



Parent Newsletter

Autumn Term 11 – Wednesday 22nd November 2023

We have decided to revive our Instagram page and will be posting regular updates of things that are going on in and around school. Go to [mayfieldcambridge](https://www.instagram.com/mayfieldcambridge) on Instagram to find out more.

We are excited to be sharing the completed Alan the Giraffe with the school on Friday and Alan's sponsors will be coming along to meet him. Do look at Mayfield's Instagram page: [mayfieldcambridge](https://www.instagram.com/mayfieldcambridge) to see pictures.

Teachers have had a busy week completing Parent Consultations. If you weren't able to sign up, or missed a slot due to our very inconvenient loss of internet on Monday evening then please do get in touch with your child's teacher to arrange a meeting.

The Christmas concert will take place on 6th December at 6.30pm at St Matthew's Church in Cambridge. This is not a ticketed event and everyone is very welcome. We just ask that you do accompany your own children to ensure that there is adequate adult supervision. In this way everyone will be able to enjoy the wonderful music that the children having been practising together.

Sarah Stepney

Flu Immunisations Friday 24th November

If your child missed the immunisation on Monday, they will have the opportunity to have it this **Friday 24th November**.

If your child was absent or missed Monday, you do not have to do anything. The same consent form will be referred to.

If you would like your child to have it and have not completed a consent form, please do so and return it to the office by 12.00 Thursday.

Paper copies are available from the office or are attached to the ParentMail sent out yesterday. A completed consent form is required in order to give your child the immunisation.


Children's Christmas Lunch Tuesday 19th December

The children's Christmas lunch is on **Tuesday 19th December**.

Reception, Y1 and Y2 pupils will have a free Christmas lunch - there is no need to pre-book this. We will assume your child is having a Christmas lunch – please let Shapla in the office know if this is not the case: skhan@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk

Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 - bookings must be made **before Monday 4th December**. Please book and pay online using ParentPay. www.parentpay.com

- In ParentPay add Christmas Lunch 2023 to your basket. Please mention in the notes field if your child would like the vegetarian option.
- You will then need to checkout and pay.
- The actual money will not be taken from your lunch money balance until the day of the meal.
- Bookings will not be taken after 4th December.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you have already paid in advance for meals this term please book and pay for a Christmas lunch and the £2.50 you have already paid will be carried forward to next term. • If your KS2 child is entitled to Free School Meals we will assume they are having a Christmas lunch – please let Shapla know if this is not the case. <p>If you have not yet registered for ParentPay and would like a reminder of your login details please contact me on kchallis@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk or via the school office. Please note that there will be no other menu options on Tuesday 19th December.</p>
<p>Roundabout Christmas Fair Friday 1st December</p>	<p>Wrap up warm and join us under the fairy lights for mulled apple juice, Christmas bakes, face painting and games at Roundabout Winter Fair.</p> 
<p>Aspire Dance Trials for Monday Classes</p>	<p>Just 1 week remaining for our 50% off trials at Aspire Dancesport Monday classes :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disco Duck Pre School for 18 months (or confident walkers) to 3 years old, 4pm-4.40pm • Combo Class, a mix of disco & ballroom for reception to school year 2, 4.40pm-5.25pm • Boys only, an energetic disco & street class just for boys in year 2 to year 6, 5.25pm-6.25pm • Just Dance, a pressure free dance class covering a range of styles, school years 5 and up, 6.25pm-7.25pm <p>Booking site: www.bookwhen.com/aspiredancesport Website: www.aspiredancesport.co.uk</p>
<p>Girl Guides</p>	<p>Cambridge 1st Girl Guides is held in the Community Room at Mayfield on a Thursday evening. They have spaces available so if you would like to register your child please follow the link below.</p> <p>https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-a-child/</p>

News from the PTA

Latest news from the PTA

Christmas trees – deadline fast approaching

We've had a fantastic response to our Christmas tree fundraiser and have raised over £900 for the school! A huge thank you to everyone who has already bought their tree through us.

There's still time to order! Can you help us break the £1,000 mark by ordering your tree through Mayfield?

The deadline for orders is **next Monday** (the 27th November) by 12noon.

Order your tree now at fundmayfield.com/trees

Winter Craft Days

We are starting to get ready for our Winter Craft Day which, this year, will see the PTA and parent volunteers return to the school hall to run craft sessions for each year group. In order to fit all the children into a session, we are actually hosting two days:

KS2 Winter Craft Day - Friday 15th December (sign up to help [here](#))

KS1 Winter Craft Day - Monday 18th December (sign up to help [here](#))

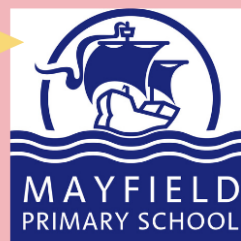
To make sure all the children get the most out of their day, we really do need parents to help out. Can you or a family member take an hour out of your day to come and help at your child's session?

Find out more and sign up to help at fundmayfield.com/events

Children in Need

Huge thanks to everyone who donated to Children in Need through the school's non-uniform day last week. Find out how much we raised at fundmayfield.com/events

December Dates



Lots going on in December so we've put School and PTA activities in one place for you!

TUES
5
2.45PM
Year 2 Christmas Performance

WEDS
6
MORNING
Rocksteady Concert

WEDS
6
2-3PM
Reception & Y1 Christmas Performance

WEDS
6
6.30- 8PM
KS2 Christmas Performance at St Matthew's

THURS
7
9.15-10.15AM
Reception & Y1 Christmas Performance

FRI
8
9.15AM
Rudolf Run

PTA event
FRI
8
FROM 3.15PM
Year 4 bake sale + Christmas tree collection

SAT
9
PTA event
9AM-12NOON
Christmas tree collection

TUES
12
PTA event
FROM 7.30PM
PTA meeting - in the pub!

PTA event
FRI / MON
15 / 18
ALL DAY
KS2 / KS1 Christmas Craft Days

TUES
19
LUNCHTIME
School Christmas lunch

WEDS
20
ALL DAY
Last day of term - see you in the new year!

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