



FRIDAY FLYER

9 February 2024

w/c 12 February

Moment of the Week:

National Schools Football Week

Without a doubt, the memories of the week was when the whole school got to meet Harry Clarke. He is a professional player for Ipswich Town Football Club. He came to an assembly and we talked about his career so far. He was very honest and told the children he has been very resilient. He was turned down by the Ipswich Academy when he was 10 years old. This knock back made him determined to try harder. A great team talk for our own football team. Memories were made by his visit.



Butterfly Book Assembly

Marykate	Small Blues	For her independence in her learning and for always taking responsibility for her learning and behaviour.
Caiden	Holly Blues	For his resilience. He's had an amazing week, working super hard and writing independently.
Whole Class	Adonis Blues	For their aspirational sentence writing and resilience in maths. Very proud of them all.
Yota	Chalk Hill Blues	For always being respectful. Yota is always on green and this week he has worked extremely hard with his writing and maths. Well done!
Isla	Silver Studded Blues	For her resilience in everything she does, but particularly in maths this week.
Mrs Wood	Kindness Award	For always looking after everyone.
Hollie	Sporting Star	For showing all 5 learning powers all the time.
Nojus	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Benjhie	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	1121	952	978	964

Attendance 29 January - 2 February

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Silver Studded Blues
97.00%	96.00%	92.78%	96.40%	91.79%

Small Blues will receive a class reward for having the highest attendance last week.

Safer Internet Day

'Together for a better internet' The 2024 edition of Safer Internet Day took place on Tuesday. This special celebration, which takes place in February each year, aims to raise awareness of a safer and better internet for all, especially for children and young people. Mr Thorpe and our e safety champions led the day with an assembly. We also had a visit from the local police to talk to the children about the dangers children can face online.

Children's Mental Health Week

We are proud of how we prioritise mental health at MPA. Our children recognise the importance and know their voices matter. This week we have been reinforcing key messages to the children. Children in Y5 and Y6 had a live zoom to develop mindfulness techniques with author Rob Holmes.

Pupil Parliament

This week two children in Y6 represented our school as they debated about the use of nature in the curriculum. They were also able to visit another REAch2 school in cluster 6 and see their outdoor learning facilities. This was really inspiring and the children were fantastic sharing their ideas about the benefits of nature.

Parent Governor

We currently have a vacancy for a parent governor. This involves attending meetings 4 times a year at school. This would also involve some visits to the school to engage with the children, staff and the wider community. Parents are key to the success of our school. We really need your involvement. If you would like to know more, please see Miss Churchman.

National Schools Football Week

This week there have been different activities for the children each day. From sharing the History of ITFC, to an in house tournament to wearing football kits/something sporty. On Tuesday the MPA team played a friendly against Kyson Primary. They played a great game and certainly displayed all of our learning powers. The game ended 2 -1 to Kyson but we could not be prouder of the team.

Flutterbakes

On Thursday 13 February our Y6 children will be hosting their first cake sale. The purpose of this is to raise money for their end of year trip. If you are able to make a cake donation we would really appreciate it. Please bring to school on Thursday. If cakes are homemade please add ingredients. Cakes will be on sale in the playground on Thursday at the end of the school day.

Menu Week 1

Monday

Small Blues Marvellous Middle - Visit from RSPCA. Guitar Lessons for Year 3,4,5 and 6.

Tuesday

Small Blues PE. Adonis Blues PE. No PE for Chalk Hill Blues. Silver Studded Blues PE. Library Session Week 1 - Small Blues and Holly Blues.

Wednesday

Artist in Residence - Chalk Hill Blues. Grandparents Lunch at 12.00 noon. Holly Blues PE.

Thursday

Tractors in School Visit Small Blues. Holly Blues Marvellous Middle - No Parents. AM - Small Blues Outdoor Learning. PM - Holly Blues Outdoor Learning. Silver Studded Blues PE. Flutterbakes Cake sale @ 3.00pm.

Last Day of Term.

Friday

PD Day

Upcoming Dates

26 February

Children return to School. Holly Blues Educational Visit to Dunwich.

w/b 26 February

Silver Studded Blues Marvellous Middle - Details to Follow.

27 February

Chalk Hill Blues Marvellous Middle - No Parents. Yr5/6 Football Match vs. Waldringfield Primary @ MPA 3.30pm.

28 February

Adonis Blues Marvellous Middle - No Parents. Small Blues Educational Visit to the RSPCA - Details to Follow.