

Dear Parents

**Macmillan Coffee Morning/ Harvest Art**



A huge thank you for the overwhelming support this morning we received at the coffee morning in aid of Macmillan. We had a very successful morning raising lots of funds for such an amazing charity which I am confident will be added to during our cake stall sales after school.

A big thank you to Mrs Archer and her school council team for all their efforts in organising the events and of course for their wonderful efforts serving the parents and children in the hall.

We will update you with the total amount raised next week but as always it was lovely to see such community support, thank you.

**On-line Payments Update**



For those parents who are experiencing difficulties with payments on-line and are currently paying for dinners in cash, we would really appreciate if possible, that you make payment in full week amounts (£10.50), rather than individually bringing in £2.10 per day.

We have also just been informed that if you are still experiencing difficulties to log in using the following address [www.id.sims.co.uk/registration/home](http://www.id.sims.co.uk/registration/home) or please contact us to re-set/set-up a log-in.

**Second Hand Uniform Sale**

We do have large volumes of uniform available in exchange for a small donation to school fund. We will hold these regularly during the year, the next one being the 2<sup>nd</sup> November.

**Bronze Ambassadors**

On Monday Emily, Harry, Louis and Mai from our Year 5 & 6 classes represented the school at the Melbourne Sports Centre where they met ambassadors from other schools to promote sports.

**Promoting British Core Values Award**

As many of you will be aware each week we focus on a one of our school's core values and ask you as parents to discuss the question we have posed at home with your child. We saw lots of fantastic responses to our weekly 'Big Question' initiative last term which fuelled some really high quality discussions and debates in class. Please continue to participate and encourage your child to give the weekly 'Big Question' some thought!



Our '**Big Questions**' for next week will be linked to our value of respect.

KS1 How can I show respect for myself?

KS2 What you think of yourself is much more important than what other people think of you.

Respect yourself. Discuss

This week our core value stars were awarded to: Kai (R) Joshua (1), Harriet (2), Holly (3 Oak), Bethany (3 Elm), Oscar (4), Ben (5), Josh (6). They will now be having lunch on the top table with the other star winners, Miss Goodwin and Mr Hobart on **MONDAY** next week.

**Clubs (Yr 1-6)**

All clubs should be running as normal next week.

Please make sure your child knows who is collecting them and that they are collected on time. 4.15 for staff led clubs and 4.30 for external companies.

**Next week:**

Speech and language screening - Class R

**Forthcoming Events:**

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October- Shakespeare theatre year 5&6

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October- Year 5 away – HMS Belfast 'Kip on a Ship' – overnight stay

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October- FOCP Quiz Night

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October - Book Fayre

**WANTED!!**

Any board games (with all the pieces!) and dressing up clothes- princess outfits especially (special request!), for our breakfast club and Stay 'n Play.

Please bring any donations to the school office

Many thanks

Have a lovely weekend,  
Mrs Mills



Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday Take out
 Dish of the Day	Homemade French Bread Pepperoni Feast Pizza	NEW Crispy coated chicken breast	NEW Hunters Chicken	Homemade Beef Bolognese	NEW Chip shop mini battered fish fillet served with a lemon wedge
Vegetarian Option	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Quorn dippers	Vegetable Strudel	Quorn mince Bolognese	Omelette
 Third Option	Jacket Potato With Tuna Mayo, cheese or Butter	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo, cheese or butter	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo, cheese or butter	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo Cheese or butter	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo, Cheese or Baked Beans
Deli Rolls (KS2 only)	Choose from a Cheese, Ham or Tuna Mayo	Choose from a cheese, Ham or Tuna Mayo	Choose from Cheese, Ham or Tuna Mayo	Choose from Cheese, Ham or Tuna Mayo	Choose from Cheese, Ham or Tuna Mayo

## Happy Birthday to...

Ollie M (Class 3 Oak) 8  
 Marlie Y (Class 5) 10  
 Jesse W (Class R) 5  
 Isabella B (Class 2) 7  
 Harley O (Class 1) 6  
 Lily C (Class 4) 9



## STARS OF THE WEEK

Dexter (R)  
 Max (1)  
 Skye (2)  
 Eva (3 Oak)  
 Mia (3 Elm)  
 Rubie (4)  
 George F (5)  
 Isla (6)

### Secondary School Admissions 2019

Please be advised that Parents of Year 6 children need to log onto the website [www.essex.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.essex.gov.uk/admissions) and make an application by the closing date of

**31<sup>st</sup> October 2018**

The website also has a link to the booklet Secondary Education in Essex 2019-20 which contains details of all secondary school admission policies



## PTA EVENT DATE CHANGE

Please be advised of a date change for an autumn event:

The family night (magic show) which has been advertised previously for Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October, has now been postponed due the magicians no longer being unavailable. Instead we will be holding the famous Quiz Night in its place led by Mr and Mrs Milbourn.

**BOOKING FORMS COMING HOME TONIGHT!**

### PARKING

Yet again I have received complaints from our neighbours about the inconsiderate parking of a few of our parents.

It is of particular concern when this behaviour is such that emergency services would not access if needed.

Can I please ask that you park safely and considerately so that all - both residents and children, are safe. This includes not parking on the zig-zag lines out the front of the school or using the staff car park entrance as a turning circle.

Thank you for your cooperation.