



Ash, Cartwright & Kelsey Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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Friday 26th June 2026 Newsletter Term 6 Week 4

Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a very hot and successful Sports Week in school. On Monday the children took part in 'Try Sports'. They tried a range of activities from Welly Wanging to dancing. On Tuesday the children learnt about healthy eating and the link between this/healthy body and exercise. Wednesday morning was Potted Sports and the children earned house points in their teams. KS2 did an amazing job of leading the events for KS1. Thursday the children learnt about water safety and we enjoyed the water battles – it is always difficult to decide who loves these the most – staff or the children! The children earned house points in the water battles for demonstrating our school values. A big thanks to Mr Hayes for all his hard work during the week and thank you to you all for being patient and supportive as plans have changed.

Sports Day has been rearranged until Tuesday due to the updated red weather warning. Grab bags will be available and usual arrangements will be in place – you can either take your child home or they can stay for the afternoon and watch a film in the hall. Please fill in the form below if you need a grab bag lunch.

Have a lovely weekend.

Fiona Crascall
Headteacher



Birthdays to celebrate

Wrens

Ronnie

Owls

Maddie, Coby, Liepa and James

Falcons

Austin



We still have a few spaces left in our school nursery. If you would like to arrange an individual tour, please give the school office a call on 01304 812539.

PTFA Update 26th June

Whole School Tea Towels Have Arrived!

We're delighted to let you know that our whole school tea towels have now been delivered and are ready for sale!

These special tea towels are a wonderful celebration of our school community, featuring every child and member of staff. They're a lovely keepsake and great fun to look through as you try to spot everyone's head.

Tea towels are available for:

- **£5 for 1 tea towel**
- **£8 for 2 tea towels**

Order your tea towels here, via the order forms sent home or see Mrs Bailey in the office to make cash payments and collect in person.

- 1 tea towel (£5): <https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/Q829UI7L>
- 2 tea towels (£8): <https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QELCYMMN>

Important: When making your payment via SumUp, please include **your child's name and class** in the notes section. This will help us ensure your tea towels are delivered to the correct child.

Tea towels will also be available to purchase today at the Summer Fayre.

Thank you for supporting the PTFA!

Get Involved

Still want to join us? Got great ideas? Or just want to lend a hand now and then? Whether it's once a year or more regularly, we'd love to hear from you.

Contact us via Facebook, Classlist, or email: candk.ptfa@gmail.com

We're always on the lookout for companies that offer **match funding** — it's a fantastic way to boost support for our school. If your employer might offer this, please get in touch.

New this academic year: We've introduced a **suggestion box** in the school reception area — open to ideas from children and adults alike. Let us know how we can work together to support our school!

Upcoming Events

- **5th July** - Sponsored Skydive
- **14th July** - Children's Sponsored Assault Course
- **17th July** - Tombola Tuck Shop - End of year clearance sale

For all the latest updates and school events, remember to join us on our Facebook and Classlist pages.

Attendance Award

Week Ending 26/6/2026	Eagles Class	97.61
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Fledglings	TBC
Year R Wrens	Cody for doing some great exploring and being really creative in his choosing. Well done!

Year 1 Robins	Austin for showing a positive and mature attitude to his learning.
Year 2 Magpies	Piper for showing fantastic presentation in all subjects and a great attitude in sports week! Well done.
Year 3 Owls	Andrew for using strategies to help focus when he is finding it tricky to stay on task. Keep it up!
Year 4 Hawks	Harley for his outstanding work ethic, effort and resilience. Well done Hartley! You enthusiastically tackle every task and try your very best! You are a role model to your peers.
Year 5 Eagles	Sienna for putting a great effort into our Sports Week and showing a great sporting attitude. Well done!
Year 6 Falcons	Albie for listening carefully to instructions during rehearsals, singing beautifully and practising with confidence.

Dates for your diary

Monday 29th June	Eagles class visit from Dr Rana at Canterbury Mosque
Thursday 2nd July	Transition day – meet the teacher for September 2026
Monday 6th July	Year 5 to Port Lympne as part of their topic learning
Tuesday 7th July	Year 1 to Sandwich Bird Observatory
Thursday 9th July	Year 6 production to parents at 5pm in the school hall
Friday 10th July	End of year reports to parents
Monday 13th July	Year 4 to Sandwich River for a picnic lunch
Tuesday 14th July	PTFA assault course for new school minibus
Thursday 16th July	i-rock concert to parents at 9.30am
Friday 17th July	Children break up for summer holidays. Year 6 service at the Church at 1.45pm – parents/families of year 6 children are very welcome to attend. After school club will finish at 4.30pm.
Tuesday 1st September	INSET day – no children in school
Wednesday 2nd September	Children back in school for term 1

Sports Day – Deadline for orders is Monday 29th June

We are looking forward to Sports Day on the morning of the 30th June. For children having school dinner, the kitchen will be providing a 'grab bag' (please fill in slip below). Just a few safeguarding reminders – please use the disabled toilet and enter via the main school reception – adults are not to enter the school building via the KS2 entrance or use the children's' toilets. Parents are reminded to stay in the parent zone and are not to approach/stand on the finishing line. Thank you for your support.

Class: _____ Name of child: _____

My child would like a Picnic grab bag and I enclose £2.75.

My child is entitled to an FSM/KS1 and would like the kitchen to provide a grab bag.

My child will bring in their own packed lunch.

Signed: _____ **parent/Guardian** **Date:** _____

I will be taking my child home after lunch. _____

PLEASE SEE MRS BAILEY IF YOU WOULD LIKE A PAPER COPY OF THIS SLIP TO RETURN