

School News

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday, 21st November - Reception 2026 School Tours

On Friday, 21st November we will be holding our school tours for parents and children who are due to start school in September 2026. If you, or anyone you know, would like to book a tour please contact the school office.

Friday, 21st November - Year 3 Class Worship

Parents and carers of children in Year 3 are invited to join us for the child's class worship at 9.00am in the School Hall.

<u>Friday, 21st November - Boy's Hall Cup and Girl's Friendly Football Matches Home</u> against Sholden Primary Kick-off at 3.30pm

Monday, 24th November - Year 6 and Fledglings National Child Measurement Programme

Further to our email sent on 4th September, Kent School Health Service will be in school to complete the Year 6 and Fledgling National Child Measurement Programme.

Tuesday, 25th November - Kent Fire Service Visit to School

<u>Tuesday, 25th November - Girl's Football League Match Home to Cartwright and Kelsey, Kick-off at 3.15pm</u>

<u>Friday, 28th November - PTFA Christmas Light Trail and Bonfire 3.30 to 5.00pm on the school Field</u>

Please see the PTFA section for further information about this exciting event.

WEBSITE SECTION

School News

The school news is emailed to parents every Thursday and gives you summary of things happening in school during the week ahead as well as other information from upcoming PTFA events, clubs, other school news and things happening in the local community.

The current week, and all previous weeks School News for the academic year, can also be viewed on the school website. These are found on the 'Parent' page under 'School News'.

PTFA News

Thank you to everyone who was able to come and support us for our 'pop up' fair at short notice after the disappointment of not having our Fireworks. I hope the children and parents enjoyed themselves. Thank you to those who donated cakes or other items for the fair and to everyone who came along to help man a stall, set up or clear away afterwards. We will bring you the total raised once we have made adjustments for any refunded tickets. If you would like a refund on your tickets or 'Push the Button' please bring these to the school office by the end of November and a refund will be provided.

Christmas Art Work

Thank you to everyone who placed an order for your child's artwork Christmas cards and gifts. We hope you and your loved ones are pleased with the items ordered and it is lovely to receive such positive feedback from those who have already collected their items. If you haven't collect yours, these are available from the school office. Your orders raised £137.68 for our school.

PTFA Meeting - Thursday, 20th November at 7.00pm Five Bells, Eastry

All are very welcome to join us this evening at 7.00pm when we will discuss our upcoming events.



Christmas Light Trail and Bonfire - Friday, 28th November 3.30 to 5.00pm As we did not get to light our bonfire last Friday, we will be doing this on Friday, 28th November from 3.30 to 5.00pm. A Christmas light trail will lead you to our bonfire and you will be able to buy toasting marshmallows, hot chocolate, mulled wine and Bailey's for adults.

PTFA Christmas Shop - Week Commencing 1st December

Our Christmas Gift shop is running in school during lunchtimes week commencing 1st December. If you are able to help during the lunchtime on any of these days, please let the school know. Further details about the gift shop will be included in next week's School News.

PTFA Christmas Disco's - Friday, 12th December

We will be holding our Christmas Disco's on Friday, 12th December. Fledglings, Year 1 & 2 will run from 3.15pm to 4.15pm and Year 3 to 6 from 4.30 to 5.30pm. More details about this event will follow shortly.

Job Advert

CLEANER REQUIRED

The school is looking for a new cleaner to join our friendly premises team

- Responsibility for cleaning and maintaining areas of the school
- Understanding of Health and Safety
- Experience would advantageous but training will be given

2 hours per day (10 hours per week) plus 30 hours during holiday throughout the year. Working hours can be before or after the school day.

Pay £6070.80 per annum

For a full job description and application form please ask at the school office. Closing date for applications 25th November 2025.

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Thanks from the Deal Area Foodbank

We have received a letter of thanks from the Deal Area foodbank for our donations at Harvest time.

During the Harvest period the Deal Area Foodbank received a total of 6.2 tonnes of food and £800 in direct donations. They wanted to pass on their sincere thanks for all your donations and in particular their thanks that so many took note of their Harvest request list.

Should you and your family need the help from the Deal Area Foodbank please ask at the school office. All enquiries will be treated confidentially.

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

Kent Police - Violence Against Women and Girls (VAWG) Community Event

Kent Police invite you to an online Microsoft Teams event on Monday, 1st December from 10am to 12pm or Tuesday, 2nd December from 6pm to 8pm which will give you an opportunity to find out more about what Kent Police and their partners have done to make our community safer for women and girls. You will also have the opportunity to ask questions to the local team in your area. Both events will be the same content. To register for either event please click on the links below:

Monday 1 December, 10am - 12pm Tuesday 2 December, 6pm - 8pm

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS	
Week commencing 24.11.2025	
MONDAY	
Football Club—Elite (3.15 to 4.15pm)	Yes
Netball Club - Mrs Wood (3.15 to 1.00pm)	Yes
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
Dance Club—Elite (3.15 to 4.15pm)	Yes
THURSDAY(
FRIDAY	

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss Headteacher

