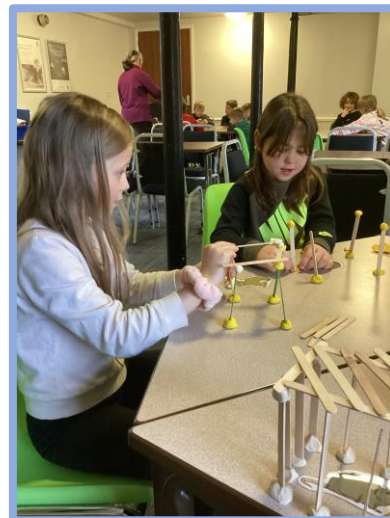
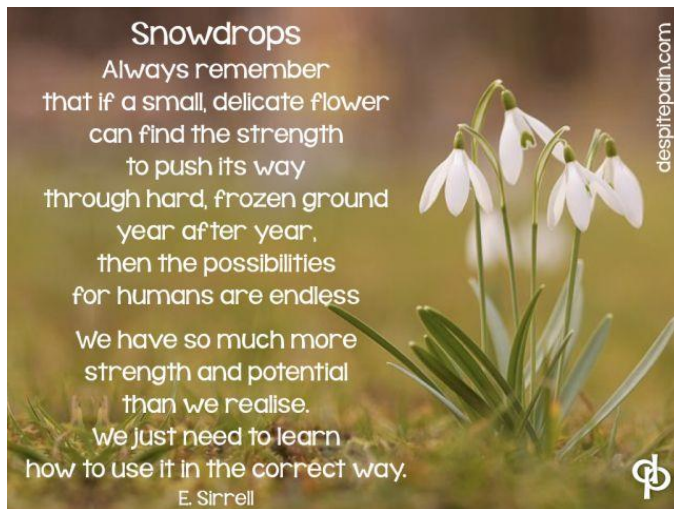


Mablins Lane Community Primary School Newsletter ~ 26th January 2024

Dear Parents and Children,

What a week!! Busy in school and a lovely visit with Y2 to Derbyshire. The evenings are getting a little bit lighter and it feels like spring is not too far away. We saw some snowdrops on our visit, always a good sign that winter is almost over.

Thought of the Week



Events this week:

Y2 Visit to Hartington – Derbyshire

63 Year 2 children joined their teachers for a two-night stay at Hartington YHA at the start of the week. The weather was not very kind to us as the wind blew and the rain fell, but that did not dampen spirits. We had a nice walk, looked around the village and completed aspects of the Geography curriculum as well as learning how to look after ourselves whilst away from our families.



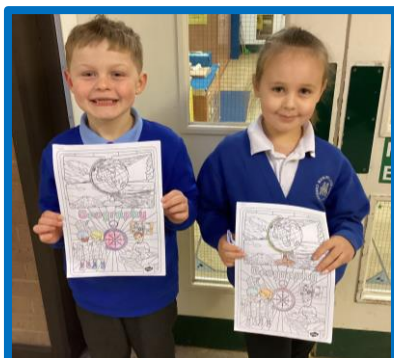
It was a great visit – many thanks to the teachers who gave up the time away from their families to attend.





Y2 in school

Those children who did not attend the visit had a great time in school, also doing lots of Geography work with Mrs Stant, Miss Gibson, Mrs Palin, Mrs Monaghan, Miss Smith and Miss Hawley.



KS2 Music assembly

Most of Key stage 2 had the opportunity to attend an assembly delivered by the 'Love Music Trust' this week. They brought lots of different instruments and showcased them to the children.



Music lessons are available and if the children were inspired by any of the instruments these can be accessed in school. Further information about learning a musical instrument has been emailed to all Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 children. (Y4 will have a presentation in their music lesson next week.) All the costs and online application can be accessed on the Love Music Trust website, click [here](#) for the link. If your child is interested in accessing music lessons from Love Music Trust, after February half term, in school, please complete the online form by the **12th February**.

Cooking Club

At Cooking Club on Tuesday, we made some delicious healthy pizzas and a pasta dish. The children spread their sauce and chopped their toppings! We then used the left overs to make some healthy pasta, again they chopped the ingredients to go in, mixed and shared it out equally.



Cooking Club



Celebration Assembly



A Big Well Done to all of Year 2!

EYFS

Harry, Ollie & Giovanni

Year 1

Archie, Evie & Isla

Year 2

NAMES

Year 3

Phoebe, Leah & Sophie

Year 4

Lois, Oscar & Cody-Lee

Year 5

Harry, Georgina & Rosie

Year 6

Peggy-Louise, Henry & Leila

Staff Shouts

A big shout out to all the staff members that were on the Year 2 residential. Thank you for your commitment and enthusiasm!

ACHIEVEMENTS



Chloe Y3 SH had her first Feis (Irish) Dance Show at the weekend and came first in everything bar one where she came second.

WOW! Well done on your first competition – that's a fantastic achievement!



Poppy Y6SJ has been wowing the crowds in a dance show.



Jack Y3SH has taken up rollerblading!

Mablins Sports News

On Monday, Mablins Dodgeball team took part in the Spring Dodgeball competition at SWS High School. The team played in 6 rounds of games with each game consisting of 5 'ends'. The children performed brilliantly, competing honestly and with a high level of sportsmanship against all of the other schools participating. Thanks to Mrs Forrester for helping with transport and assisting.



Next Week

We are having a visit from the Local Authority as well as having a photoshoot to take new pictures for our website and prospectus.

On Friday the School Council are visiting The Houses of Parliament in London as part of their citizenship and democracy work.

Parent Meetings



APPOINTMENT TIMES WILL BE RELEASED NEXT WEEK!

Parent meetings are scheduled for w/b 12th February. These will be a max 10-minute appointment. There will be the opportunity to come to school for a face to face appointment or to have a TEAMS or telephone call.

Foodbank Friday

To help support our families we have decided to hold a 'Foodbank Friday' on one Friday each half term. We invite donations of: tinned food, UHT milk, jam, rice pudding, tinned fruit, dried goods eg rice/pasta, non-perishable store cupboard items.

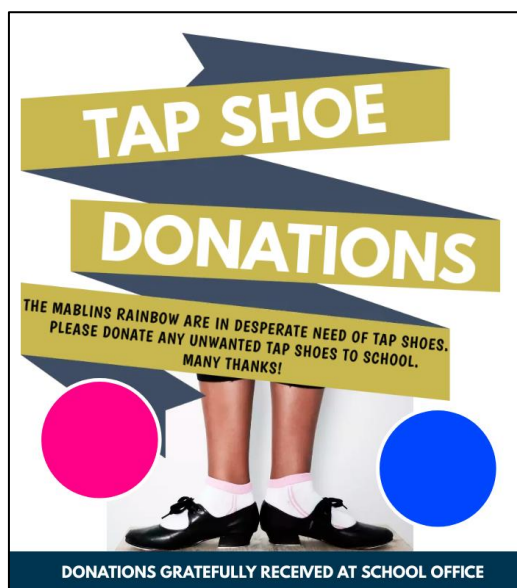
All contributions will be donated to the Community Pantry for distribution to those families in need.

The dates selected for the Spring Term are:

- Friday 9th February
- Friday 22nd March



Tap Shoes Wanted Please Help!



SCHOOL LUNCHES

Week 1

MONDAY

Ravioli with a Homemade Arrabbiata Sauce (v)	Vegetable Frittata with salad potatoes (v)	Lemon Bites, Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit Platter
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TUESDAY

Butchers Sausage, creamed potatoes vegetables & gravy	Plant Friendly sausage, potatoes, vegetables & gravy (v)	Steamed pear, peach & sultana sponge with custard or fruit
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WEDNESDAY

Gammon & pineapple potatoes, carrots, peas & gravy	Quorn fillet, potatoes, carrots peas & gravy (v)	Chocolate crunch finger with fruit chunk or fresh fruit
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THURSDAY

Sticky chicken fillet with savoury rice	Vegetarian cottage pie with vegetables (v)	Fruit crumble & custard or Fresh fruit platter
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FRIDAY

Fish / Salmon Fish Fingers, chips and Peas or baked beans	Texan Quorn Tortilla boat with chips (v)	Banana & chocolate muffin or Fresh fruit platter
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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](#)

HEALTHY SCHOOL REMINDERS

- No chocolate, crisps, sweets or fizzy drinks for snack time
- Do not share food with your friends
- We are a nut free school

Payment for Trips & Dinners

Please can we remind parents that trips and dinners must be paid for in advance using the [Cheshire East School Shop epayment system](#). If you are having difficulty with making a payment, check out the [parent guide](#). The school office staff are happy to give advice or process the payment through the school office account.

SEN Support

Do you think your child has autism?

Please find to follow a list of resources which may be able to offer you support in the home.



On the CEAT website there is a section for parents with some useful resources and links

[Autism \(cheshireeast.gov.uk\)](http://Autism(cheshireeast.gov.uk))

[Together OMG template \(cheshireeast.gov.uk\)](http://Together OMG template (cheshireeast.gov.uk))

The Autism Education Trust.

[For Parents | Autism Education Trust](#)

The National Autistic Society also has sections for parents to access advice/support and resources

[National Autistic Society \(autism.org.uk\)](http://National Autistic Society (autism.org.uk))

The Wytherslack group offer information for parents online, there are lots of free training sessions for autism, girls and autism and information for parents [Special Educational Needs Schools & SEND Support - Witherslack Group](#)

The Live Well portal for Cheshire East, gives information on the different services that are available in the area.

[Live Well Cheshire East](#)

Monks Coppenhall in Crewe have a new family hub which specialises in providing support for children and young people with SEN – why not pop down and see what additional support they could offer you.

[Monks Coppenhall Children's Centre \(cheshireeast.gov.uk\)](http://Monks Coppenhall Children's Centre (cheshireeast.gov.uk))

Visyon offer parent webinars online to discuss common issues in relation to supporting a range of different needs-eg: anxiety; sleep; supporting emotions and sensory processing.

[SUPPORT FOR PARENTS | visyon](#)

WELLBEING

PARENT DROP-IN SESSIONS

Every Wednesday

8:30am - 9:15am

Please contact Mrs Dibbens or the School Office on Monday's if you would like to attend.

Reminder

Year 6 currently enter school via the main entrance at the front of school. This door does not open for children until **08:30**. Some children are arriving very early and are being disruptive. Please support us by speaking to your children and only dropping them off just before 08:30.

Similarly the Year 5 children waiting by the gate should not be arriving before 08:30 when the link door opens.

The link door closes at **08:45** and after this time children should access through the playground or via the main office.

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

With kind regards

Justine Joule – Headteacher

Dates
for your



Date	Event
30 th Jan	123 Magic 9-11:30
2 nd Feb	School Council – London visit
w/b 12 th Feb	Parent Meetings
Fri 16 th Feb	Break Up

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
	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

Come and sing with

Nantwich Young Voices

When: Tuesday
Where: The Chapel @ Elim Church, Nantwich
Time: 4:15pm - 5:30pm

For Children aged 6 -13 years
The group also perform regularly at concerts and events

To sign up please visit
lovemusictrust.com/ensembles
or call 01270 766214

lovemusictrust.com | 01270 766214 | [lovemusictrust](https://www.facebook.com/lovemusictrust)





A great start in life

Do you have a child under 5?

Would you like to:

- feel more confident as a parent?
- reduce mealtime stress?
- enjoy being active as a family more often?
- encourage your child away from screens and TV?
- see your child eat more fruit and vegetables?
- gain ideas to help with family routines?

"I will be recommending this course to everyone. Thank you for this life changing opportunity."

Free HENRY programme starting soon:

Wesley Place Methodist Church - Alsager. Stay and Play session on Thurs 26th Jan from 1 - 2:30pm. Programme to start Thurs 1st Feb 2024 - Thurs 28th March - 12:30 - 3pm. To book onto HENRY, or for more information, please email oaktreefamilyhub@cheshireeast.gov.uk or call 01270 371250

henry www.henry.org.uk

Healthy Start, Brighter Future Pick up a leaflet for more information



Cheshire West End Workshops presents:

MATILDA THE MUSICAL

TWO HALF-DAY WORKSHOP

Saturday 17th February & Sunday 18th February 2024

2.30pm - 5.30pm

Shavington Village Hall, Cheshire

£45 per child
Suitable for ages 5-11
Discount available for siblings

Following our successful workshops in August 2023, join us to learn **MUSIC** and **DANCE** to songs from Matilda the Musical. Have **FUN**, make **FRIENDS** and be taught by West End actors Jessica Joslin and Joseph Anthony

For bookings & further info email cheshirewestendworkshops@outlook.com or head to www.facebook.com/cheshirewestendworkshops



Mablins Lane CP School calendar 2023/24

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School Holidays highlighted BLUE

Bank holidays 2023/24 UK

25 December '23	Christmas Day	1 January '24	New Year's Day
26 December '23	Boxing Day	29 March '24	Good Friday

School Inset days in RED

1 Sept '23	20 Oct '23	22 July '24
6 Oct '23	3 June '24	
1 April '24	Easter Monday	
6 May '24	Early May Bank Holiday	

27 May '24	Spring Bank Holiday
26 August '24	August Bank Holiday

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