

Maney Hill Newsletter

1st July 2016

Dates for your diary

July

6th & 7th – Y5 Buddies Assembly 9th – PTA Summer Fayre w/b 11th Reports out 12th – Music Concert 13th & 14th – Olympic Theme Days

14th – Y4 to Hindu Temple 19th – Open Afternoon & Parents' Drop-in 19th – Reception Party 20th – Leavers' Production 21st – Leavers' Party 22nd – last day of year

September

5th– Staff Training Day 6th – first day of new year 12th – Reception first day 20th – Y1-3 Welcome Meeting 21st – Y4-6 Welcome Meeting 28th – Reception Welcome Meeting

October

12th & 13th – Parents' Evening

November

25th – Christmas Hoops Up 25th – PTA Christmas Fayre w/b 28th – Reception Christmas Production

December

w/b 5th – KS1 Christmas Production w/b 5th Christmas Lunch w/b 12th KS2 Christmas Production w/b 12th Carol Concert **January**

3rd – Staff Training Day 4th – first day of Spring Term **February March**

March April

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Dear Parents and Carers

It's been a week of transitions with the delightful new Reception children coming into school for their half day induction on Wednesday, the Year 6 children visiting their new schools on Thursday, Reception through to Year 5 spending Thursday morning with their new class teachers and the beginning of rehearsals for the Year 6 Leavers' Production. The children, as ever, take it all in their stride! **Mrs Whitehead**

The School Choir at Symphony Hall

Our choir have been very busy. Last Friday they were singing in Symphony Hall. Next week they are off to Symphony Hall again, this time to sing and attend workshops. A huge thank you to Miss Bates and Miss Cockbill for leading regular rehearsals and to Miss Cipko, Mrs Kelly and all parents for your support. **Well done choir!**





Year 4 to the Botanical Garden



On Tuesday the Year 4 class had a super trip to the Botanical Gardens.

The day out supports the children's learning this term - Rainforests in English and Living Things in Science.

School Expansion Update

This week the two Reception classes spent some time in their new classrooms. In September Miss Roth's class will be moving into the current Year 1 classroom. Miss Hewett's class will be moving into the current Year 2 classroom. On Wednesday and again on Thursday the children from Reception were in their new classrooms for some of the day. It was also an opportunity to spend time with the teaching staff – Miss Brown, Mr Jackson, Mrs Hall and Miss Farmer.

Teaching Staff 2016-17

It's the time of year when we say a very sad farewell to some and a warm welcome to others.

Miss Tyrrell is moving to Denmark to work at an international school. Mr Lynch is moving to St Joseph's Catholic Primary School. We wish them all the best with their new schools.

Miss Brown, Mr Jackson and Miss Heath will be joining our school as classteachers from September.

Mrs Hunter and Mrs Bradley will be support teachers to release class teachers for their regular planning, preparation and assessment time.

Mrs Samson is returning from maternity leave and will take on a new role as Inclusion Leader.

Mrs Freer and Mrs Hammond will both begin maternity leave during the autumn term.

Class	Teacher	Teaching Assistant
RR	Miss Roth	Mrs Edwards
RH	Miss Hewett	Mrs Kelly
1B (class RR)	Miss Brown	Mrs Hall
ıJ (class RH)	Mr Jackson	Miss Farmer
2	Miss Higgins	Mrs Philippou
3	Mr McNicholas	Mrs Bickley
4	Mr Wigley	Mrs Bickley
5	Miss Heath	Miss Collister
6	Miss Bates	Mrs Brown
Support Teachers	Mrs Freer Mrs Samson Mrs Hunter Mrs Bradley	

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Parent Questionnaires

We greatly value feedback from parents.

One of the ways is through the annual **Parents Questionnaire.**

The questionnaires have been given out this week. Please take a moment to complete the questionnaires and return to school.



Class of the Week

Congratulations to **Year 6** who are our 'top class' during lunchtimes.



Reception H Isaac Dexter & Charan Hunjan

Reception R Jasmine Mendez-Brown & Nayia Whelan

Year 1 Maya Joshi & Tariq Mehrzad

Year 2 Caleb Freeman & Lily Thacker

Year 3 Tom Lowe & Daisy Hewitt

Year 4 Whole Class

Year 5 Whole Class

Year 6 Whole Class

Make-Up

We request that parents **do not allow their children to come to school wearing make-up**. This includes lipstick, temporary tattoos and nail polish.

Thank you for your support with this.