



# FRIDAY FLYER

## 18 November 2022

### Next Week

### Moment of the Week:

Cathie Paine, REAch2 CEO, visited yesterday and was really impressed by our school and in particular our wonderful children. She was honoured to open our Community Garden and celebrate the volunteers who made this happen. She also delivered an assembly on aspirations and was delighted to meet Robyn the only girl currently in our football team.



### Messages from Staff:

#### Butterfly Book (Learning Powers)



<b>Thea</b>	Small Blues	Being a responsible learner.
<b>Cherish</b>	Holly Blues	Always showing the learning powers.
<b>Yota</b>	Adonis Blues	Demonstrating all the learning powers every day.
<b>Oliver B</b>	Chalk Hill Blues	Being a responsible learner.
<b>Amelia</b>	Silver Studded Blues	Resilience shown starting a new school.
<b>Finn</b>	Sporting Star	Showing great resilience and collaboration.

#### Ed Shed Champions

Spelling School Champion, **Aarohi** and Maths School Champion **Jack GS**.

#### House Points

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	1124	1112	1101	1107

#### House Challenges

Congratulations to Pegasus who won today's CIN challenge. Congratulations also to all the finalists in the colouring competition, in particular Nia, KS1 winner and Esther, KS2 winner. Thank you to everyone who took part, we had some wonderful entries.

#### Football Team

MPA Football Team had their first game this season at home to St Marys. It was a close game that we lost 2-0 but not without a fight. Player of the Match was Brody Spink for his amazing saves, leadership from the front and passing to create opportunities.

#### Eco Council

The children were honoured to speak to Miss Cathie yesterday. She was very impressed with the work the children are involved in. We have also been able to order new bins for an outside recycling area. We will share more in our next newsletter!

#### Cross Country

On Friday 2 December we will be competing in the Kesgrave Pyramid Cross Country event held at Kesgrave High School. We are taking four teams from Year 5 and 6. Letters will go out early next week with further information and a permission slip.

#### Christmas Carols

We hope families will join us on Monday 5 December for the MPA Carol Concert at St Mary the Virgin Church, Martlesham. This is a chance for the school community to come together. Each class (except Small Blues) will sing a song, there will be singing from the School Choir, and Year 6 children will share some readings. All families are welcome. We hope you can join us to make this a special evening. It starts at 6.00pm and we expect it to be finished by 7.00pm. Next week we will be sharing details with you for all events between 1 and 16 December.

#### PTA Christmas Events

Further to our newsletter on Monday a reminder we will be selling Christmas baubles for £1 and Christmas Disco tickets for £3 in the playground after school next week. The closing date for the bauble decoration competition is Thursday Wednesday 30 November. We are also still looking for more volunteers to help if you are able to offer your time.

#### Nut Free School

A reminder we are a nut free school. We have children in school who have serious nut allergies, and this is a potentially life threatening condition. Please be vigilant and ensure your children's food, particularly snack bars, are nut free.

#### Recruitment - Holly Blue Class

We are delighted to share that Mrs Clarke will be joining the MPA team in January. She is an experienced teacher and is very excited to join our team. She will be visiting the school in December to meet the children and will meet the team. I am sure you will give her a very warm welcome.

#### Recruitment - Vacancies

We are currently recruiting for an EYFS LSA for Small Blue Class and also for an LSA to work one to one with a child. Please share these vacancies and hopefully we will recruit new team members who will enhance the learning opportunities for our wonderful children.

#### Stop Press ... Children in Need

It has been a wonderful day and we will share an overview with you next week.

#### All Week

#### Menu Week 2

#### Year 6 Mock SATs

#### PTA Bauble Competition and Disco Ticket Sales Monday

Silver Studded Blues PE.  
Years 3, 4 and 5 Guitar.

#### Tuesday

Reception Open Morning for Prospective Parents @ 9.30am.

Holly Blues PE.

Library Session - Week 1.

Football Away vs Pipers Vale @ 3.30pm.

#### Wednesday

Flu Immunisation Visit.

Adonis Blues PE.

Football Away vs St Johns @ 3.30pm.

#### Thursday

Chalk Hill Blues PE.

Small Blues Outdoor Learning.

#### Friday

Small Blues PE.

Gardening Club.

### Upcoming Dates

#### 30 November

Year 6 Tudor Experience.  
Flu Immunisation Visit.

#### 1 December

Year 1 to 6 Wolsey Theatre Panto.

#### 2 December

PTA Christmas Disco - 4.30pm to 6.00pm.

### Sporting Fixtures

#### 2 December

Cross Country @ Kesgrave High School.

#### 7 December

Football vs Beeches.