

Mablins Lane Community Primary School Newsletter ~ 24th March 2023

Dear Parents and Children,
Last week was a rather unusual week in school and we did not have a newsletter. Thankfully we are back to normal this week and have lots of exciting news to share with you all.

Thought of the Week



Y4 Anglesey Trip

Well – Spring was nowhere in sight last week! The weather on our visit was awful, cold, wet and windy BUT our Y4 pupils were amazing. They embraced all the activities and had a thoroughly enjoyable time. They were excellent ambassadors for the school and I am very proud of their resilience and maturity. Well done Year 4.

Sadly there was some illness on our visit and Miss Hickman and Miss Cross have both been unwell and out of school this week. We wish them both a speedy recovery and hope to see them back in school next week.



South Stack Lighthouse - Anglesey

NEU Industrial Action

Sadly we had to close the school to some year groups last Wednesday and Thursday. As it stands we are not aware of any further dates for industrial action, but the dispute remains unresolved. I will pass on any further information as soon as I am able to should there be further disruption within school.

Celebration Assembly



EYFS

Maisie, Hallie Rae & Seth

YEAR 1

Beatrice, Jack & Noah

YEAR 2

Bailey, Luke & Phoebe

YEAR 3

Alfie, Jakub & Jaxson

YEAR 4

Sophia, Joshua & Elijah

YEAR 5

Millie, Hayley & Henry

YEAR 6

Whole of Year 6

Talents & Achievements



Riley from Yr3 Mrs Herd's class won Man of the Match, goalkeeping for Crewe Town FC.

Red Nose Day



World Down Syndrome Day – 21st March

World Down Syndrome Day Gingerbread Sock Sale raised an amazing £586. The whole school rocked their socks in support of the day. Mrs Wagstaffe's helpers deserve a special Thank You for selling the biscuits and doing such a brilliant job.



Mablins Sports News

Our Y5/6 Girls basketball 🏀 team took part in the Cheshire & Warrington School Games County Finals @Rudheath Senior Academy on



Thursday and performed brilliantly! They won 3 matches and drew 1 on their way to the final, where they got revenge for their draw against Alderley Edge, beating them 8-2 in the final! The girls showed tremendous effort, skill and teamwork throughout the day and should

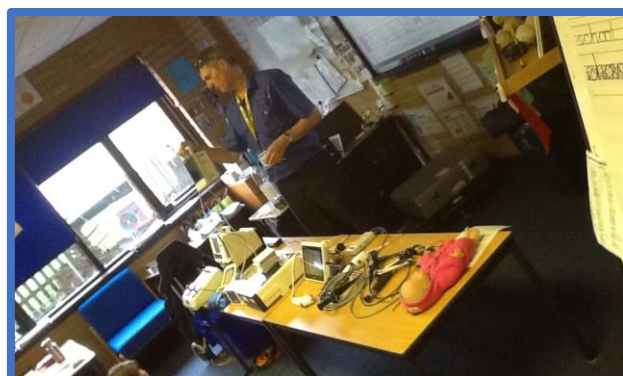
be extremely proud of their efforts! Special mention to parent helpers and Mrs Thorburn, our lucky mascot!

Girls Football Team - On Friday 17th March, the Mablins Lane Girls football team represented Crewe Alex in the Regional Finals of the Premier League Primary Stars competition at Manchester City's Academy complex. The girls played 10, 10-minute games in total and produced some fantastic performances. In all, we won 5, drew 2 and lost 3 games, drawing with the eventual winners, Bolton FC. The girls had a fantastic experience and thoroughly enjoyed the day. Many thanks to Nick and Ray from Crewe Alex in the Community for organising our participation and driving us to and from Manchester.



Science News

Some of the year 3 children enjoyed exploring medical equipment from Leighton hospital last week. They learnt how to look inside the body using equipment.



KS2 also had a visitor that did a science show called 'Chemistry with Cabbage'. The learnt how to mix household products together to get chemical reactions. They found it very exciting!



Mablins PTA News

Each class now has a 2-litre bottle which can be filled with loose change. Any coins (English currency) can be dropped in to the bottle with the aim being to fill up the bottle by the end of May. There will be 3 TOP prizes for the classes raising the most money from their bottles. Start digging around in the back of the sofa for any coins that may be hiding! Some of the bottles are already filling up nicely. Many thanks for supporting us with this challenge.



SCHOOL LUNCHES

MONDAY

Week 1

Homemade Pizza with a Choice of toppings	Quorn Korma with Rice & Cous Cous (v)	Fresh Fruit Platter or Organic Yoghurt
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TUESDAY

Beef Pasta Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling/s (v)	Fresh fruit platter or fruit crumble & custard
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WEDNESDAY

Butchers Sausage, Mash potato, carrots Broccoli & gravy	Fresh fruit platter or Organic Yoghurt or Cookie of the Day
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THURSDAY

Leek & Bacon Pasta Bake with sweetcorn	Vegetarian sausage rolls with mash potato Mixed veg & gravy (v)	Fresh Fruit platter or Warm choc brownie & chocolate sauce
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FRIDAY

Battered Fish with Chips, mushy peas / Peas & tomato sauce	Homemade vegetable Frittata with chips (v)	Fresh fruit platter or Coconut crunch & Fruit chunk
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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](#)

Mablins Lane PTA

Penny Wars

BOTTLE CHALLENGE

THE RULES

- Starts after half term, you have until the end of May.
- Each class has their own 2 litre bottle for collecting money.
- Collect money in class bottle.
- Start digging around in the back of the sofa for any coins that may be hiding!

**3 TOP
PRIZES**

**FOR THE CLASSES
THAT RAISE THE
MOST MONEY**

**MARCH TO
MAY
CHALLENGE**

All proceeds will benefit Mablins Lane CP School
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Two gift baskets are displayed on a wooden surface. Each basket is wrapped in clear plastic and tied with a large yellow ribbon bow. The baskets contain various items: a Cadbury Dairy Milk Butterfinger bar, a Cadbury Twirl or Wispa bar, a mug, and a plush toy. The baskets are set against a background of shelves with various items.

The PTA are running two name the bunny competitions, £1 per go. Each of the competitions have a 1st prize Easter Hamper and 2nd prize Easter Egg. Year 6 will bring the competition to classes for a chance to win.

Save the date – FRIDAY 30TH JUNE 3-6pm

Further details to follow. If you have any ideas, or can help in any way then please join us on Tuesday 25th April at the next planning meeting, 3:30pm in school.



Jackie @ The White Lion



Julie @ Bluebells Florists



Easter Bunny Competition



123 Magic Parenting Course

The next 123 Magic Parenting course is running on the following dates:

21st April - 9:05-11:30

28th April - 9:05-11:30

5th May - 9:05-11:30

Attendance at all three sessions is essential to complete the course. If you would like to book a place then please contact the school office. Parents who have previously attended speak highly of the training and have found it very useful.

Contact Details

If you have moved house, changed telephone number or would like to make changes to emergency contact numbers, please email:-

admin@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk with details and we will amend our records.

CONTACT DETAILS

DON'T FORGET TO UPDATE THE OFFICE IF YOU CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER OR EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Term Dates

CHILDREN BREAK UP FOR EASTER

FRIDAY 3RD MARCH

BACK TO SCHOOL

MONDAY 17TH APRIL

With kind regards

Justine Joule – Headteacher

Dates
for your ***School Dates for Your Diary***



Date	Event
Fri 24 th Mar	Yr3 Assembly for parents 2.30pm
Fri 31 st Mar	Yr4 Carnival Concert for parents 2.00pm Blists Hill Visit Y6

	Children Break Up for Easter
17 th April	Back to School
1 st May	Bank Holiday
8 th May	King's Coronation Bank Holiday

Keeping in touch



Our main switchboard telephone number is **01270 749908** and will show as this on caller ID



We use e-mail as our main method of communicating with parents and carers as it's quick, efficient and cost effective. Please make sure we have your current e-mail address so you don't miss important communications.



We also distribute up-to-the-minute information via Twitter **@MablinsSchool** which can be viewed on the front page of our website



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Please be reminded that the teachers are busy with their classes during the day and are not available for appointments unless previously arranged. The best time for appointments is after school.