

Friday Flyer 23 May 2025

Moment of the Week

Battle of the Bands was a huge success and the children loved the challenges applying their times table skills. Massive well done to Jack in Y3 who rocked the most during the 45 minute challenge! He answered over 1,000 questions correctly! Also huge well done to Andromeda who won the House battle of the bands! Thanks Mr Overett and Mr Thorpe for planning such an exciting house challenge! Thanks parents for your support dressing the children up! They looked awesome!



Celebration Assembly Lottie Small Blues For her fluent, confident reading and for being our diagraph expert! Well done Lottie! Alfie Holly Blues For his fantastic narrative writing. Well done Alfie! For superb writing and a brilliant start to year 3. Amelia Adonis Blues Nia Chalk Hill Blues For always showing the learning powers and working hard towards her MTC! Frin **Royal Blues** For always showing the learning powers and aiming to be the best that she can be. Well done! Benjhie Silver Studded Blues For his responsibility towards his writing, using fantastic vocabulary choices to choices to engage the reader. Miss Mitchell Kindness Award She is so kind and caring and always helps. Hallie Sporting Star For showing all of the learning powers, especially aspiration when throwing the foam javelins. School Ed Shed Spelling Champion Maddie School Ed Shed Maths Champion Yota House Peaasus Andromeda Orion **Phoenix** Points 788 763 723 847 Attendance 12 - 16 May Small Blues Holly Blues Adonis Blues Chalk Hill Blues Royal Blues Silver Studded Whole School

w/c 2 June New Summer Menu Week 1

<u>Monday</u> School Class Photos. Royal Blues PE. <u>Tuesday</u> Craate Warkshap, Yr. 5, and

Greek Workshop Yr 5 and 6. Small Blues PE. Holly Blues PE. Library Session Week 2 -Chalk Hill Blues, Royal Blues and Silver Studded Blues. Wednesday Yr 3 and Yr 6 Swimming Lessons. Scholastic Book Fair. Adonis Blues PE. Thursday Chalk Hill Blues PE. Friday Sports Day @ 9.30am. Yr 4 and Yr 5 Swimming Lessons - PM. Holly Blues Forest School.

Upcoming Dates

w/c 9 June Yr 4 Multiplication Times Tables Check. Year 1 Phonics Screening. <u>10 June</u> Adonis Blues Educational Visit to Colchester Castle. New EYFS 2025/26 Parent Information Session 4-5pm. <u>11 June</u> Home Learning Tasks Due Years 1 - 6. 12 June Holly Blues Educational Visit to Red House, Aldeburgh 13 June MPA Talent Show 6.00pm.

Well done Small Blues, you will get a reward for 100% attendance. This is amazing!

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<u>Staff Update</u>

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Miss Hudson will be leaving MPA at the end of the Summer. She has secured a full time SEND post at a larger school. Miss Hudson has been part of the leadership team that has transformed MPA. Although, we will be sad to see her leave we are pleased she is furthering her career and doing the job she is very passionate about. We have recruited a new catering manager and we are now completing the recruitment checks. Hopefully our new catering manager will start mid June. She is very much looking forward to cooking for the children. We will introduce you properly after half term. **Talent Show**

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Blues

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Since Sept

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All families will have received an email outlining what is happening with MPA has talent! It should be a fun night to showcase our wonderful children. Auditions take place on Wed 4 June so the children can polish their acts. Good luck to everyone auditioning. You will be able to purchase tickets via Arbor after half term.

<u>Book Fair</u>

From Thursday 5th June to Tuesday 10th June, we will have the Scholastic Book Fair visiting. This will be open after school in the library area for you to browse with your children and purchase some wonderful new books. Payment will be available online so please bring your mobile and payment card. MPA will be able to claim free books for our library based on the amount of money spent at the fair. The current range of books is available to see here: https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/bookcases We look forward to seeing you there!

Year 5/6 Greek Workshop

Year 5 and 6 have a Greek workshop on Tuesday 3 June from 9am - 3pm at school. To allow the day to run smoothly, and to meet the company running the workshop's policies, we require two more adults to support. If you are able to volunteer your time for the day, please contact the school office. Your support is very much appreciated.

Forest School

Only Holly Blues will have forest school on Friday 6 June. Please provide trousers/leggings that they can change into after Sports day.

MPA Sports Day

We will be hosting our Annual House Sports day on Friday 6 June. Parents can enter the site at 9.15. we will start at 9.30. Children are asked to wear a house colour t-shirt, shorts and trainers. They will need a water bottle. You are invited to stay for lunch with your child on the field after Sports Day.