



Weekly News



Mayfield Primary School, Lytham St Annes

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'Valuing Every Achievement'

AN EMAIL HAS BEEN SENT OUT REGARDING FLU VACCINATION CONSENT. THIS MUST BE COMPLETED ONLINE BY THE PARENT/ GUARDIAN. SCHOOL IS NOT IN CONTROL OF THIS PROCESS. PLEASE READ THE EMAIL AND FOLLOW THE LINK PROVIDED. SCHOOL WOULD ENCOURAGE YOU TO TAKE UP THIS OPTION.



**MAYFIELD TOGETHER
COMMUNITY FUND RAISING GROUP
TONIGHT AT 6.30PM IN THE ABC THEATRE
EVERYONE IS WELCOME.**

If you aren't sure - just come along and say hi.

UPDATES & NEWS FROM MR DENTON

Rather than writing in different sections this week, I thought I would take you through a number of updates and developments that are ongoing.

Firstly, **Meet The Teacher** was fabulous. We didn't have lots and lots of visitors but the numbers who attended seemed to really enjoy the chance to visit all areas of school and the new classrooms. So many families were amazed at the changes and enhancements we have made to teaching, learning and social times at Mayfield. I would encourage others to take a similar look at our next Open Evening opportunity. After waiting for many orders to arrive - we have been waiting pre-summer for many items - **we will shortly be launching the full playground zone provision in its latest form.** Our aim is to launch this in week beginning 27th September and we are now moving into the recruitment and training phase for our new junior **Sports Leaders**. Shortly, we will have remote control cars, crazy golf, track & field, new game zone etc... in full swing. We are nearly there. Take a look at the new playground design with its zones on our parent information walls positioned in the playground.

The **new Parent Information Message Boards** are beginning to be used. Staff will now use the year group noticeboards to provide any daily notes or reminders, whilst the **Mayfield Together** and **Don't Miss A Minute** displays are up and running. I just need to find a perfect pen for use on these boards - we are still searching for the right combination! We do feel however this is another step forward in openness and communication. We will continue to develop these new ideas.

On the subject of **Don't Miss A Minute**, our attendance summary for 2020/2021 has been released with this week's newsletter. Our figures were amazing! Our attendance figures have taken a huge step forward in the last two years and are now well above the last national comparisons for all key groups. **THIS IS SENSATIONAL.** It was an area highlighted for improvement in the 2018 Ofsted and since we arrived in September 2019 we have made this a major priority and what a response we have had. **WE ARE CONTINUING TO RISE IN EVERY WAY.**

BRILLIANT ATTENDANCE.

Even our punctual arrival is on a massive upward trend we have reduced lateness by 50% in the last two years. AGAIN, A BRILLIANT COMBINED EFFORT.

MAYFIELD IS A SCHOOL WITH HIGH ATTENDANCE AND STRONG PUNCTUALITY. BE PROUD AND SHARE THE NEWS.

Lastly, I am currently in the process of recruiting new year 6 **Prefects**. Once complete. They will again be undertaking their lead role on morning punctuality and **Star of Safety Respect Charter** rewards. It is one of my favourite roles to recruit new pupil leaders and I look forward to appointing our **Sports Leaders** and **Prefects** in the coming days.

We continue to learn, try new ideas and enhance every aspect of the Mayfield experience. I am excited by everything I am seeing and our positive story of growth continues to gather momentum. I truly feel our 'new' Mayfield is the place to be.

Thank you for your continued support.



**PARENT INFORMATION MESSAGE BOARDS
COME OVER AND HAVE A READ AS WE ADD
MORE TO EACH OF THEM.**