



Parent Newsletter

Autumn Term 13 – Wednesday 11th December 2024

We all had fun last Friday morning completing the Rudolph Run. We started with our now traditional 'Reindeer Dance' warm up followed by year groups completing laps of the field and being cheered on by other year groups! Our annual run is in support of Cambridge's Arthur Rank Hospice and the sponsorship button is still active on ParentPay if you would like to make a donation.



This week Reception and Year One have performed Tinsel and Tea Towels to all the children in school and a further two performances to parents and carers. They all did so well and should be very proud of their achievements. The audience learnt how to do a round of applause reception style - I'm sure your children could show you how to do it too!

We are heading for the final week of term with lots of fun activities planned, including craft day, a Rocksteady concert and Christmas lunch. Have a restful weekend and we look forward to next week.

Sarah Stepney

School Building after School Hours

Just a friendly reminder that children and parents should not be entering the school after hours, as this is a health and safety concern. The site team will be actively cleaning all areas of the school this will consist of using specialist equipment and chemicals to ensure the safety of everyone please do not re-enter the building.

Cross Country

The team results are in for the Cross Country last week. As well as individual success, Mayfield achieved the following noticeable performances.

Year 5 girls team = 1st
 Year 3 girls team = 2nd
 Year 6 girls team = 3rd

The year 3 and 4 combined boy and girl team finished 3rd.

Congratulations.

Rachel Barnes

Year 4 Volcanoes Talk

Year 4 were delighted to welcome Sonali to the classroom on Friday to talk to the children about volcanoes in space as part of their topic. It was truly fascinating and we were left with many more questions.

We would like to say a huge thankyou to Sonali for her presentation and for her time.

News from the PTA

Christmas tree collection

Thursday 12 & Friday 13 December, from 3.15pm on the KSI playground

If you ordered your Christmas tree through us, please come and collect it! We'll be on the KSI playground with some Christmas tunes playing and some mulled wine and snacks for sale by donation too.

Winter Craft Days

Friday 13 & Monday 16 December

There are still a few volunteer spots available for our winter craft days, thank you to everyone who is giving their time to make the craft days extra special for our children. Please sign up below if you can!

And if you're able to support the craft day by making a donation (we suggest £2 per child), please do so now on [ParentPay](#)

Friday 13 December		Monday 16 December	
Year 1	9.10am - 10.10am	Year 3	9.10am - 10.10am
Year 2	10.30am - 11.30am	Year 4	10.30am - 11.30am
Rec	2pm - 3pm	Year 5	1.20pm - 2.10pm
		Year 6	2.20pm - 2.30pm
Sign up!	https://volunteersignup.org/KL8EB	Sign up!	https://volunteersignup.org/DFQB3

Y4 Bake Sale - thank you!

Huge thanks to everyone who baked, bought, volunteered at and supported our Year 4 Bake Sale last week. It was a lovely atmosphere in the Large Hall. Huge thanks too to Mrs Taylor and her fantastic orchestra for supplying the accompaniment.

See pictures and find out how much we raised at fundmayfield.com/news

Give us your unwanted stuff!

If you're having a sort out over the festive break, please consider donating items to the PTA. We're particularly interested in:

- good quality school uniform
- good quality old clothes (especially kidswear)
- old Christmas jumpers
- unwanted or unloved Christmas gifts
- kids scooters or bikes

We'll confirm drop off times in the new year, but please consider saving any of the above for us, it'll all help us raise money for the school 😊

Find out more at fundmayfield.com/events

December diary dates



Lots going on as we approach the end of the winter term, so we've put School and PTA activities in one place for you!

Wednesday 4 Dec KS2 concert St Matthew's Church, 6.30pm - 8.30pm

Friday 6 Dec Y4 Bake Sale + Orchestra performance Large Hall, from 3.15pm

Tuesday 10 Dec Rec & Y1 performance Large Hall, 2pm
PTA meeting Carpenter's Arms. 7.30pm

Wednesday 11 Dec Rec & Y1 performance Large Hall, 9.30am
Y2 songs and poems Large Hall, 2.45pm

Thursday 12 Dec Christmas Tree collection KS1 playground, from 3.15pm
+ Roundabout Bake Sale

Friday 13 Dec Christmas Tree collection KS1 playground, from 3.15pm
+ songs from Foundation Stage

Friday 13 & Monday 16 Winter craft days Large Hall
KS1 on Friday, KS2 on Monday All day

Other dates to note:

Friday 6 Dec - Rudolph Run

Wednesday 18 Dec - Rocksteady concert

Thursday 19 Dec - Christmas lunch

Friday 20 Dec - Carols around the tree

Please note: dates/times may change. Keep an eye on the website, emails and your WhatsApps to make sure you don't miss anything!

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