

# Mayfield Messenger

26th January 2024



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Dear parents and carers,

## A message from Mr Howard

To say that we are heading towards the last 2 weeks before half term is unbelievable, and there is still so much to be looking forward to. This includes aiming for another successful year entering Dance Live!

Whilst mentioning Dance Live, it has been great to see the primary and senior Dance Live teams prepare for the annual Guildhall performance. During a guided tour of our school for potential new teachers, I was fortunate enough to visit the hall where our senior team were rehearsing. I am confident to say that it was incredible and I am looking forward to watch the final performance. The teamwork, creativity and range of styles of dance is definitely going to wow the audience.

The **Primary Dance Live will take place on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at the Portsmouth Guildhall** and the **Senior Dance Live will take place on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February at the Portsmouth Guildhall**. Tickets to see the amazing event can be purchased at [Dance Live! 2024 | Portsmouth Guildhall](#)

**Believe. Achieve. Succeed.**

I wish you all a fantastic weekend!

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Calling all parents and carers! If someone at your school has gone above and beyond for your family, Teach Portsmouth are asking you to share a special thank you message.

## WATCH THIS SPACE!

It was great to be invited to one of the senior rehearsals this week! I was incredibly impressed with the range of dance coming together as a complete performance. I am definitely looking forward to the Live performance at the Guildhall.

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## Senior Learning Support contacts

If parents and carers need to contact the Learning Support Department in seniors, then details are on the website or you can either contact reception or go direct to:

Senior Section:

### SENDCO

Mrs Howard

howard-verity@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk

### Assistant SENDCO

Miss Webb

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### Lead Inclusion Support Assistant (SEMH, Sensory and Physical)

Mrs Doyle

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### Lead Inclusion Support Assistant (Cognition & Learning, Communication & Interaction)

Mrs Trise

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### Year 8 Parents' Evening Reminder

The parental booking system for the **Year 8** Parent's Evening on **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February** is now open. Parents can book their appointments via [SchoolCloud - Mayfield School](#).

This is a face-to-face parents' evening from **4 till 7pm** and all teachers will be based in the Main Hall.

### Free Senior Breakfast

Our free senior section Breakfast has proved very popular this week. There is **a free** bagel with butter, jam or honey available every morning in the main canteen **from 8am till 8.30am**.

Please come in early and make sure that you have a good breakfast before school starts.



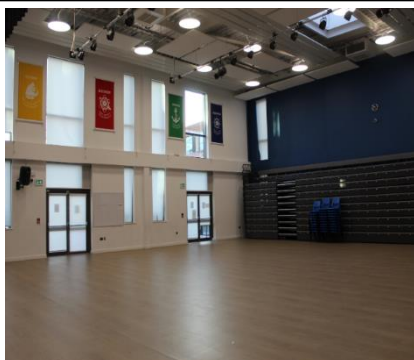
### Looking for somewhere to hold a Birthday party?

**Thinking where to run your club? Look no further. Mayfield has the perfect solution with great facilities.**

As we continue to drive forwards in our aim to establish a family ethos where we are at the heart of a vibrant community, we are pleased to share Mayfield School and our new state-of-the-art building. This provides our school community with new facilities, such as a large sports hall, new drama rooms, a main hall with bleachers which can seat up to 240 people for production audiences and meetings, a spinning room for spin classes of up to 25 people and much more. Click on the link below to see which facility would be the perfect venue for you.

[Facilities Hire | Mayfield School](#)

For more information / to make a booking please contact Mrs S Manns on: 02392 693432 ext 206 or via email: [manns@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:manns@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)



### Apply for free school meals

It is not too late for parents to apply for free school meals and be eligible for these vouchers.

Parents and carers can apply through this link on the PCC website [School meals - Portsmouth City Council](#) or complete a paper form that is available at Reception.

### After School Club dates

This is a reminder that 'After School Club' will not be running on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January** in Primary.

### Share your child's success outside of Mayfield

If your child/ren have achieved something over the Festive period, please share a picture and a brief description of the success. This could appear in the next Mayfield Messenger.

Please send these to [general@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk](mailto:general@mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk)

**We look forward to seeing you all again on Monday.**



Congratulations to Millie in Year 5 who was awarded the Star of the Week at her musical theatre class on Monday for working really hard and covering a part for a girl who wasn't there!

Well done Millie!

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