

MALDON COURT

Autumn Term 2018

PREPARATORY SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter

14th September2018

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Please check the school diary on the App and website.

MONDAY 17th SEPTEMBER All clubs to start

> THURSDAY 20th SEPTEMBER FOMCS AGM 2.00pm Form 6 to Crucial Crew

FRIDAY 21st SEPTEMBER Jeans for Genes Day

MONDAY 1st OCTOBER Individual and Sibling Photographs Any Nursery or Pre-Reception children to be brought in at 8.50am

> FRIDAY 5th OCTOBER Form 6 Cake Sale

TUESDAY 9th OCTOBER

Harvest Festival Donations to Maldon Food Pantry can be brought in on Monday 8th & Tuesday 9th October

MONDAY 15th OCTOBER School in Action Open Morning 9.00—11.30am

WEDNESDAY 17th—FRIDAY 19th OCTOBER Conker Competition

FRIDAY 19th OCTOBER End of half term

MONDAY 22nd OCTOBER -FRIDAY 2nd NOVEMBER Half Term Break



Dear Parents,

I am delighted that the children have settled so well into their new classes and school routine. It is wonderful to see the atmosphere around the school; the children are all trying so hard in class and enjoying being back with their friends. This week, our popular Street Dance club started for those children that chose to participate and great fun was had by all. This afternoon, I am looking forward to accompanying the Form I, 2 and 3 children to swimming. I have no doubt that they will all work incredibly hard. I would like to extend a warm welcome to Anayah who has joined us in Form 3 his week. I know everyone will make her and her family very welcome at our school.

Next week, we are looking forward to ESB starting for Forms 4, 5 and 6. Also, as a reminder, Jeans for Genes is next Friday – please refer to the ParentMail sent out earlier this week for additional details. It is such a worthwhile charity that we are very proud to support.

Finally, I would also like to say good luck to the children who are sitting the exams for Chelmsford County High this weekend. They have all worked so hard and deserve to be successful. **FORM 3** - Form 3 have started a new Science Topic on forces and magnets. This week we have been investigating and revisiting the difference between pushes and pulls. We created freeze frames of different everyday situations when we may encounter these forces, Elliott and Jake's dung beetle was one of our favourites, we will be looking out for this one.

NURSERY - Welcome to all of our new children and their families. All the children



have settled in so well. Next week our topic is All About Me, for homework we would like the nursery children to bring in a photo of themselves with their family to display on our Home Link Board.



MALDON COURT APP - We have made the decision to discontinue the Maldon Court App. This is separate to the Maldon Court ParentMail app which is still in use. The Maldon Court App was a fantastic tool when it was first introduced back in 2013 but its functionality has been largely replaced by the Maldon Court ParentMail app and this is reflected in its low usage. The school's website is set up to fully function on mobile phones so please remember you can access the newsletter and all website content through your phone.

Have a lovely weekend. Mrs E Mason Headteacher

FOMCS - This years AGM will be held on Thursday 20th September at 2pm in the OakHouse. We would be grateful to anyone who is able to attend; tea, coffee and cake will be available! We are still looking for somebody to take the position of FOMCS Secretary. Should you be interested and wish to find out more about the position then please speak to either Vicky or Laura. Finally we are as always looking for donations for our preloved uniform shop, please drop any items into the office or give them to Kate Farr or Julie Head.

Next week's menu :

Day	Main	Dessert
Mon	Pasta Bolognese served with salad and grated cheese	Shortbread or Fruit
Tues	Sweet and sour chicken served with rice and prawn crackers	Raspberry Mousse or fruit
Wed	Roast pork served with seasonal vegetables, roast potatoes, Yorkshire pudding, apple sauce and gravy	Fresh fruit Salad, yoghurt or Fruit
Thur	Brunch (Bacon, sausages, hash browns and beans)	Strawberry jelly or fruit
Fri	Fish cakes, parmentier potatoes, peas and salad	Doughnuts and chocolate sauce or fruit



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