



Weekly News



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'Valuing Every Achievement'

PAUL LEE PIANO & KEYBOARD LESSONS

Piano and keyboard lessons are to return to Mayfield Primary School. Paul Lee, our external, music teacher is able to return to his 1-2-1 sessions in school time. Sessions will take place in the theatre.

So, if your child would like the fun and enjoyment of a 1-2-1 lesson in school time with Paul Lee then please contact him now, as spaces are limited, on: 07859906720.

www.paullee-music.co.uk

TABLE TOP SALE

Take a look at the attached flyer for our forthcoming Table Top Sale event on Saturday 3rd July from 10.30am—2.30pm. Entry is free to customers or if you wish to hire a stall for the event then the cost is £10 (pay on arrival). **To reserve a table please call Helen Lamb on 07946359250 from now until Wednesday 30th June (no calls after 9pm).** See the large attached flyer for full details. Clearly the event is subject to the relevant Covid-19 restrictions at the time.



**NEXT WEEK IS
SPRING BANK HALF-TERM HOLIDAYS.
WE CLOSE TODAY—FRIDAY 28TH MAY
- AND RE-OPEN ON MONDAY 7TH
JUNE.**

ROLL OF HONOUR

We have moved our previously announced Summer Term Pupil Roll of Honour to later June. We had hoped to invite families in to see a ceremony in some form but with the current Covid-19 variant situation we are delaying the move at this stage and have moved it back as we attempt to give families the chance to see the ceremony for their child. We would rather wait a little and offer the chance to attend the ceremony rather than having to film or photograph the awards. We will update everyone on this highest pupil award we offer at Mayfield and hopefully can issue invites to the chosen children's families under Covid secure conditions at some stage before the end of the school year.

COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS UPDATES AND PLANS

Just a final half-term update on the current school position in relation to Covid-19. We remain hopeful that our intended later June and July parent events and pupil bubble events can take place as planned however we are conscious of the local and national infection situation and remain cautious. It is important to state that all outlined events are scheduled to happen but we will be swayed by guidance at the time as to what we can actually do and what 'audiences' can attend.

I am going to speak frankly about this, we want you back in school. We have lots to show, share and talk about and have a range of plans in the background ready to share when the time is right. Like yourselves we are pretty fed up with things and are watching the impact of the new variant and the opening of society to see where this leaves us. There is no substitute to getting you all into school. We are planned and ready but we cannot do it just yet.

I continue to monitor the starting and pick up routines and remain ready to adapt as things move forward and our long planned extra-curricular clubs offer remains locked away at this stage. It is fair to say that clubs now may not return until September (although we have an offer ready to go). Quite simply to make the clubs offer work we need to open up the bubble system further in school and that is not a step we can make just yet.

We have plans in place to adapt our year 6 leavers programme should we need to so we are prepared for this but again, I will not pre-empt anything and will only confirm things as we know for sure what we can do and how. We made preparations well over a year ago to undertake a new Year 6 Summer Term residential visit but this was just weeks before the term Covid-19 existed, hence we have never shared this news as there seemed little need to disappoint in uncertain times. **I can confirm that we will not be able to undertake this new planned residential in Summer 2021 and instead will need to move its launch and its first operation to next year's Year 6 in Summer 2022.** Clearly this is beyond our control and is not something that we have been in a position to fulfil at any stage for obvious reasons. There are just some things that we cannot do anything about and at this stage it is important to state that residential visits will definitely not happen this academic year.

We are hopeful that we can open up small aspects of school life further in June and July but will be guided by the supporting advice, guidance and restrictions at all times and will always play safe if in any doubt.

So, just a little update to say we are prepared and ready and hopefully are not far away from a sensible next step forward. Fingers crossed.

KEY FORTHCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MAY 28	SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR SPRING BANK HOLIDAY
JUNE 7	SCHOOL OPENS FOR SUMMER TERM 2
JUNE 9	MAYFIELD TOGETHER FORUM @ 6.30PM
TBC	(MOVED) ROLL OF HONOUR ANNOUNCEMENTS
JUNE 11	YEAR 3 THEME DAY TOWERTASTIC
JUNE 24	ACTIVE LIVES SURVEY FOR YEARS 2/4/6
JUNE 25	YEAR 5 THEME DAY MODEL VILLAGE
WK COM JUNE 28	YEAR 4 ELECTRIC EGYPTIANS
JULY 1 & 2	YEAR 3 ULTRA VIOLET SPECTACULAR DAY
JULY 3	MAYFIELD TOGETHER 'TABLE TOP SALE' 10.30AM - 2.30PM
JULY 5	YEAR 6 PARENT CELEBRATION SHOW 'STARS IN THEIR EYES'
JULY 8	YEAR 5 PARENT CELEBRATION 'VICTORIANS ON SEA'
JULY 9	MAYFIELD ABC THEATRE OFFICIAL OPENING
JULY 13	YEAR 3 PARENT CELEBRATION 'SUPERB STRUCTURES'
JULY 14	YEAR 4 PARENT CELEBRATION 'VALLEY OF THE KINGS'
JULY 15	ANNUAL REPORTS TO PARENTS RELEASED

ALL EVENTS ARE CURRENTLY SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO POTENTIAL COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS.

A reminder that all Weekly News editions are recorded 'as live' by Mr Denton and can be viewed weekly on our Youtube channel.