

"Learning Together, Learning for Life"



Newsletter ~ 30th September 2022

Dear Parents and Children,

This week sees the end of September and the weather has certainly shown a more autumn flavour. It is getting much cooler and there have been frequent showers. It is ESSENTIAL that your child comes to school with a coat, please can you clearly write your child's name or add a label so that we are able to return coats if lost. The children go outside unless the weather is very severe and need to be warm and dry. Thank you.

Thought of the Week

A meaningful life is not about being rich, being popular, being highly educated or being perfect... it is about being real, being humble, being strong and being able to share ourselves and touch the lives of others.

Swimming

The swimming pool remains with us and our Y6 children are all now becoming proficient in the water. Next week is the last week for Y6. If your child hasn't yet completed the course please remember to bring in a swim kit every day so that there are no missed opportunities. We would like to see as many children as possible able to swim 25m.

The pool will be back in the summer term for Y4.

Assembly Shout Outs



EYFS

Bella-Rae, Archie, Ted **Year 1** Maddison, Noah, Rhys

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Evelyn, Jemima, Carter

Year 3

George, Luca, Horatio

Year 4

Thomas, Elbey, Kolby

Year 5

Lilly, Aimee-lee, Skyla

Year 6

Paige, Bobby, Leon
Well done to all these children.

The teachers are telling us that it is so difficult to choose children each week because everybody is so good ©. Also only 4 weeks in to term and already there are lots of children with 50 dojos. There have also been some children reaching 100 dojos. This is amazing and shows how fantastic a start everybody has had. Keep up the good work.

Y6 Visit - Trafford Hall

Year 6 will be going on their visit to Trafford Hall the week after next. All Form C's have been returned to school which is great — thank you. Payment should be made prior to the visit where possible, but if this is difficult then please try to meet the deadline of the end of half term. If this is a problem then please contact me directly to discuss as we can work out a plan of support.

Class Dojo



Class Dojo has got off to a brilliant start again this academic year and the children are responding very well. Thank you for all your engagement and support with this and, if you haven't done so already, please join your child's class. There are some really useful functions on Class Dojo such as the Class Stories and Messaging.

A 'Dojo reward point' can be awarded by any staff member to any child at any time to reward and reinforce positive behaviour as it occurs. This reinforces our philosophy that the care of all our children is the responsibility of all adults in school. Once a child gets the following dojo point amounts then they are rewarded with:

· 50 Dojos DOJO POSTCARD/Certificate

· 100 Dojos Stationery Shop item

· 150 Dojos DOJO BOOK stall – choose a book!

Once a child achieves 150 Dojos/prize then they go back to 0 on the system and repeat the reward system.

Parents/carers can message teachers via Dojo; however, a response will only be given during the hours of 8.30am – 4pm Monday-Friday as the rest of the time teachers are set on 'quiet time'. Please be aware that teachers will not necessarily respond to messages straight away but will endeavour to do so within 48 hours, during working days only. They may also not read the message that you have sent until the end of the day due to their teaching commitments.

Parents/carers should not use this messaging tool to enquire about the progress of their child but can use it to arrange a telephone call/meeting with class teachers to discuss any questions they may have.

The following matters should always go through the main office:

- Absence (such as medical appointments or medical results)
- Sickness
- School dinner enquiries
- Complaints
- Urgent messages (e.g. collection of children)
- Safeguarding concerns

Mablins Lane Behaviour Code SEPT 2022:

As our school we pride ourselves on children maintaining good/exemplarily behaviour, please see our updated Behaviour and Discipline policy on the school website for more information:

Behaviour and Discipline Policy

Pupils are expected to:

- Behave in an orderly and selfcontrolled way
- Show respect to members of staff and each other
- In class, make it possible for all pupils to learn
- Move quietly around the school
- Treat the school buildings and school property with respect
- Wear the correct uniform at all times
- Accept sanctions when given
- Refrain from behaving in a way that brings the school into disrepute, including when outside school

Trim Trail

After what seems like forever — we are now pleased to report that our 'Trim Trail' has been installed. We have literally been waiting years so it is very much anticipated. Installation was completed earlier in the week and it has now been inspected and passed. A timetable has been drawn up allowing all groups a safe slot to access and use the trail.

TRIM TRAIL

PLEASE can parents note that:
THE TRAIL MUST NOT BE USED BY
ANYBODY BEFORE AND AFTER
SCHOOL.

We do not accept any liability to any injuries sustained if somebody were to use the equipment during those times.

Tablets

A reminder tablets MUST be brought to school every day, charged and ready to use. We can charge tablets in school if necessary but obviously don't have



the availability to charge all tablets at the same time!!!

Uniform

It has been lovely to see the children back in smart uniform. Please make sure that all clothing is named. Name labels are available from the school office if required at a competitive price. There have already been some 'lost items' which do not have names!



A reminder that children should children wish to play on the 'astro' pitches during break times they must

change in to a pair of trainers.

PE POLICY

- Plain dark shorts or joggers
- Plain white or blue t-shirt
- No jewellery, including earrings

PE kits should be brought in to school for PE days and the children will change in school. PE kit should be plain – not football kits or beach wear please. Plain dark shorts/joggers and a white/blue t-shirt. A reminder that jewellery including earrings MUST NOT be worn in PE sessions. This is following Cheshire East Health and Safety guidance.

PTA AGM

The PTA held their AGM in school on Tuesday this week. It was lovely to see some new faces.

Thanks were given to Rachel Warburton and Christine Lalouani who have now left the PTA as their children have moved on to High school. Their departure left some vacancies which thankfully people have stepped in to. Positions were elected as follows:

CHAIR - Carol Williams

VICE CHAIR - Rachel Davies

SECRETARY - Rachel Urguhart

TREASURER - Shirley Stafford

The first event in the diary is the Halloween Bingo. There will be a non-uniform day on THURSDAY 20TH OCTOBER. EYFS/Y1/Y2 should bring in chocolate/sweets and Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6 should bring in bottles for the pleasure of wearing non-uniform. The items will then be combined to make hampers and prizes for the Bingo night. There will also be a cash prize too!

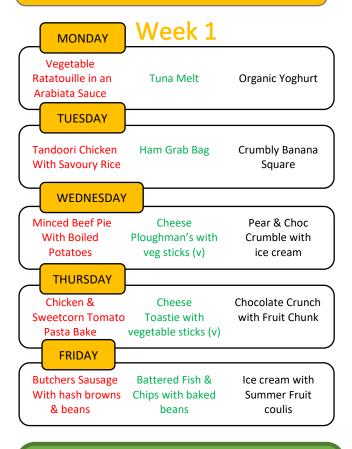
MABLINS LANE PTA EVENT NON-UNIFORM DAY THURSDAY 20TH OCTOBER PLEASE MAKE A DONATION FOR OUR BINGO PRIZES EYFS, YRI & YR2 CHOCOLATE & SWEETS YR3, YR4, YR5 & YR6 BOTLE DONATION Many Thanks

Door open for the Bingo at 6:00pm with eyes down at 6:30pm. We have 2 expert bingo callers lined up who will bring fun and entertainment to the evening.



Refreshments will be available including drinks, hot dogs and doughnuts. It will be a fun night for all. Please do support us. All funds raised will be direct straight back in to school to support ALL children.

SCHOOL LUNCHES



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

JOY'S NOTICEBOARD

Friday 7th October Music for all at lunchtime

Wednesday I2th October Spice Up Your Life theme lunch

Thursday 13th October MENU CHANGE Gammon or Turkey Grab bag

Medical Health Plans

If you have not completed your Medical Health Plan and returned it to school then please contact the school office as a matter of urgency. Mrs Eastwood will be

checking through the plans and will contact families if there is anything outstanding.

COVID

We must be mindful that Covid has not gone away.

If your child does show any symptoms at all then please do not send them in to school.

If anybody in your house receives a positive result then that person should isolate and should not come to school. Please be vigilant where there are positive cases in the household.

The guidance is 5 days isolation for adults and 3 days for children.

123 Magic Parenting Course

Mrs Bebbington and Mrs Dibbens are running some 123 Magic courses for parents in school. If this is something you might be interested in joining in the future then please contact the school office.

School Photographs



Tempest Photography will be visiting school on **Wednesday 19th October** to take individual school photographs. Sibling group photographs will be taken later on in the school year.

Reminder

The school site follows a **NO smoking policy.** This includes **NO vaping**. Please can we remind all families to stick to this rule when collecting children and waiting on the playground or car park.



Scooters and Bikes

We have noticed a large number of scooters and bikes on the playground at the start and end of the day. We are pleased that families are taking a healthier option but could we please insist that once inside the gates and on to the playground that children **walk** with their bikes and scooters to avoid any accidents.

POLITE NOTICE

PLEASE WALK WITH YOUR BIKE OR SCOOTER ONCE INSIDE THE SCHOOL GATES & ON PLAYGROUND

Secondary School Admissions 2023

The deadline for applying for secondary school places for September 2023 is the **31**st **October 2022**. If your child has an EHCP, their application should be submitted by **21**st **October 2022**.

To apply, please visit:

https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schools/admissions/a pply-for-september-2023-school-place.aspx

We have emailed a letter from Cheshire East School Admissions about the admission process this morning. If you have any questions, then please contact School Admissions directly on 0300 123 5012 or email admissions@cheshireeast.gov.uk

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myHappymind Accreditation

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded a Bronze accrediation from myHappymind. We've received this award for our work around improving children's mental health across the school.



Take care and look after yourselves.

With kind regards Justine Joule - Headteacher

Dates



for your School Dates for Your Diary

Date	Event
W/B Monday 3 rd October	Swimming pool for Y6
Wednesday 5 th October	123 Magic course 1-3pm
W/B Monday 10 th October	Y6 Visit to Trafford Hall
W/B Monday 17 th October	Interim assessment week
Monday 17 th October	Full Governors
Tuesday 18 th October	Fluenz jabs (EYFS-Y6)
Wednesday 19th October	School Individual Photograph Day
Thursday 20 th October	Non-uniform (Bottle and chocolate
	donation requested)
Thursday 20 th October	PTA Bingo evening 6pm
Thursday 20th October	Children break up for half term
Thursday 20th October	Parent meeting appointments (10
(3:30-6:00)	minutes)
Friday 21st October	Parent meeting appointments (10
(9:00-3:00)	minutes)
Friday 21st October	STAFF INSET
Monday 31st October	Children return to school