



Issue 8

Friday 3rd November

People matter

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Members of the Mayfield

Ultimately our aim is to grow children who are kind, caring and respectful of others, that develop into young people who become the best they can be and are meant to be, and citizens that we can be proud of now and in the future.

One of the ways we do this is through developing children's understanding of our Mission Statement (*'Learn from yesterday. Live for today. Hope for tomorrow'*) and its values.

This week we have spent some time talking about some very specific values about how we treat people.

We talked about showing a love of all, the importance of **empathy** and **appreciation**, why we **reflect**, **respect**, and **remember**, and ultimately why **everyone matters**.

These values have never been more important, especially considering current events in the world.

In our schools, we never take a political stance. We remember that schools are protected places where children learn.

We teach children that people matter, and our Mayfield values encompass this perfectly.



Mr. M. Couper-Barton



Mr Couper-Barton (Headteacher)

Mayfield's 'Quote of the Week'

Don't ever underestimate the importance of treating others with respect and kindness.



Morning Sports Club



(Week beginning: 6.11.23)

Monday: Football skills

Tuesday: Rounders

Wednesday: Netball

Thursday: Freddy Fit

Friday: Gymnastics

FREE places for children in Yr1-6. (8.15am)

Please drop children off at the main entrance.

Mayfield 'Value of the Week'



At Mayfield we encourage our children to 'Lead by example' and be role models.

We talk about how we live and breathe our Mission Statement values in everything we do, in school, at home, within our community and the wider world.





Your weekly news stories



PARENTS EVENING



Monday 6th November
 3:30 - 6:30 PM
 NBB, RPS, Yr1SC, Yr2RL, Yr3ET, Yr4JS, Yr6HD

Thursday 9th November
 3:30 - 6:30 PM
 NBB, RLA, Yr1WO, Yr2HS, Yr3ER, Yr5JH

Halloween discos

Thank you for supporting our fantastic Halloween discos. We hope children enjoyed themselves. Money raised will be used to purchase new books for children in school.



Reception's magic potion!

'Reception soon realised that by making a magic potion, they had turned Mr Couper-Barton into a frog! We couldn't believe it! Luckily, we were able to find a spell and use our fantastic reading skills to turn him back again, phew!'



YOU ARE INVITED!

AFTERNOON TEA AND NATTER!

Tuesday 7th November
 3.15pm
 Small Hall

Join pastoral staff from Mayfield along with an array of professionals from Mental Health services, School Nurses, SEND Family Information services and more!



Yr1 visited Portland Basin

Year 1 classes had a fantastic day at Portland Basin Museum. They became history seekers and got to play with lots of different old toys.



OPEN EVENING

MONDAY 13TH NOVEMBER
 3.30 - 5.30PM

CONTACT US ON
 0161 624 6425
 TO BOOK YOUR PLACE



Nursery
 and
 Reception
 2024

Mayfield's Message Board

Cooking Club news!

Thank you to all our families for your support and votes in our local Tesco stores. We are pleased to announce that Mayfield Cooking Club placed 2nd in the region and have been awarded an amazing £1000. This money will help to buy new equipment such as aprons and safety knives, as well as ensuring the cooking club can run for longer with more children able to attend.

Oldham Foodbank

Oldham Foodbank are currently short of the following items: cooking sauces, drinks cordial, jam / marmalade, tinned potatoes, shampoo, nappies, baby milk and wipes.

If you would like to donate any items, please drop them off at the main office, or with your child's class teacher. Thank you for your support.



Harvest donations

Following our successful coffee morning in September, we are going to be holding an Afternoon Tea in school on Tuesday 7th November 2023 starting at 3:15pm, and you are all invited to attend.

This event will be attended by Mental Health services, School Nurses, SEND Family Information Services and hopefully other agencies to be confirmed. It will be a drop-in with opportunity for you to speak with a variety of agencies and receive useful information. Of course, there will also be some tea/coffee biscuits and cake!

Remembrance Day

As in previous years, we will be selling poppies in school for a suggested donation of 20p per poppy. In addition to traditional poppies, the Royal British Legion have provided us with a variety of other items to sell. Please see the Items and their recommended prices on the email sent out from Mrs Sutcliffe, our History Lead.



A few of this week's Mayfield Magic Moments



Top left

Potion making in Reception! So many enthusiastic children and really engaged learners.

Top right

Early Years had some fantastic spooky activities for children to practise their skills.

Bottom left

Outdoor learning in Mayfield Woods in an absolute treat at this time of year.

Bottom right

We were delighted to receive £1000 from Tesco towards our cooking club for placing 2nd.

This week's special award winners!

Mayfield's 'Superstars of the Week'

Congratulations to the following winners who have demonstrated outstanding behaviour choices or shown a superb attitude to learning or for a special achievement.

Nursery BB: Robyn Gregg & Freya Jackson
 Reception LA: Katie-Esme Wild & Teddy Cook
 Reception PS: Logan Redfern & Penelope Holmes

Year One SC: All of Year 1SC
 Year One WO: All of Year 1WO
 Year Two HS: Aaron Walker & Lyra Kershaw
 Year Two RL: Esme Crowther & Treya Berhe

Year Three ER: Hazel Tracey & Kaison Coyle
 Year Three ET: Aviana Butterworth & Jolene Ayongo
 Year Four JS: Amelia Atkin & Brody Lovett
 Year Five JH: Alfie Jakeman & Carson Crossley
 Year Six HD: All of Year 6HD

Mr
Choudhury's
winner

Layla Guilfoyle

Mrs
Schofield's
winner

Jorgie Mannerson

PE Award winners

	PE award winners	Team Spirit Award winners
Nursery BB	Kaya Magama	Louis Frankland
Reception LA	Alina Gregory	Charlie Mayall
Reception PS	Muhammad Arafath Hussain	Chizitelu Igboke
Year One SC	Jackson Coop	Ella Shevlin-Brooks
Year One WO	Kaiden Royle	Fletcher Williams
Year Two HS	Oscar Lynch	Caleb Atkin
Year Two RL	Whitney Omuryi	Harry Hampson
Year Three ER	Solomon Miah	Octavia Duffy
Year Three ET	Harley-James Newton-Pilgrim	Alexa Jones
Year Four JS	Ruby Burns	Ruby Knott
Year Five JH	Shantaya Greaves	Mckenzie Bevan
Year Six HD	Travis Perrin	Jorgie Mannerson

House Team Winners of the Week

1 st place	Kingston Red
2 nd place	Vulcan Yellow
3 rd place	Waverley Blue
4 th place	Granite Green



Dates for your Diary

Dates	Events
6.11.23	Parents' / Carers' Evening (NBB, RPS, Yr1SC, Yr2RL, Yr3ET, Yr4JS, Yr6HD) 3.30-6.30pm
7.11.23*	Coffee Afternoon 'Tea and Natter' - including professionals for mental health services, school nurses, SEND and Mayfield's pastoral team. (Small Hall)
9.11.23	Parents' / Carers' Evening (NBB, RLA, Yr1WO, Yr2HS, Yr3ER, Yr5JH) 3.30-6.30pm
13.11.23	Mayfield 'Open Evening' (new parents / carers, community, etc).
15.11.23	Chaplain Ford assembly (KS2)
17.11.23*	Children in Need Day (Info to follow)
7.12.23*	Year Three Egyptian Day (Info to follow)
11.12.23	Christmas Discos (EYFS: 4.00-4.45pm) (KS1: 5.00-5.45pm) (KS2: 6.00-6.45pm)
12.12.23*	KS1 Nativity (2.00-3.00) Info to follow
13.12.23*	KS1 Nativity (10.30-11.30am) Info to follow
14.12.23	Pantomime at Queen Elizabeth Hall
15.12.23	Christmas Fair (2.30-4.30pm) (Children to be collected at 2.30pm)
21.12.23	Amazing Stephen performance (EYFS)
22.12.23	End of Half-term Two
8.1.24	Start of Half-term Three
16.2.24	End of Half-term Three
26.2.24	Start of Half-term Four
28.3.24	End of Half-term Four
15.4.24	Start of Half-term Five
6.5.24	May Day (Children not in school)
24.5.24	End of Half-term Five
3.6.24	Start of Half-term Six
18.7.24	End of Half-term Six
19.7.24	Inset Day (Children not in school)

*New events



Attendance and Punctuality (from last week)

1st place (Attendance)

Year 2HS

2nd place (Attendance)

Reception RPS

3rd place (Attendance)

Year 3ET

🌸	97% and above
	Excellent
🌸	95% to 97%
	Heading in the right direction but some improvement needed
🌸	91% to 95%
	Attendance is slipping: to be closely monitored
🌸	90% or below
	Poor (High numbers of children are persistently absent)

	Attendance	Punctuality
Overall	92.9%	98.6%
Nursery BB	92.9%	98.3%
Reception LA	89.1%	96.2%
Reception PS	96.3%	98.7%
Year One SC	94.4%	96.8%
Year One WO	87.7%	99.1%
Year Two HS	96.8%	98.6%
Year Two RL	93.5%	100%
Year Three ER	91.7%	98.8%
Year Three ET	95.9%	99.8%
Year Four JS	93.1%	98.6%
Year Five JH	91.6%	99.1%
Year Six HD	91.8%	99.0%





● ● ● ● Introducing our brand-new Yr6 roles and responsibilities ● ● ● ●

Year 6 Roles & Responsibilities

2023-24

Head Girl	Deputy Head Girl	Head Boy	Deputy Head Boy
Elisha Burtonwood-Heffron	Lily Oldham Mia Higgins	Ahmad Zeshan	Kai Higgins Micheal Mullen-Akroyd
Head Prefect	Prefect	Head Buddy	Buddy
Amari Brown Kevin Izsepi	Joe Bell Joseph Butterworth Elliot Cook Lacey Davidson Isabel Davies Nya Green	Jacob Jones	Joe Bell Maizie Blake Elisha Burtonwood-Heffron Joseph Butterworth Lacey Davidson Isabel Davies Nya Green
Sports Leader	Macy-Leanne James Melissa King Jorgie Mannerson Lacey McMillan	Deputy Head Buddy	Ella Heffron Kai Higgins Mia Higgins Jacob Jones Melissa King Kye Maher
Elliot Cook Ella Heffron Warren Reilly Bentley Westwood		Eco Council	Jorgie Mannerson Ellis-Scott Mason Olivia Mayemba Lacey McMillan Micheal Mullen-Akroyd Lily Oldham Travis Perrin
	Mentor	House Team Ambassadors	Leon Robinson Jayden Swales Darcy Taylor
Raphael Adewole Kayden Gibson Olivia Mayemba Leon Robinson	Maizie Blake Nya Green Riley Kershaw Ellis-Scott Mason	Raphael Adewole Travis Perrin Jayden Swales Darcy Taylor	
Attendance Ambassadors			
Amari Brown Lacey McMillan			

● ● ● ● Congratulations to all of our amazing role models who lead by example. ● ● ● ●



Headteacher's Special Award for 'Learning Behaviour of the Week'

This week's 'Learning Behaviour of the Week'

'I have learnt some important Maths facts to help my learning'.

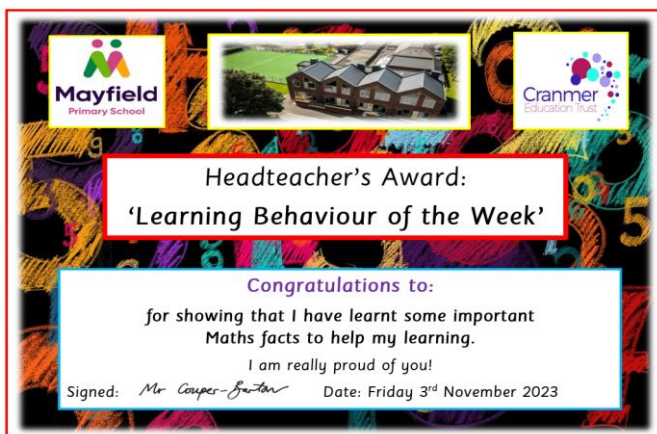
Next week's 'Learning Behaviour of the Week' is:

'I can make a piece of my learning even better'.

Nursery BB	Gracie-B Margetson
Reception LA	Zana Ayongo
Reception PS	Parker-James Hardman
Year One SC	Ronnie Smith
Year One WO	Amelia Paraskevopoulou
Year Two HS	Jacob Evans-Heywood
Year Two RL	Leo Redfern
Year Three ER	Kai Phiri
Year Three ET	Lewis Wright
Year Four JS	Brandon Hopwood
Year Five JH	Darcie-Rae Richards
Year Six HD	Joseph Butterworth



This week's certificate



Next week's certificate



Please see our brand-new Facebook account and our X (Twitter) account for more photos of our fantastic children. Keep sending them in to show we are 'Proud to be Purple'.

Apologies that we cannot show all the photos sent into us within this newsletter! Thank you.

Thank you for taking the time to read this week's newsletter. Mr Couper-Barton (Headteacher) Please visit @MayfieldOldham and Facebook for further information and news.



FOR INFORMATION ONLY



St James Councillors Ward Meeting
St James Ward Councillors are holding a Ward Meeting
to discuss Crime and ASB in the area

The public meeting is to be held
Thursday 16th November
6pm - 8pm
at
Mayfield Primary School (Main Hall), Mayfield Road

**GMP, Debbie Abrahams MP, First Choice Homes, and
Oldham Council officers will be in attendance.**

We are happy to receive questions in advance of this public meeting,
or if you are unable to attend but have a question
please email/get in touch using our contact details below

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Please note that this meeting has not been organised by the school. Mayfield is the venue.