

Weekly Bulletin

July 5th 2024



Mock Election

As we swiftly approach another year-end in school, I am again more aware than ever how quickly time passes and how quickly our children grow during their time in school. It really doesn't seem possible that a whole year has passed since report time last year, and that opportunity for staff to reflect on how much your child has learnt this year and for children to consider what they are looking to improve on next year.

Rain did stop play for our **sports day** this week! We will reschedule for next Friday 12th July (weather permitting).

The children's **end of year reports** have been uploaded to your MCAS account today. This is an important opportunity for you to share in your child's achievements and celebrate their successes. We hope that you spend time with your children congratulating them on their achievements over the past school year.

There are still lots of events to look forward to - **Year 5 & 6** are busily rehearsing for their fantastic summer production '**What a Knight!**' with performances planned for the children in school and performances on Wednesday 10th & Thursday 11th July. The children have been rehearsing well, with some fabulous singing being heard from the school offices and the children are keen to perform this to you all.

Moving Up Day

Look out for details about our **fish 'n' chips on the field** for pupils with their new teachers as part of our meet the teacher day on **Wednesday 17th July**. Who can resist takeaway fish and chips on the field with friends!

Most of our information is also available on the [school website calendar](#). We endeavour to keep this as up to date as possible. Please feel free to check this for information and timing of events.



[APPLY HERE](#)

Hungry in Meldreth? Yes, Meldreth!

Available funds will only allow our Food Bank to continue for another 2-3 months.

To maintain Meldreth Food Bank during this period of need, we must increase the level of resources and identify new sustainable sources of funding. MCCS is therefore launching a standing order arrangement for anyone who feels able to make a regular commitment.

Our goal to raise £5000 per year – support for 20+ households

If just 50 households donated £100 per year, or 100 households donated £50 per year, that would raise £5000.

Any amount will be gratefully received and will be treated in confidence.

Account name: MCCS, Account number: 25558260, Sort code: 30-99-50

Summer Reading Challenge



The Summer Reading Challenge is a FREE holiday activity for children. It's all about reading for fun, aiming to improve children's reading skills and confidence. It runs every year and all children aged 4 -11 are welcome to take part, with the challenge being to read six or more library books over the summer.

Taking part in the reading challenge is simple – when our summer holidays start, you can sign up at your local

library. Read any six library books (or more!) over the holidays to collect special rewards and complete the challenge and it's FREE to take part! Keep an eye on their [blog](#) for all the latest Summer Reading Challenge news.

Preschool Places

[Eligible working](#) or [low-income](#) parents of 2-year-olds are now able to access 15 hours childcare at Meldreth Preschool.

You may be entitled to claim **FREE CHILDCARE** up to a maximum of 15 hours during term time. **APPLY NOW** whilst places are available at our Preschool. Contact Janet on 01763 260432.





Elis X	Hugh B	Florence S-B	India M	Cali R	Tilly B
Emily	Otis I	Tobi	Tegan L	Belle E	Sam H-P
Dexter P	Caia Z	Isaac I	Darcy L	Cleo X	Sebastian P
	Samuel J		Nicholas H		Isla B

Upcoming Events

Wednesday 10 th July	Year 5 & 6 Production
Thursday 11 th July	
Saturday 13 th July	Camping Overnight at School
Wednesday 17 th	Moving Up Day
Friday 19 th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (9am) & Last Day of Term

SUMMER FETE

Saturday 6th July
2pm to 4.30pm
MAYCROFT CARE HOME
 HIGH STREET, MELDRETH, SG8 6LB

FREE ENTRY
 WHOLE COMMUNITY WELCOME!

JOIN US FOR LOTS OF FUN!

- Live music •
- BBQ •
- Ice creams
- Cake stall •
- Glitter tattoos •
- Traditional fete games •
- Raffle •
- Home made goods •
- and much more!

Raising money for The Maycroft Residents Fund
 All funds raised will help provide additional activities, trips and experiences to enhance our residents wellbeing and provide those special moments and memories.

Shepreth

Past Present and Future 5th to 11th August



Join in with a week of arts & craft activities and see your work exhibited in the church! (individual & family projects welcome)



Shepreth past

Do you have pictures or know stories of the Shepreth of long ago? Have you noticed changes? Do you have memories of days gone by?

Shepreth present
 What things do you like or dislike about Shepreth? Are we helping nature or are there things that are damaging nature?



Shepreth future

What would you like Shepreth to be like in the future? What can we do to make it safer for people and for nature?

Paint a picture, write a story, make a collage, act out a play, write a poem, sew a scene, all arts and craft activities welcome!

Daily sessions in the church to work on your entry
Mon 5th-Thurs 8th 2-4pm, Fri 9th 10am to 4pm
Entries exhibited 10th & 11th August

Entry forms available: <https://tinyurl.com/3skz9ac9>
Or collect a paper copy from The Plough or The Wildlife Park
For info email: sustainableshepreth@gmail.com