



FRIDAY FLYER

9 June 2023

W/C 12 June

Menu Week 2

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Year 1 and 2 Phonics Screening.

Monday

Sports Morning 9.30am and Picnic Lunch.

Tuesday

Library Session - Week 2
Silver Studded Blues PE.
New EYFS Parent and Child visit to School 3.30pm.
Holly Blues visit to the Red House, Aldeburgh.
Year 5 and 6 visit from East Anglian Air Ambulance.
Football Training.

Wednesday

Adonis Blues PE.
Year 6 Maths Challenge @ KHS.

Thursday

Chalk Hill Blues PE.
Small Blues Outdoor Learning.

Friday

Year 4, 5 and 6 Swimming Lessons.
Flutterbuys School Shop.
Small Blues PE.
Gardening Club.
Year 5 11 B4 11 'Sleeping Under The Stars'.

Moment of the Week:

On Tuesday, ten year 5 and 6 students went to Ransomes Sports Centre to compete in a cricket festival. They played three games; their first was a tough game against Cedarwood in which we lost 86-45. They then played Melton and won 84-45 before playing against Cliff Lane and ending the festival with another win, winning 73-62. Everyone who participated showed all of the learning powers and the whole of MPA are proud of their results. We are MPA and we are proud!



Messages from Staff:

Celebration Assembly



Finley	Small Blues	For an incredible attitude towards his learning, in particular his progress in phonics.
Ralph	Holly Blues	For his fantastic collaboration, resilience and responsibility when working with his new Talk Partner.
Ivy	Adonis Blues	For her aspirational attitude towards her handwriting and content of her writing.
Lily	Chalk Hill Blues	For showing resilience for difficult tasks and never giving any less than her best.
Amelia	Silver Studded Blues	For her resilience when completing algebra. She didn't give up and worked hard to understand the process.
Oscar C-S	Sporting Star	For showing resilience to play on after getting injured.
Artem	Kindness Award	For supporting others and showing kindness to everyone.
Ava B	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Aarohi	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	1,237	1,395	1,090	1,365

Attendance - 22 to 26 May 2023

Congratulations to Holly Blues who will receive an extra break time for the best attendance. Next week, all families whose child's attendance goes below 96% will get a letter from school outlining the concern. From this point, your child will be tracked weekly to ensure attendance improves.

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Silver Studded Blues
↑ 97.17%	↑ 98.93%	↓ 97.5%	↓ 93.93%	↓ 87.0%

Sports Day

On Monday 12 June, it is our annual sports day. Children will need to wear a house colour t shirt please. They will stay in PE kits all day. It is due to be warm so please ensure your child has a hat and has sun cream applied. They will also need a water bottle.

Marvellous Middles

Small Blues - On Tuesday, Small Blues were visited by Mr Hudson who is a sailing instructor at Levington Marina. He talked to the children about how to stay safe on the water and let them try on life jackets. He showed them a video of what it would be like to go sailing. The children had lots of questions, and all said they would love to try sailing one day. He also taught the children how to draw a boat and introduced them to some new words like boom, rudder, and keel.

Adonis Blues - The children created Roman pottery, learning that they took a lot of ideas from the Greeks! The main difference being the Greeks painted their designs on, and the Romans carved theirs. The children developed their clay skills; some decided to carve a picture and others decided to use repeated patterns.

Chalk Hill Blues - Unfortunately, an Ancient Egyptian boy died this week and needed a proper burial ceremony. Chalk Hill Blues stepped up and took on roles such as gods, embalmers, priests, death mask makers and slaves to ensure the boy was buried properly according to the correct procedures.

Silver Studded Blues - Year 6 learnt about the Terracotta Army and created their own, smaller versions of the statues which could be buried in the emperors tomb to protect him in the afterlife. They created armatures to support their statues and enjoyed using clay!

Staffing

Sadly, Mrs Clarke has decided to leave MPA at the end of the Summer Term. We are currently recruiting for this post and will update you as soon as we have filled this vacancy. I am sure you will join me in wishing Mrs Clarke every success in her next post.

Year 6 2023.

At MPA, the children in Y6 wear purple jumpers. This has been a huge success and really supports the children with their transition to High School. If your child will be in Y6 in September, then this is the uniform they must have. If any current Y6 families would like to donate their child's jumper to our second-hand uniform collection, that would be valued. We will run a second hand uniform sale at the Summer Fair.

Upcoming Dates

w/b 19 June

MPA Science Week

19 - 22 June

Year 6 Bikeability Course.

19 June

Year 3 11 B4 11 Local Hike.

20 June

Small Blues visit to RNLI, Aldeburgh.

22 June

Visit from Martlesham Aviation to see Holly Blues

23 June

Adonis Blues visit to Colchester Castle.
Year 6 Rounders at KHS.