

Newsletter No. 31 2023-24 – Friday 7th June 2024

Star of the Week

Well done to our 'Stars' for this week, who all received their certificates in assembly today

BIRCH CLASS: Penny Cornes

WILLOW CLASS: Eesha Kanaparthi

SYCAMORE CLASS: Peter Beadles

LARCH CLASS: Haniya Mohammed

CEDAR CLASS: Kareem Enstone-Watts

BEECH CLASS: Abdullah Syed

OAK CLASS: Jacob Christy

REDWOOD CLASS: Jivani Kakinada

CHESTNUT CLASS: River Harmon

ROWAN CLASS: Brielle Maputi

MAPLE CLASS: Ellen Panton



Welcome Back!

It hardly seems possible that we are now in the final half term of this academic year! We have a lot going on in the next few weeks, so I am sure that this half term will fly by! The children have already returned ready to learn, which is great to see.

This week, Mrs. Brown came to see me to let me know that she has decided to take her very well-earned retirement at the end of this term. Mrs. Brown has worked at Myland for nearly 22 years, but has been associated with our school for much longer, as she was a parent volunteer here before it became her place of work. Of course, we will miss Mrs. Brown enormously, but we will make sure that her last half term at Myland is the best one yet!

The staff and I are looking forward to seeing parents and carers at our various events over the next few weeks. Here's to a very productive (and hopefully sunny!) last half term of the year.

Miss Griggs

REMINDERS

Next week's MENU will be

WEEK 2

Please pre order by
TUESDAY 11/06/24 for
WEEK 3

Attendance this week
(up to & including Thursday)

Birch Class	94.7%	
Willow Class	94.7%	
Sycamore Class	98.2%	
Larch Class	97.8%	
Cedar Class	93.3%	
Beech Class	95.6%	
Oak Class	97.8%	
Redwood Class	89.4%	
Chestnut Class	96.8%	
Rowan Class	98.3%	★
Maple Class	94.4%	
WHOLE SCHOOL	95.6%	

Check Email and Bookbags
for...

* No additional letters sent this week



Concerns or Queries

Please remember that, if you have any concerns or queries about any aspect of your child's education, staff are able to help. Initially, we would always encourage you to speak to your child's classteacher, as they are the person with the most in-depth knowledge of your child. However, Team Leaders (Miss Dandy, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs Watts and Miss Pender) are also available to deal with any concerns you have, as is Mr. Everden if your question is related to any aspect of Special Educational Needs provision. Our Assistant Headteachers (Miss Jarrett, Miss Dandy and Mrs. Carter) and I are, of course, also available if you need to speak to us too. I am at the pupil doors each morning if you would like to speak to me and I can usually see parents or carers straight away, unless I have a pre-arranged meeting. No question or concern is too small and we would much rather help to answer these at an early stage and work together to find a solution.

PTA SUMMER FAIR

Saturday 22nd June – 12.00 – 3.00 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

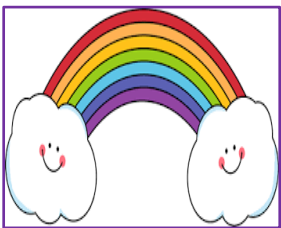
Please see the poster on today's newsletter.

'FREE TUCK FRIDAY'

WELL DONE to **ROWAN CLASS** who will have Free Tuck on Friday 14th June



Mrs. Richardson presents her 'Rainbow Award' each week in Friday's Star of the Week assembly. This is given to a child who has made a significant contribution when working in a group with Mrs. Richardson. Well done this week to **JAMES W** in Beech Class.



ROCKER OF THE WEEK

Each week, Mrs. Carter chooses our 'Rocker of the Week' – this is a pupil who has made significant improvement over the course of the week in any aspect of their times tables knowledge. Well done to **STEPHEN** in Beech CLASS!



VIP Table



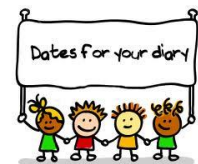
Each week, one child from each class is chosen by Miss Griggs for their kindness, good manners and sensible

attitude. Well done this week to:

Birch Class	Harrison
Willow Class	Demelza
Sycamore Class	Oliver L
Larch Class	Tanaka
Cedar Class	Samuel
Beech Class	Ryan
Oak Class	Lucas
Redwood Class	Akshara
Chestnut Class	Kayleb
Rowan Class	Nia
Maple Class	Amelia Bai
Windmills	Jayden K

Diary Dates

Please see list of dates on today's newsletter





Please remember that we strongly encourage every child to have a named water bottle in school every day. Please ensure that this is filled with plain, still water only and that it has a flip up, sports style cap. Please do not send your child to school with a metal water bottle - these can be quite heavy when full and could injure someone if they fall off a table and onto someone's foot! Thank you.

Current advice is that, to prevent choking, items such as grapes or cherry tomatoes are cut in half for children. If you are including these (or similar) items in your child's snack or packed lunch, please ensure they are already pre-cut. Thank you.



Children have been reminded that, if they are cycling to school, they must have an appropriate cycle helmet. We would strongly encourage that it is only children in Years 5 and 6 cycle who should cycle to school on their own.

**VOLUNTEER
SLOTS
OPEN**

22ND JUNE

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**Myland County Primary School Parent
Teacher Association**

Myland PTA is a charity with a mission to make the school a better place for children to learn. Myland...

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Biodiversity Day

Yesterday, we had great fun learning about biodiversity. Mrs. Ryland (mum of Arthur in Beech Class) came along to lead some activities with the children, as part of a scheme at her place of work. The activities were all centred around biodiversity and the children explored the grounds, made 'pollinator cafés' and carried out surveys using the same methods a scientist would. The children thoroughly enjoyed their activities, so huge thanks to Mrs. Ryland for all her hard work in organising this for us and also to Mrs. Richardson who helped to co-ordinate everything in school.



Diary Dates Summer Term 2024

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
JUNE	
Friday 14th	Non Uniform Day – in return for items for PTA Summer Fair (details on today's newsletter)
Thursday 20th	Class photographs
Saturday 22nd	PTA Summer Fair 12.00 – 3.00 p.m.
Wednesday 26th	KS1 - Artist to visit
Friday 28th	Sports Day (9.30 a.m. start)
JULY	
Monday 1st	Rocksteady Concert 9.30 a.m. start (details to follow)
Tuesday 2nd	Year 5/6 Shared Learning session 9.15 a.m. (details to follow)
Wednesday 3rd	Stay and Play session for new Reception entrants 9.30 – 11.00 a.m.
Tuesday 9th	Year 6 production 7.00 p.m. (details to follow)
Wednesday 10th	Year 6 production 7.00 p.m. (details to follow)
Thursday 11th	Exhibition Evening 5.00 – 8.00 p.m.
Monday 15th	Annual Summary Reports sent out
Monday 15th	Year 6 Leavers' BBQ (details to follow)
Friday 19th	LAST DAY OF TERM for pupils
Monday 22nd	NON PUPIL DAY
Tuesday 23rd	NON PUPIL DAY

Further dates (or any amendments) will be advised in due course.

All donations will be used at the Myland PTA Summer Fair on Saturday 22nd June.



FRIDAY
14TH JUNE

KIDS

Non Uniform DAY

Reception, Years 1, 2 & 3

✓ Please bring sweets:
Boxes, bags, big or small!

Staff, Years 4, 5 & 6

✓ Please bring a bottle:
E.g Perfume, Bubble Bath,
Alcohol or Soft Drinks

Please ensure all donations are sealed and in date.
Any Alcohol must be given to the school office.

MYLAND PRIMARY PTA

22ND JUNE 2024

12-3PM

SUMMER FÊTE

- BBQ • Ice Cream • Bar •
- Hospital Radio •
- Demo Arena •
- Beat the Goalie • Peg Race •
- Coconut Shy • Pool Golf •
- Tombola • Pocket Money Stall •
- Nerf Gun Shoot Down •
- Pan for Gold • Hook a Duck •
- Water Fight Arena •
- Craft Stall •
- Free Games Area •

Volunteer

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MYLAND PTA SUMMER FAIR
SAT 22ND JUNE
12-3PM

WE NEED YOUR SOFT TOY DONATIONS

PLEASE BRING ANY
CLEAN SOFT TOY
DONATIONS TO THE
SCHOOL OFFICE

DONATIONS WILL BE
USED AT THE MYLAND
PTA SUMMER FAIR TO
RAISE FUNDS FOR THE
FOREST SCHOOL.



SOFT TOY DRIVE
DONATIONS NEEDED

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MYLAND PTA RAFFLE



**SATURDAY
22ND JUNE**



TICKETS £1

For your chance to win this
Summers selection of great prizes

PLEASE RETURN TICKETS BY

FRIDAY 21ST JUNE

WITH THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS

Colchester Rugby Club	Barratt & Coe Photograpy
Colchester United FC	Fillpots Garden Centre
Hut by The Sea	Putt in the Park
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