

10th June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you had a good half term, it's hard to believe this is the last half term of the year.

Appointments

Prior to half term we made three new teaching appointments to our growing team

Kate Dunne

Ellie Clifford

Emily Bahan

We have also appointed a third Assistant Headteacher

- Rhyannan Porter (currently working in school) will be Assistant Headteacher for Early Years and Key Stage 1
- Carolyn Westnedge will be Assistant Headteacher for Key Stage 2 and 3
- Stephen Chambers will be Assistant Headteacher for Key stage 4 and 5

Goodbyes

On 24th June we say goodbye to Aaron Hope who leaves us to take up an international post, Aaron will be a huge miss and we wish him well.

Memorial Garden

We are in the process of creating a memorial garden in the school grounds. This will be a place to go to remember pupils we have lost and be a calm area for pupils to enjoy. ALTRAD have been very kind and agreed to transform the area into a garden for us and this will be fully funded by themselves and partner businesses.

Thank You

We would like to thank UNITE NW/110 branch for their continued support of Mayfield School pupils.

Their consideration and thoughtfulness in visiting school to present the £1000 cheque was very much appreciated.

We also had some special guests to present the cheque!!





Its been a busy first week back in school.....

Lakes 4 are focusing on the stage of their story where there are 'sand and shells' to walk through. They went to Seascale collecting shells for their art, explored the sand, practiced walking/sitting on uneven ground and even sunbathing (with lots of sun cream on!) They then went to the playground where the children had the experience of moving in lots of different ways. Seascale was really accessible and they would definitely recommend it to other families!



Lakes 6 had a lovely trip to the Lake District Wildlife Park! They had a big walk around the park looking out for the animals they have been learning about and explored the play area.



Lakes 7 have been on the train to Seascale, they played on the park and enjoyed an ice cream.





Lakes 11 spent a fabulous morning exploring the old Victorian sea swimming pool at St Bees as part of their beach schools session. They searched in the water and under rocks looking for and catching, prawns, crabs and being tickled by the anemones. They made sure they left the area just as they found it and returned all of the animals safely to the place they found them. There was lots of fun, laughter and discovery as well a number of wet bottoms!



Mountains 1 are the grand champions of the Mountain's Boccia competition! All teams were fantastic, thanks to Ali and her helpers for organising such an exciting competition.





The leavers group in 6th form recently visited West Lakes Science Park. The group were kindly hosted by Kaefer for the whole day. The visit included an in depth look into the World of Work with interactive sessions covering office work, cleaning, grounds maintenance, health and safety and catering.

The students had a fantastic time and learnt a huge amount about life at work. Thank you to Kaefer and all the team at West Lakes Science Park.



Yours sincerely

Sam Kidd
Headteacher

