

# "Learning Together, Learning for Life"



# Mablins Lane Community Primary School Newsletter ~ 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023

Dear Parents and Children,

Another lovely sunny week in school this week, although we have had one or two showers! The weather has matched events, but I am pleased to say that the sun has triumphed and we continue to be as bright and cheerful as ever. Mablins Lane has a strong team that work relentlessly to provide wonderful opportunities and this week has been no exception.

# **Thank a Teacher Day**

Wednesday 21st June was National 'Thank a Teacher Day'. Many thanks to those of you who took the time to send in a special message to our staff. We had many many wonderful messages sent to our teachers,



support staff, leadership and year group teams. These messages of thanks and support are very much appreciated. It is good to know that so many of you appreciate what 'Team Mablins' does for the children in our care.

Thank you for your support with M over the past year. M has settled into school well with the help and support that she has received from yourself and your team. M has loved having you as her teacher and will miss you when she moves up to year 1. ©

I'd just like to thank you for being a fantastic teaching assistant in my class. I love how you join in with us, doing activities especially football and PE. You make my year 4 class fun!

Thank you to Mr B for all your kindness and the support you have given to A. It has meant the world  $\mathfrak S$ 

Mrs J you are an amazing teacher! The children in your class are lucky to have you and you inspire every child that you teach. Mablins is lucky to have you.

We are lucky to have so many wonderful children and families working with us at Mablins.



Thought of the Week



# **Celebration Assembly**



Another fabulous Friday assembly ©

Lovely to see all the children in non-uniform supporting our PTA donation day. We have had some great shout outs this week and have lots of children now visiting the stationary shop and book store as they have achieved 100 or 150 dojos. Well done everybody.

**FYFS** 

Ederson, Adriano & Amelia

Υ1

Zuzannah, Rowan, Charlie & Aoife-Marie

**Y2** 

Phoebe, Ivy & Jack

**Y3** 

Emmet, Lilia & Carlie

**Y4** 

Jamie, Dougie & Zariya

**Y5** 

Amber, George & Jacob

**Y6** 

# **Talents & Achievements**

Here's Sam from Yr6SJ showing off his Level 8 Trampolining certificate.



Make a £ Grow Week



This week Y6 have taken over the main hall setting up stalls and becoming entrepreneurs as they have tried to make their £ Grow. The challenge was to take £1 and make it grow as much as possible.

There has been lots of sugar (for one week only!!!) and cakes but the support has been impressive. We are truly very proud of our Y6 children. I think the next Alan Sugar 'Apprentice' could be here at Mablins.

# MABLINS LANE THEAPPRENTICE

Thank you to the parents who have helped and supported the children in their venture, and to the rest of the school for supporting the stalls.

# **School Improvement Partner Visit**

This week our school improvement partner came to undertake his summer visit. He was most impressed and gave very positive feedback. He particularly made reference to the developments in EYFS and their beautiful areas for learning. All actions from the Spring had been completed which was another big positive.

### **New Starters**

This week we have welcomed the second half of our September new starters for a 'storytime' with their new teacher. Parents have been invited to stay to hear more about how the children will start their learning at Mablins.

We have met all the children now. They have a couple more visits to get to know us better and then the **Teddy Bears Picnic is on Monday 17**<sup>th</sup> **July at 10:00.** 

We are very much looking forward to them all starting with us in September and being part of our school family.



# Mablins Lane Sponsored Virtual Fun Run to Australia

We've done it!! Pupils have clocked up in excess of the target 9442 miles.

We are honestly blown away with Mablins Lane parental generosity and SUPPORT over the last few weeks! THANK YOU from the bottom of our hearts! We have been able to book the playground marking company to do the work in the summer holidays.

We are really delighted that you have ALL made this happen.







# **PTA Penny Wars**

Penny wars raised £730.64 wow!

Team Mablins does it again. All those odd coins and loose change gave us an amazing grand total. We very much appreciate your efforts. The total will go in to PTA funds and help to support current projects which include support with coaches for visits and a new sound system for the main hall.



Mrs Gaunt's Yr1 Class came in 1st, collecting the most money. Their prize was a movie and popcorn.



Miss Collins EYFS Class were 2<sup>nd</sup>, here they are enjoying their ice lolly prize.



Year 5 Mr McLean's class came in 3<sup>rd</sup> and enjoyed a lovely refreshing ice lolly.

# Summer Fair

ITS NEARLY HERE!!!!

If you are able to provide support with setting up, running a stall or clearing away then we would like to

hear from you. 'Many hands make light work'. 'The more the Merrier'. Please contact the school office or a member of the committee.

Your help would be much appreciated.

Lots of exciting stalls and refreshments are planned so please do come and support us.



# **Mablins Sports News**

# **Golf Competition**

The following children represented the school brilliantly and performed excellently at the Tri Golf Competition on Wednesday, unfortunately due to the rain we ended up being the only 2 teams



who stayed and finished the activities but as a result we were also crowned champions for the 2nd year running! Well done to all of our young Tiger Woods and Rose Zhangs!!!

# **OUR GOLFING SUPERSTARS**

Y3
Ruby, Frankie & Alisha
Y4
Rosie, Zariya, Archie, Marley, Max, Jack
& Jamie
Y5
Louie, Stevie, Indy & Ffion
Y6
Amelia, Abi, Ben, Alfie, Aston & Max

# **Girls Football**

Shout out to the girls who played football against Hungerford last night and narrowly lost 2-1.

Freya, Abi, Olivia M, Isla, Ava-Lily, Mya, Emily and Olivia S who had a great game in goal.

### **Sports Week**

Next week is our sports week and includes sporting opportunities throughout the week. There will also be the traditional 'sports day events' to which parents are invited, see dates and times.



We hope that the sun shines (not too hot!) and the events can proceed. A decision will be made each day on the viability of the event and a message will be sent via Dojo to inform if it has to be cancelled. No message will mean that the event is taking place as scheduled.

Mablins Lane School Council will be selling ice lollies and water at each event for 50p, all money raised will go to our playground fund  $\odot$ 

MABLINS SCHOOL COUNCIL SPORTS DAY REFRESHMENT SALE

ICE LOLLIES AND WATER 50p

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### **School Uniform**

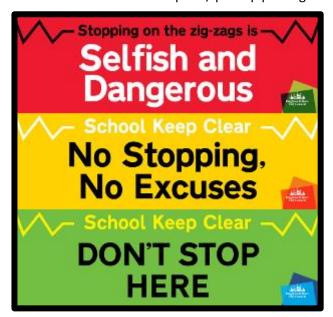
As the summer approaches we invite pupils to wear shorts or summer dresses to school, and sensible sandals. We are proud of our school uniform and how smart it looks. Please support us by encouraging your child to wear the correct uniform. We have noticed lots of trainers recently. We understand that parents may not be able to afford school shoes and trainers, but we ask that children only come to school in dark trainers and not

white or multi-coloured ones. We are actually seeing some very expensive trainers – they are not part of our uniform code.

# PLEASE WEAR CORRECT SCHOOL UNIFORM

# Parking update

We continue to monitor parking around the school at the start and end of the school day. Many thanks to those families who have shown their support. Please be reminded that the Eight Farmers pub car park has been made available for school drop off / pick up parking.



# **Health Alert**

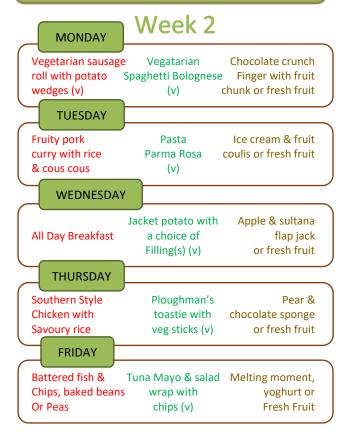
UKHSA has reported an increase in measles across the country and is encouraging people to check that they and their children have had two doses of the MMR vaccine. If children and young adults have missed these vaccinations in the past, they can get the vaccine now from GPs, particularly in light of the recent cases.

Anyone with symptoms is advised to stay at home and phone their GP/NHS 111 for advice.

Measles symptoms include:

- high fever
- sore, red, watery eyes
- coughing
- aching and feeling generally unwell
- a blotchy red brown rash, which usually appears after the initial symptoms.

# **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



# **Contact Details**

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

<u>admin@mablinslane.cheshire.sch.uk</u> 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

# Ways to Take Care I of Books



- I. Don't write in your book!
- 2. Don't get your book wet!
- 3. Keep away from babies and pets!
- 4. Keep your books in a safe place!
- 5. Don't eat or drink when you're reading a book!

# **Cheshire East Council libraries**

Cheshire East Council has launched a public consultation on a proposal to reduce the current opening hours of libraries across the borough so that all sites are closed for at least 1.5 days during the week and is now asking for feedback on how this could be implemented. The proposal follows the approval of the council's Medium Term Financial Strategy (MTFS) in February, which includes proposals for how the council will balance its budget for the next four years.

Have your say on plans for your local library. Take part in @cheshireeast consultation on proposals for library opening hours across the borough.

Find out more and take part by 9 July at <a href="https://surveys.cheshireeast.gov.uk/s/Library\_Service\_C">https://surveys.cheshireeast.gov.uk/s/Library\_Service\_C</a> <a href="mailto:onsultation\_2023">onsultation\_2023</a>

# **NEU Industrial Action**

The NEU have announced two further days of industrial action prior to the end of term:

# Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July

I am hoping to send out details to parents with regard to the school's position on Monday once I have collated responses from teachers.

I will have to undertake a full risk assessment and follow the LA guidance. At this stage, I would anticipate that the school will be partially open.

For some Y6 - Friday 7<sup>th</sup> was a transition day. These High Schools have rescheduled in order that the session is not missed.

# WHEN THE SUN SHINES

PLEASE REMEMBER A HAT, SUNSCREEN AND A REFILLABLE WATER BOTTLE

With kind regards

Justine Joule - Headteacher

# Dates for your

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Date	Event
W/B 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Week
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Y5/6 (1:30 – 3:00)
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Transition:
	Malbank/Sandbach
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Y3/4 (1:30 – 3:00)
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Transition:
	Malbank/Sandbach/BLS
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports EYFS (9:30 – 10:30)
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Y1/2 (1:30 – 3:00)
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Transition: Malbank/BLS
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA SUMMER FAIR (3-6pm)
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Transition: The
	Oaks/Ruskin/St Thomas
	Moore

Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Transition: The
	Oaks/Ruskin/St Thomas
	Moore
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Bootcamp 'Grease'
	rehearsal (9:00 – 3:00)
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Performance – GREASE
	(6:30pm)
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Performance – GREASE
	(6:30pm) + after show party
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Reports out to parents
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Class Swap morning
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Rounders Y6 V teachers
Thursday 20th July	Leavers Assembly (09:15)
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	END OF SUMMER TERM

# 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 www.mablinslaneschool.co.uk

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.

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

