL DRESSED AS YOUR

TT ROCKSTAR

NON-UNIFORM DAY

PTA

The next meeting will be held on: **WEDNESDAY 23RD MARCH at 3:15pm in the main school hall**, refreshments provided. We would like to see as many parents there as possible. All children will be supervised in a classroom where they will also receive a drink and biscuit. Please bring ideas for the Summer Fair and how we can make this a great event for our school community.

**MABLINS PTA
NEED YOU!**

**Wed 23rd March @ 3:15pm
PTA Meeting - Main School Hall**

EVERYONE WELCOME

**Please come and join us to
share fundraising ideas for the
Summer Fair**

COVID Update

We are pleased to report that whilst we have had some reported cases numbers remain low. We have 9 children absent for Covid reasons and 1 staff member.

During the half term break the government made an announcement regarding the easing of restrictions. This has led to some confusion as the national restrictions would indicate that Covid has just gone away which it clearly hasn't.

If your child tests positive we urge caution. If they are unwell then they should remain at home until they feel better as they would with any illness. Certainly if they are coughing, have a temperature or have a very runny nose

We **would not** advise that they attend school. If we get 5 cases in any class we will inform parents and at that point would ask that children who have tested positive or who live in a house where somebody has tested positive, remain at home for 5 days.

Covid-19 Telephone Number

If your child has a **Covid test and it is positive**, please still inform the school **by calling our Covid telephone line on:**

**MABLINS LANE COVID POSITIVE TEST REPORTING
TELEPHONE NO.**

07415 005702

This number is **ONLY** for reporting a positive test. Please leave a message and we will then operate our positive reporting plan. **PLEASE DO NOT SEND A MESSAGE VIA CLASS DOJO** as this can be missed from the reporting log. We will continue to log and monitor positive cases in line with LA advice until Easter.

Reporting Absences

If your child is sick or absent for any non-Covid reason, please report the absence to the School Office by either leaving a message **with a reason for the absence** on the School Sick Line or speaking to someone in the office. The telephone number is 01270 749908.

Chickenpox

We currently have several children absent from school suffering with chickenpox. They are mainly in KS1, but just wanted to alert parents.



Red Nose Day

It is great to see the children dressed in red today in support of Comic Relief. We have managed to

raise **£447** which is amazing! Thank you for all your support with this!

We have had red noses, red hair, red clothing and even red wigs! Great job everybody.



HELP US TO MAKE SLEEPING BAGS FOR THE HOMELESS

BRING IN SILVER LINED CRISP PACKETS WASHED OUT AND CUT OPEN

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU



World Down Syndrome Day – MONDAY!



Mablins Lane is supporting again WSDS on **Monday 21st March**. We want children to come into school wearing ODD socks and we will be selling gingerbread biscuits at playtimes for 50p in support of this charity. Please support this if you can 😊

Crisp Packet Collection

We are still collecting crisp packets. Please wash out, cut open and place in the box by the main office.

Week 2

MONDAY

Ratatouille
Ravioli (v)

Homemade Cheese,
Potato & Onion Pie
with Beans (v)

Fresh Fruit Platter
or
Organic Yoghurt

TUESDAY

Southern Style
& Tomato Pizza (v)

Quorn Korma with
Rice & Cous Cous (v)

Fresh Fruit
Platter or Fruit
Crumble & Custard

WEDNESDAY

Butchers Pork
Sausage &
Mash Potato

Tomato
Pasta (v)

Fresh Fruit Platter or
Chocolate Surprise
Brownie

THURSDAY

Cajun Chicken Slider
with Paprika
Potatoes

Cheese
Toastie with
vegetable sticks (v)

Fresh Fruit Platter
or Fruit Sponge
& Custard

FRIDAY

Battered Fish Fillet
with Chips

Vegetarian Spaghetti
Bolognese with
Garlic Bread (v)

Organic Yoghurt
or Ginger Biscuit
with Fruit Chunk

EYFS, Y1 & 2 ENTITLED TO FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Y3, 4, 5 & 6 MEALS COST £2.40

PLEASE PAY IN ADVANCE VIA THE

[CHESHIRE EAST EPAYMENT](#)

Bag2School

The Earth Heroes/School Council are wanting families to collect unwanted items for our Bag2School campaign.

We are collecting good quality items for RE-USE:

Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories.

MABLINS EARTH HEROES



**ARE COLLECTING GOOD QUALITY
CLOTHING FOR RE-USE FOR BAG 2
SCHOOL**

Collection day 30th March



(No uniforms, work wear, pillows, duvets, bed linen, curtains, towels, soft toys or pieces of fabric please)

Please see Bag2School for more information:

<https://bag2school.com/how-it-works>

The children will NOW have bought a bag home to fill and the collection date is the 30th March, we need all items in school for this date!

Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee bank holiday is scheduled during the May half term. (We had our additional Bank Holiday at the end of the Christmas break.) We are currently planning a week of celebration and activities for the week before the May half term. We plan to have a parade, picnic and dressing-up day along with lots of other activities. If parents have any suggestions, or can help in any way then please let us know. We are looking for donations of trees to support the 'Green canopy project' if anybody can help us. See the [Queen's Green Canopy](#) website for more information



Year Group – Email Address

Mablins Lane CP School

Our year group email addresses are still operational. Please use ONLY the following email addresses to contact your child's class teacher. They will respond during the school working hours of between 9.00am and 4.30pm, please note that many of the teachers are still in school and teaching key worker children.

eyfs@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

year1@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

year2@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

year3@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

year4@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

year5@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

year6@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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| 21st March | World Down Syndrome Day Wear odd socks/50p biscuit sale |
| 21st-25th March | Maths Week Friday 25 th – come dressed as a TT Rockstar! |
| 1st April | Finish for Easter |
| 19th April | Summer Term return |

Kind regards

Mrs Justine Joule - Headteacher

**DONATE A TREE
TO SCHOOL**
PLANT A TREE FOR THE JUBILEE



THE
**QUEEN'S GREEN
CANOPY**

THE PLATINUM JUBILEE 2022