



# Parent Newsletter

Autumn Term 7 – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023

It has been a little quieter in school this week due to Year 6s being away on their residential. Spirals weeks for year 3 and 4 are taking place and they like last week are enjoying a range of activities whilst teachers have 1:1 conversations with children.

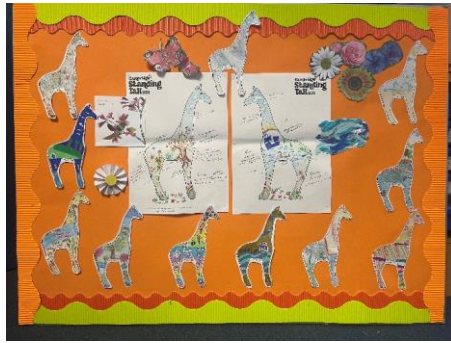
Our Harvest assembly was a great success. We all enjoyed listening to and joining in singing with the choir, and the Ukele group did a great job playing their song. Thank you for all the wonderful donations for the food bank.

Mrs Ayliffe enjoyed her parent/carers tea party and was very pleased with her gift. She is now spending her final week in Cromer with the Year 6s. As I write she will be walking along a windswept beach with them all.

**Sarah Stepney**

<p><b>School Photos Update</b></p>	<p>School Photos are now live</p> <p>If you have pre-registered, you should now have an email with your unique access link. If not please contact Carmel Jane Photography via the following link: <a href="https://www.carmeljane.co.uk/pre-registration-support/">https://www.carmeljane.co.uk/pre-registration-support/</a></p> <p>All photographs will be sent straight to home address with limited discounts available for the first 14 days.</p> <p>If you have not pre-registered and do not have an access link you can also contact the school office.</p>						
<p><b>Outstanding Dinner Balances</b></p>	<p>There are a high number of dinner money debts, please can they be brought up to date before the end of half term. If you wish to know your balance you can email Mrs Khan <a href="mailto:skhan@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk">skhan@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk</a></p> <p>Please note the dinner money will amount due for next half term is higher because it is a longer half term. Day and week payments remain the same.</p> <table data-bbox="375 1680 813 1792"> <tr> <td>Per Day</td> <td>£2.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Per Week</td> <td>£12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Half term</td> <td>£92.50</td> </tr> </table>	Per Day	£2.50	Per Week	£12.50	Half term	£92.50
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<p><b>Office Closed Friday 20<sup>th</sup> from 3.30pm</b></p>	<p>Due to a staff event to say farewell to Mrs Ayliffe the School Office will be closed from 3.30pm this Friday 20<sup>th</sup>.</p>						
<p><b>Year 5 Rugby Tournament</b></p>	<p>On Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October Mrs Jarman and Mr Brown took twelve Year 5 children to a rugby competition at Cambridge Rugby Club. The children were brilliant. There were some superb individual performances and great team work was demonstrated! Well done!</p>						

**Standing Tall 2024**



A final design has been created from some of the children's designs for the giraffe. Many took on the theme of flowers, bugs, the weather and a river which have all been included, as well as the Mayfield logo. Work will begin on the project this week.

**News from the PTA**

**DISCO TIME!**

Entry: £2.50 per child

Tuck shop open!

**FRIDAY 3 NOVEMBER**

3.30pm - 4.15pm Reception & Y1  
4.30pm - 5.15pm Y2 & Y3  
5.30pm - 6.30pm Y4, Y5 & Y6

All children must be supervised

Tickets available on ParentPay  
Find out more at [fundmayfield.com/events](https://fundmayfield.com/events)

The PTA are very excited to report that the school disco is BACK! Join us after school on **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** for three fun discos:

- 3.30pm – 4.15pm – disco for Reception and Y1
- 4.30pm – 5.15pm – disco for Years 2 and 3
- 5.30pm – 6.30pm – disco for Years 4, 5 and 6

There will be a tuck shop selling snacks and drinks, a bar for the grown ups and plenty of fun to be had!

Please note: all children must be supervised by a designated adult.

Tickets are available now on ParentPay. Find out more at [fundmayfield.com/events](https://fundmayfield.com/events)

If you are able to lend a hand on the day, please sign up [here](#)

**A huge thank you**

Thank you so much to everyone who created art, baked cakes, helped out, joined in or quizzed last Friday for the Mrs Ayliffe celebrations and the Governors & PTA quiz night. Read our round-up of the two events here: [fundmayfield.com/news](https://fundmayfield.com/news)

**Bunting**

The eagle-eyed amongst you might have noticed that our new, very own bunting was up in the Large Hall on Friday. It was looking great, with a fun mix of classic flags and more personal ones with drawings and artwork on them. We'd love to have more! Bunting templates are still available at the school office and you can download your own at [fundmayfield.com/bunting](https://fundmayfield.com/bunting) – a perfect activity for a slow half term day maybe!

**Dates for the Diary**

Half Term	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October
INSET Day	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October – No children in school
School Disco	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November