

Ash Cartwright and Kelsey CEP School

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Friday 18th May 2018 Newsletter No: 30

Dear Parents/Carers

The year 6 children did us proud during their SATs tests this week - they displayed remarkable maturity and were calm and composed - well done Falcons! I was amazed at the amount of food they ate at breakfast club - I was a regular visitor to the supermarket to replenish our stock!

The year 5 children enjoyed their day at Dover Museum on Wednesday and made some beautiful clay Victorian picture frames. Ms Graham reported that their behaviour was excellent and they were real ambassadors of the school - great work Eagles!

As we are through to the County Handball Final - we have changed our sports week. This will now be week commencing 2nd July culminating in our sports day on Friday 6th July. Please see below timetable from Mr Hayes.

The Royal Wedding Celebration Day was lovely today - the children all looked very patriotic in their red, white and blue and sang the first verse of our National Anthem. We had a very British tea party on the field in the afternoon.

Have a lovely weekend
Fiona Crascall
Headteacher

Community Gardening Day

In order to develop our school values garden and develop our spiritual garden/vegetable patches, we will be having a community day on 19th May starting at 10am. If you are green-fingered or would just like to be involved, please come and see me and I can talk through our plans. Tea and biscuits will be provided! Please bring forks/spades/gloves if you have them.

Thank you.

PTFA Film Night

Following on from our previous successful film night, our next one is on Tuesday 22nd May (after school as before). The film is the *Greatest Showman* (this is a PG and has a couple of scenes containing mild peril). The PTFA will provide hot dogs, popcorn and a drink all for £3.50. We anticipate that this event will finish at 5.45pm. Thank you for your continued support and a big thanks to the PTFA for arranging this - all funds raised benefit our school.

Dover Grammar School for Boys Open Evening

To help parents decide on a secondary school for September 2019, DGSB are holding an opening evening on Tuesday 26th June from 6-8.30pm, so that parents and students can visit and get an idea of whether they would like the opportunity of a Grammar school education. Students registered for the Dover Test will take it on Saturday 8th September at the Grammar School. Register for this by completing the application form available from www.dgsb.co.uk

Attendance - 14th May to 18th May 2018

CLASS	%
Year R Wrens	98
Year 1 Robins	94
Year 2 Magpies	100
Year 3 Owls	98
Year 4 Hawks	98
Year 5 Eagles	99
Year 6 Falcons	99
Punctuality Penguin Award	Eagles
Attendance Alligator Award	Magpies

Stars of the Week

Year R Wrens	James King for independence and imagination.
Year 1 Robins	Billy Lee for super effort in all his learning.
Year 2 Magpies	Ben Weatherall for creating some excellent pieces of writing!
Year 3 Owls	Ella-Jane Brazier for trying incredibly hard in all of her assessments this week.
Year 4 Hawks	Alex Friend for his continual hard work in Maths.
Year 5 Eagles	Shi Parker for excellent effort in writing her non fiction book.
Year 6 Falcons	Kye Davidson for remaining positive and cheerful despite finding it difficult to complete SATs with a fractured wrist.

First Aid Course

Mrs Brice has organised a paediatric first aid course for Saturday 30th June to raise money for books for the library. The course is 3 hours long and costs £15 per person.

Everyone who attends receives a certificate.

The session timings are: 9 am - 12 Noon or 1.00 pm - 4 pm and 15 places are available per session.

Both sessions will be held at the school.

If you are interested please let the office know, indicating which session you would like to attend. Please make payment when you book. Training is open to everyone, so feel free to ask anyone you think maybe interested.

Clubs

Please note that there will be no clubs on after school next week (21st May - 25th May).

Clubs resume in Term 6 week commencing 11th June.

Sports Week Schedule

(All events/timings subject to change)

Monday AM	Sponsored run (Matching the average distance of sports stars in a game)
Monday PM	Students vs Teacher Rounders match
Tuesday PM	Healthy Eating Carousel Activities
Wednesday AM	KS1 Athletic field events
Wednesday PM	KS2 Athletic field events
Thursday AM	Trysports (Whole School)
Thursday PM	Transition Afternoon
Friday AM	Sports Day (9:30 - 12.00) - <i>more details to follow - parents/carers welcome</i> Children can be collected after Sports Day has finished
Friday PM	Children staying in the afternoon will watch a Sports Film in the hall

In the event of bad weather, Sports Day will be held on Monday 9th July instead.

Dates for your Diary

Term 5	
Wednesday 23rd May	National Grid Electricity Workshops Years 4, 5 and 6
Thursday 24th May	STEM workshop for years 5 and 6
Friday 25th May	End of Term 5 - School Finishes 3.15 pm, ASC Club until 5.45 pm
Term 6	
Monday 4th June	Start of Term 6
Tuesday 5th June	Van Cols Photographer in taking Class Photos
Thursday 14th June	Eagles Class to Pfizer Science Jamboree
Monday 18th June to Friday 22nd June	Falcons Class School Journey
Saturday 23rd June	Summer Fair - more details to follow
Monday 2nd July to Friday 6th July	Sports Week Sports Day - Friday 6 th July
Wednesday 4th July	Pfizer Science Workshop for Years 5 and 6
Thursday 5th July	Transition Afternoon - Pupils meet their new teachers
Tuesday 10th July	Phil the Bag Collection. Please bring unwanted items to the office before 9am on Tuesday 10 th July. Year 6 End of Year Production dress rehearsal to whole school
Wednesday 11th July	Year 6 Production - show to parents at 1.45 pm
Thursday 12th July	Year 6 Production - show to parents at 5.30pm
Friday 20th July	End of Term 6 - school finishes at 2.15 pm After School Club available until 4.45pm
Monday 23rd July	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students
Tuesday 24th July	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students

Staff Development Days 2018-2019

Monday 3rd September 2018	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students
Tuesday 4th September 2018	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students
Thursday 3rd January 2019	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students
Monday 3rd June 2019	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students
Tuesday 23rd July 2019	Staff Development Day - School Closed for Students