



# Mellor News

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## Audio Newsletter

If you would prefer to listen to an audio version of this week's newsletter this can be accessed [HERE](#). The newsletter is read in both English and Gujarati.

## Term Dates 2021/22

Leicester City Council term dates for 2021/22 have been updated. The May bank holiday has moved to Thursday 2 June, with an additional bank holiday on Friday 3 June to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. A PDF of the new term dates are attached to this newsletter.

## Beat the Street

Beat the Street is back!!! It is a fun, free initiative that will see Leicester transformed into a giant game! See how far you and your child can walk, cycle or scoot in just 6 weeks. There are great challenges to enjoy and prizes up for grabs. Beat the Street Leicester 2021 will run from Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May to Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> July. Further details, maps and fobs will be sent home with children on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May.

## Eid Assembly

You can watch our Year 4 Eid Assembly [HERE](#). Please do not share this link or post any aspects of the Assembly on social media, this is for parent's personal use only. The link to the assembly will expire in two weeks. We hope you enjoy watching it. Eid Mubarak to all of our families who will be celebrating Eid this week.

## Taekwon-do Classes

Taekwon-do classes are now running at Mellor on Friday evenings at 6.30pm. For further information please see the attached flyer, or phone Master T Sahota on 07932520517.

## Menu Change

We will be offering a special menu of two of our most popular meals; Fish fingers, Margherita Pizza, chips or ½ jacket potato, beans or mixed salad and ice cream or fresh fruit on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> May** to encourage more children to try school dinners. Please note this is a change to our normal menu.

## Parents Guide to Buying School Uniform

The Uniform Direct parents guide is now available and is attached to this newsletter. This provides lots of useful information to support parents in securing school uniform for the new academic year. **Please note that from August 2021 all children will be required to wear plain black trainers (no coloured markings, logos or flashing lights) for PE. If children already wear black trainers as part of their school uniform these can also be worn for PE.**

## Centre for Fun and Families

The centre for fun and families are running a 6 week digital programme via zoom for parents looking to support their children with feelings of anxiety. The programme is for parents of children aged 11 -16. You can find out more information by referring to the attached flyer.

### **Financial Support for Families**

The c19 crisis support team helps families who are dealing with financial crisis i.e paying utility bills or food. You can email the c19 team directly on [C19support@leicester.gov.uk](mailto:C19support@leicester.gov.uk) or ask the school for help and we can make a referral for you.

### **Local Offer Live 2021**

The local offer live is a virtual event which provides information about Leicester City's offer for SEND pupils and young people. It is a free event and takes place from **24<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> May**. This year's event will include virtual stalls, activities, performances and workshops. For more information see the attached leaflet.

### **Children and Young People's Mental Health Service Directory**

A new guide targeting children, young people and families with emotional, mental health and wellbeing needs is now available online. The directory provides information on a range of general and specialist NHS mental health services for young people, including online and telephone support, together with top tips for children and families and details of youth groups as well as support available from local councils.