



FRIDAY FLYER

24 November 2023

w/c 27 November

Moment of the Week:

Here are CHB they had a fabulous afternoon learning to weave. Every child was successful and they loved learning this new skill. Huge thanks to Mrs Garrod for preparing the materials for this lesson. I think the smiles on their faces shows how much they enjoyed this activity.



Butterfly Book Assembly

Marykate	Small Blues	For showing resilience in segmenting and blending words. She is really trying her best in phonics.
Ozzy	Holly Blues	For his hardworking and resilient attitude to his work. He is also extremely respectful to adults and is always ready to learn. Well Done Ozzy!
Ella May	Adonis Blues	For always showing the learning powers and having a positive, aspirational learning attitude.
Erin	Chalk Hill Blues	For showing all of the learning powers all of the time. Erin has been particularly resilient with her writing this week with using subordinate conjunctions. Well done!
India	Silver Studded Blues	For always showing all of the learning powers and showing resilience towards a challenge.
Bella	Sporting Star	For showing all the learning powers in gymnastics.
Kobi	Kindness Award	For always being kind. Always polite to everyone. For always caring about others.
Austin	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Oscar	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	1891	1627	1396	1700

Attendance 6 - 10 November

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Silver Studded Blues
94.00%	95.33%	97.78%	97.41%	92.41%

Adonis Blue Class will receive a class reward.

Messages from Staff:

Teaching of Maths

We have introduced a new teaching sequence in maths lessons this week. It's called do it, prove it, solve it. The aim is to apply problem solving and reasoning skills regularly in maths. This week the Head of Maths from REAch2 came to see the new approach and he thought this was an effective way of teaching.

Staffing

We have recruited for an additional LSA to support at MPA. We are delighted to say that Mrs Wood applied and was successful in her application and interview. She is really excited to be returning to MPA in January.

Attendance

Thank you families for supporting school and improving attendance over the first part of the Autumn Term. This has increased by 1.5% from last year. We are very pleased to see this improvement.

Christmas Lunch

A polite reminder to ask you to order your child's Christmas lunch by **Friday 1 December**. You should have received a Forms Survey in your email this week. Carol and her Catering Team are amazing so we need to support them by ordering food in time. **You will not be able to order a Christmas Dinner after next Friday.**

Payments

We are aware it's an expensive time of the year. If you are struggling financially and need some support paying for school related expenses then please talk to Miss Churchman or the office. We will always do what we can to help.

Christmas Cards

The MPA post box will be ready for the children on Monday 4 December. If the children want to post their cards Year 6 will deliver these. Please put the child's name and class to help the cards get to the correct child.

Kesgrave Community Centre

On Saturday the MPA Jigzaw dancers are performing at the Christmas Fair. Our crew will be on stage between 10.30am - 11.00am if you wanted to see them bust some moves. They are really excited (and a little nervous) to be performing in public.

Christmas Dates

A list of December Events have been emailed to all families this morning. Please save dates as there is a lot going on. We will not be able to send reminders.

Menu Week 2

Monday

Small Blues PE.
Guitar Lessons for Year 3,4,5 and 6.

Tuesday

Adonis Blues PE.
Library Session Week 2 - Adonis Blues, Chalk Hill Blues and Silver Studded Blues.

Wednesday

Holly Blues PE.

Thursday

Whole School Immunisation Programme.
PM - Holly Blues Outdoor Learning.

Friday

Non-Uniform PTA Hamper Donations.
ECO Council / Gardening Club Christmas Celebrations 2pm
Chalk Hill Blues PE.

Upcoming Dates

4 December

MPA Carol Concert @ 6.00pm St. Mary's Church Martlesham.
Christmas Post Box.

6 December

Year 4 Wilder Schools - Outdoor Clothes.

7 December

Year 4, 5 and 6 Singing at Tesco @ 11.00am

8 December

PTA School Disco 4.30pm - 6.00pm.