

Millhouse News

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General Information

School Photos

Just a reminder that individual photos will be taken on Tuesday 29th September. At this time we will not be taking sibling or family group photos. Please make sure you register with the photographer before this date otherwise you will not be able to access your child's photo (no photos or proofs will be sent home from school).

School Emails

It has come to our attention that some of our school emails are going straight into parents' junk or spam folders. Please check these to ensure you have all relevant information. We do know that on some providers, especially those on iOS or Android phones that if you don't open and read a few emails from a sender, the operating system will think they are junk and automatically put them in the junk/spam folder so please make sure you open and read every email we send you!

School Dinner Menu

Please note that pizza has been replaced with sausage and mash. A copy of the revised menu is attached with this newsletter.

Wet Weather

We had a number of parents ask if we are able to open the school earlier for wet weather to save queuing outside. Unfortunately, we are unable to do this due to staff work start times and is not something we did before COVID anyway. We would suggest not arriving too soon before your child's start time, bring an umbrella (helps with social distancing 😊) and staff will open the gate as soon as it safe to do so.

As we have always done, children will continue to go outside for playtimes and PE lessons when it is cold and damp, therefore it is really important that your child comes to school in appropriate clothing. This means a jumper and coat for playtimes, suitable footwear (wellies can be worn outside and changed when the children go in) and a tracksuit for PE lessons. If you think they might get wet or muddy, please send them in with a change of clothes and footwear. Please be assured that we will not put the children's safety at risk and if we deem it too wet or cold, we will not take them outside unnecessarily.

Macmillan Coffee / Cake Morning

Thank you to everyone who supported this today. We will let you know how much we raised once we have counted all the donations.

And Finally...

Although it was in unfortunate circumstances, the Air Ambulance landed on our school field this morning and lots of the children experienced seeing it land or take off. It made us all remember how brilliant our NHS and Emergency Services are and as a result, the classes spent some time talking about them and some did their own 'Clap for the Emergency Services'. Thankfully, on this occasion, the Air Ambulance was not needed but we are all grateful for the work they do!