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## Spring Term 7<sup>th</sup> February 2018 Newsletter No.5

**Headteacher Awards**

Angela, Fiza, Jay, Juno, Matthew B, Millie, Mollie, Morley, Olivia, Rose, Sasha, Yiannis

The whole of Mayfield School Council (plus 3 extra helpers) for being professional, confident and thorough interviewers last week.

**Core Values Awards**

Alexis, Cansu, Grace, Isaac, La'Donna-Rose, Maisie, Michela, Miriam, Mollie, Noah K, Otis, Tomasz

**RMEasiMaths****Level 1:** Charlie F, Mahreen, Yasmine**Level 2:** Abida, Charlie F, Karima**Level 3:** Rym**Level 4:** Olivier**Level 6:** Shaimaa, Bradley B**Level 9:** Bradley B**Level 10:** Eleanor, Lukas RS**Primary Maths Challenge (Nov 2017)**

Well done to those children who took part in this national challenge (held annually), everyone did their very best and below are the detail of those children who have been awarded certificates.

**Bronze:** Aarifah, Angel-Sophia, Charles, Dora, Edie, Elspeth, Freddy B, Haaniya, Ishmam, Junior, Liam, Luca, Matan, Mirsab, Naomi, Natasha, Pelin, Phoebe, Piotr, Tali, Thomas B, Tommy M, Tom N, Tye, Zoe**Silver:** Christopher, Daniel R, Doroteya, Katie B, Henry B, Henry V, Izzy H, James M, Jun, Juan, Keethana, Magnus, Michela, Miriam, Soren, Timmy B**Gold:** Charlie S, James R, Jonny C, Marco, Simeon, Tess, Zachary**MAT Consultation Meeting**

Firstly a reminder that we have 2 consultation meetings about the proposed MAT taking place tomorrow. The 9am meeting will be happening in the library and the 7pm one in the large hall. You are welcome to bring children with you. We will forward the presentation to you after the meeting.

Secondly, we are working to put together a question and answer sheet for you so that you are fully aware of what has been asked so far. The consultation closes on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February and we are aiming to have the Q&A out to you by this Friday, depending on how quickly we can add in any additions following the meetings on Thursday.**Mrs Hill****Parent-Teacher Consultation Meetings**Parent-teacher consultation meetings are being held at various times during the week commencing 19<sup>th</sup> February. A timetable of sessions is available on the school website <http://mayfieldcambridge.org/?event=parent-teacher-consultations-3> along with instructions on how to use our online booking system[http://mayfieldcambridge.org/?page\\_id=1577](http://mayfieldcambridge.org/?page_id=1577) If you are not able to use the online booking system please speak to either your child's teacher or the school office to make an appointment.**Mrs Vadhia****Parent Governor Election Result**Following the recent request for parent governor nominations I received two nominations for two vacancies. I can therefore confirm the new parent governors with effect from 6 February 2018 are **Anthony Rayner** and **Ed Davison**, both of whom have children in Reception.**Mrs Vadhia**

## Year 6 cake sale - Thursday 8th February

This Thursday 8th February, year 6 will be holding a cake sale. The sale will take place under the year 1 canopy, just to the right of the small reception playground. All cakes will be sold at 50p. 20% of the proceeds will go towards something new for the year 6 classroom & pupils. Many thanks for your support.



Mayfield PTA

## Dinner Money

Please can parents ensure that outstanding balances are settled by half-term.

### Please note the amounts for next half term's school dinners.

Per Day £2.15      Per Week £10.75      Half Term £60.20

Please ensure you keep you balance up to date, if you are not sure what is owed please contact Mrs Khan in the Office. Dinner money can be paid online using our ParentPay system. If you do not have an account please ask at the school office or email [skhan@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:skhan@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk)

Mrs Khan

## New Goal Posts

Recently the school invested in good quality goal posts for the school field. Children should be supervised in the grounds after school, and for their safety we ask that they do not swing on the posts, especially the cross bar. This will also help ensure we can enjoy the goal posts for many years to come. Thank you.

Mr Butler

## Small Violins and Music Books needed

If anyone has any small-size violins at home and would be willing to donate or lend these to children learning in school, please email Anne Taylor ([annetaylor@music@gmail.com](mailto:annetaylor@music@gmail.com)) We are particularly looking for quarter-size and half-size violins. Any music beginner books are also welcome for use by children in school.

Anne Taylor

## World Book Day

World book day is on Thursday 1st March and we will be asking children to dress up as their favourite book character. More details will follow nearer the time but this website gives some costume suggestions: [www.bookaid.org/world-book-day-dress-up](http://www.bookaid.org/world-book-day-dress-up)

Mrs Lupton and Mrs Barnes

## Riveting Reads and Maths Magicians

Last month we launched a new forum on the school website – a place for you to recommend great books for children to read and maths games to help children grasp mathematical concepts in a fun way. Please do post any book recommendations as this will help with book purchases for the school and also help other parents choose engaging books for their children to read at home. You will find the link on the main menu of the school website.

Mrs Barnes

## Arbury Swap, Collect and Fix-Fest, Sat 17<sup>th</sup> Feb, 10am – 4:30pm, Arbury Community Centre



Arbury! Bring us your faulty, torn, wobbly and unwanted items and let's have a huge swap, collect and fix-fest. Highlights include Arbury's first Repair Café at which experienced repairers will fix your stuff for free, a Clothes Swap Party where pre-loved clothes can be swapped for ones that are new to you (the swap is for 0-5yrs and women's wear) and a 'Give-and-Take Shelf'. The City Rangers will be collecting bulky items for residents requiring additional support and Veolia will be providing skips and bins for everyone to help them dispose of items and recycle with ease. There'll also be a wonderful café and short film screenings. All the events and activities are free. For more information please see <http://circularcambridge.org/events/the-arbury-swap-collect-and-fix-fest/>

### Dates for your Diary

<b>MAT Consultation Meeting</b>	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February 2018 9.00am and 7.00pm
<b>Year 6 Cake Sale</b> Outside ICS (under the canopy)	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February 2018 3.15pm