

MALDON COURT

Summer Term 2022

PREPARATORY SCHOOL Weekly Newsletter

15th July 2022

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Please check the school diary on the website.

WEDNESDAY 24th -FRIDAY 26th AUGUST Form 5 11+ Summer Sessions

THURSDAY Ist -FRIDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER INSET DAYS

MONDAY 5th SEPTEMBER Children Return to School No clubs this week

MONDAY 12th SEPTEMBER Clubs Commence

SATURDAY 17th SEPTEMBER 11+ Exam

TUESDAY 20th SEPTEMBER Jeans for Genes Day

HAPPY BIRTHDAY - JULY

11th - 31st July Maldon Court School wishes Mila Lopez, Finley Clark, Lauren Griggs, Madeleine Pope, Flora Smith, Vincent Lower, Leo Dickinson, Madison Lopez Mrs Huett and Miss Bailey a very Happy Birthday

HAPPY BIRTHDAY - AUGUST

Maldon Court School wishes Darcy Ephgrave, Olivia Dunkin, Grace Jeffrey, Arun White, Jacob Coyle, Arthur Heath, James Hull, Sofia Fisher, Rhys Hull, Riley Tai and Jessica Williams Miss Reeves, Mr Wells, and Mrs Stevens a very Happy Birthday



Dear Parents,

What a wonderful final week of the Summer term which the children have thoroughly enjoyed. On Monday, Mrs Deakin came into school to present the ESB certificates to all the children in Forms 2 and 3 who took the exam. 10 children were awarded a Distinction and 6 children were awarded a Merit Plus. Congratulations to each child for all of their hard work to get these outstanding results. We are so proud of you.

On Tuesday, the Form 6 children presented their Leavers' assembly to the school in preparation for showing it to their parents after Prizegiving today. I know that the Form 6 parents will thoroughly enjoy an excellent and emotional assembly and I can't wait to watch it. All of the staff wish our Form 6 children the very best as they continue their educational journeys at their chosen secondary schools. Though we will really miss them, we know they leave us well prepared for their future. Thank you Form 6 for everything you have done for Maldon Court.

HEADTEACHER'S AWARD - Congratulations to Ernest Mays who won the Headteacher's Award this week for his excellent work in English and in particular his spellings. Well done, Ernest.

Finally, I do hope that you all enjoyed our Prizegiving this morning. It was so special to have us all there together at All Saints' Church to celebrate the achievements of the children. Well done to each and every child for their hard work this year. MCPS is a happy and successful school and it is our children, families and staff that make it so. I wish you all a very happy summer break and look forward to welcoming you back in September. **NURSERY** - We have had a wonderful last week of term on Nursery. The children have been enjoying their favourite stories. They have made good use of the Quiet Zone and have all sat for some time, reading and looking at the books together. As it was so hot this week, we had lots of water play, the children even opened their own car wash and washed the toy cars and trikes together, it was great fun! We would like to wish you all a fun and happy summer and we look forward to seeing you all in September for more fun!



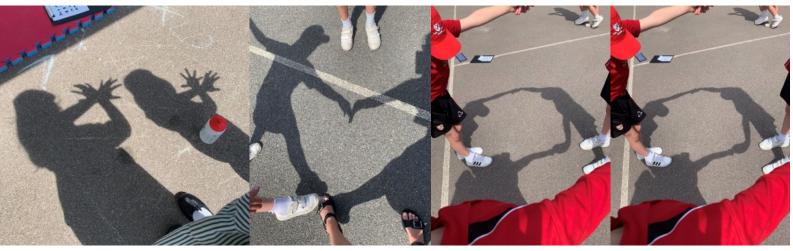
RECEPTION - Reception have enjoyed spending time with Form 6 this week. The children have adored spending time with their Buddies throughout the year and they share a very special bond. The children will miss their Form 6 Buddies when they go to secondary school but will cherish all the wonderful memories they have made together. *Miss Wayman*



FORM 2 - This week, in Form 2, we harvested our potatoes. We washed them, we cooked them, we tasted them, we compared their flavours and then we polished them off! How lovely it was to eat fresh produce we had grown ourselves. *Mrs Baron*



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FORMS 5 AND 6 - On Wednesday, the Form 5 and 6 children took part in the annual Inter Year Cricket tournament. What a way to end their sporting year. The children played to a fantastic standard and the parents thoroughly enjoyed watching them. To round off the afternoon, the parents enjoyed some homemade strawberry and cream shortbreads with some iced lemon water before they took on the children in a thrilling match. A really fun afternoon was had by all and thank you to Mr Coyle, Miss Broadbridge and Mr Hilton for organising this wonderful afternoon of sport.



ECO SCHOOLS - We are pleased to inform you that Eco Committee have been awarded the coveted Eco-Schools Green Flag Award 2022. Eco Committee have worked incredibly hard this past year and have earned this international accreditation in making our school more environmentally friendly and raising eco-awareness in fellow pupils.

Eco-Schools is an international education programme that prompts young people to explore sustainability and climate change and act. Earlier in the year, Eco Committee conducted an environmental review, assessing how eco-friendly their school is. They reviewed everything from the school's recycling practices, to energy usage, to how environmental themes are covered in classrooms. Building on their findings, the committee members planned a year of activities that would up their green-credentials. The group connected their work to 3 Eco-Schools topics: biodiversity, healthy living and marine conservation.

We are very proud of Eco Committee and the passion and dedication they have to fulfilling their ideas and school initiatives. Well done Eco Committee.

