



# Maylandsea Primary School Newsletter



Week ending 9<sup>th</sup> February

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### **DEAR FAMILIES, CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK**

This week we have focused on Children's Mental Health Week and this year's theme is "My Voice Matters"

My Voice Matters is about empowering children by providing them with the tools they need to express themselves. When children feel that their voices are heard this can have a positive impact on their well-being, their self-esteem and give them a greater sense of community. Next week, the Multi-skills Council are coming into school to hold workshops with our year 3 and 4 classes to support their mental health and well being.

### **SAFER INTERNET DAY**

The 2024 edition of Safer Internet Day took place on Tuesday, 6 February 2024. This special celebration, which takes place in February of each year, aims to raise awareness of a safer and better internet for all, and especially for children and young people. Mr Kirsh led our Safer Internet day assembly sharing important messages about how we can stay safe online.

### **KS2 MATHS WORKSHOP**

Many thanks to those who attended Mr Kirsh's maths workshop last Thursday. We hope it helped you to understand how we teach maths at Maylandsea Primary School. Mr Kirsh will be running a KS1 Maths Workshop later on this term to help parent's understand how the key concepts of maths are taught in school.

### **SMART WATCHES**

As in line with our mobile phone policy and safeguarding policy, smart watches are not permitted to be worn in school. Fit-bit style step counters are allowed but any watches with messaging, recording or photography functions are not allowed.

### **DOGS**

Please remember that dogs are only permitted to be carried on the school site at drop off and pick up times.

### **Friends of Maylandsea PTA - DISCO**

We are looking forward to seeing you at the disco this evening!

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February  
EYFS + KS1 4:30 - 5:30  
KS2 - 6:00 - 7:30

*Enjoying and Achieving Together*  
Mrs James



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## PUPIL AWARDS



| Star of the week   |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
|--|--|------------|----------|--|--|-----------------------|----------|
| Bumblebee  | Ladybird   | Butterfly  | Hedgehog | Deer   | Kingfisher   | Owl                   | Fox      |
| Oliver   | Ruby-Grace   | Tilly      | Zara     | Harvey   | Frankie P  | Year 6                | Sachleen |
| Class Reading Scores   |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Bumblebee  | Ladybird   | Butterfly  | Hedgehog | Deer   | Kingfisher   | Owl                   | Fox      |
| 64%  | 70%  | 84%        | 91%      | 80%  | 78%  | 100%                  | 86%      |
| Star Reader  |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Bumblebee  | Ladybird   | Butterfly  | Hedgehog | Deer   | Kingfisher   | Owl                   | Fox      |
| Maria  | Lyla   | Olivia     | Harry    | Ava  | Ryan   | Dylan                 | Vinny    |
| Star Writer  |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Bumblebee  | Ladybird   | Butterfly  | Hedgehog | Deer   | Kingfisher   | Owl                   | Fox      |
| Ernie  | Bobby  | Jamie      |          | Mason  | Kayden   | Imogen                | Matthew  |
| KS1 Number bond and Multiplication Awards  |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Ladybird   |  |            |          | Butterfly  |  |                       |          |
| Annie, Ruairi, Arthur, Henry, Carter, Sebastian<br>Archie, Ronnie, Florence, Alba, Seb, Amelia, Lyla, Peter,<br>Stanley, William, Ruby-Grace, Harrison |  |            |          | Doubles - Dilyn, Matthew, Jacob<br>Tables - Jack, Blake, Rosie, Ralph, Jaden, Noah |  |                       |          |
| KS2 Multiplication Awards  |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Hedgehog   | Deer   | Kingfisher | Owl      | Fox  |  |                       |          |
| Samuel   | Sebastian<br>Jessica<br>Summer<br>Fletcher<br>Elayna<br>Emma | Serenity   |          | Elliot<br>Daisy<br>Keir<br>Teddy   |  |                       |          |
| KS2 Pen Licences   |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Hedgehog   | Deer   | Kingfisher | Owl      | Fox  |  |                       |          |
|  |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Merit Awards   |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Bumblebee  | Ladybird   | Butterfly  | Hedgehog | Deer   | Kingfisher   | Owl                   | Fox      |
|  |  |            |          |  | Frankie<br>Kayden<br>Jimmy<br>Ruby<br>Megan<br>Frankie | Dylan<br>Lewis<br>Oly |          |
| Class Attendance   |  |            |          |  |  |                       |          |
| Bumblebee  | Ladybird   | Butterfly  | Hedgehog | Deer   | Kingfisher   | Owl                   | Fox      |
| 85.3%  | 92.7%  | 91.9%      | 94.7%    | 92.6%  | 93.9%  | 90.7%                 | 93.3%    |



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### Diary Dates

#### February

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> – PTA Valentines Disco – EYFS & KS1 4.30PM – 5.30PM**

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> – PTA Valentines Disco – KS2 6pm – 7.30pm**

### **HALF TERM**

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**

#### March

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March – Mother's Day Lunches - All Week**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March – EYFS & KS1 Parents Share a Story @ 2.50pm**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March - EYFS & KS1 Parents Share a Story @ 2.50pm**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Dress Up Day**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March – KS2 Author Visit**

### **HALF TERM**

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April**

#### April

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> – School Photographer – Class Photos**

#### May

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Year 5 Trip to Bradwell**

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> - Year 6 Trip to Stubbers**



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