



School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

Friday 14 June - PTA Non Uniform Day

Children are invited to wear non uniform on Friday, 14 June. Donations of bottles or children's gifts for an adult and child's tombola at the PTA Summer Fayre would be welcome.

Tuesday, 18 June - Year 2 visit to Broadstairs

Wednesday, 19 June - Rounders Consortium Competition at Sir Roger Manwood's from 4.00pm

Friday, 21 June - PTA Barn Dance on the School Field from 6.00pm to 9.00pm

The PTA are holding a mid-summer Barn Dance on the school playing field during the evening of 21 June 6.00pm to 9.00pm. Tickets are available to buy from the school office (adults - £5, children – free). Food and drink will be available to buy or bring your own picnic.

Monday, 24 June - 'Bags to School' Collection

The PTA have arranged another 'Bags 2 School' collection on 24 June. Children have brought home a 'Bags 2 School' sack today for any unwanted clothes, shoes, hats, belts, handbags, linen, towels and soft toys (no school uniform, pillows or duvets). The more items that are donated the more money the PTA will make for the school. Please make sure your bag(s) are left on the grass verge in the school car park **before 9.00am on Monday, 24 June**. Please do not bring your bags before this date as we have nowhere to store them safely, thank you



Wednesday, 26 June - Sports Day & PTA Summer Fayre

Our annual Sports Day will be held on Wednesday, 26 June. Sports Day starts at 1.15pm followed by the PTA Summer Fayre. Please see the PTA section for further details.

'Grab a Bag' – Whole School Meals have again arranged a 'Grab a Bag' for lunch on Sports Day so that children can eat their lunch on the playing field before Sports Day. Lunch will be a burger and chips or vegetarian sausage. Forms were attached to last weeks school news and need to be returned by **Monday, 17 June**. **Unfortunately Whole School Meals will not be able to accept any late orders.**

YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU!

PLEASE HELP!!!!

Eastry PTA completely relies on volunteers to make events like the summer fayre a success and to raise much needed funds to benefit all children. Any help you can give, e.g. baking cakes, setting up on the morning of 26th (9-11am), manning a stall for the event (3.30-5.30) or even just half an hour would really allow us to put on a great school fayre! It's also a lot of fun too!!

If you can help by sparing a little time please complete the slip below and return it to the office as soon as possible. **THANK YOU!**

Make Cakes _____ (approx. how many)

Set up during the morning of 26 June

Run a stall for the entire fayre

Tidy up for after the fayre

Help run a stall for 1/2 hours

Name _____ Contact Details _____

DIARY DATES FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR

Friday, 28 June - Year 6 visit to Kent Police Open Day

Monday, 1 July - Eastry School Netball Club v St. Margaret's Primary School at 3.30pm (Home Match)

Thursday, 4 July - Transition Day & Move-up Day - Parents can visit their child's new teachers and classrooms from 3.00pm.

Saturday, 6 July - The Scholars Programme Graduation Event at Kings College, London

Monday, 8 July - Fledglings visit to the Coast Guard Station at St. Margaret's and Walmer RNLI

Tuesday, 9 July - New Fledglings visit to the classroom 1.45pm to 2.45pm

Wednesday, 10 July - New Fledglings visit to the classroom 9.30am to 10.30am

Wednesday, 10 July - Year 6 Production 'The Next Big Step' 6pm in the school hall

Thursday, 11 July - New Fledglings visit to the classroom 1.45pm to 2.45pm

Thursday, 11 July - Year 6 Production 'The Next Big Step' 6pm in the school hall

Monday, 15 July - Year 6 Grandparent's Afternoon from 2.20pm in the school hall

Wednesday 17 to 19 July - Year 6 residential visit to Grosvenor Hall, Kingswood, Ashford

Monday, 22 July - Year 6 T-shirt Signing Day

Tuesday, 23 July - Year 6 Leaver's Service at 9.15am at St. Mary's Church, Eastry

Tuesday, 23 July - Year 6 Clap-out on the school playground (gates open at 3.15pm)

Tuesday, 23 July - Year 6 Leaver's Party 3.30pm to 5.30pm on the School Field

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Kent Test

Please can we remind parents of children in Year 5 that applications for the Kent Test are now open and close on 3 July. To register please visit www.kent.gov.uk/ola.

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

St. Mary's Church Teddy Bear's Picnic - Sunday, 30 June from 2.30 to 4.00pm

St. Mary's church will again be holding a Teddy Bear's Picnic on Sunday, 30 June on the recreation green opposite the church. Further information was sent home with the children last week and slips should be returned to the school by 27 June.

Dover Fire Station Open Day - Saturday, 29 June

Dover Fire Station will be holding an Open Day on Saturday, 29 June from 11.00am to 4.00pm. During the day there will be stalls and events including; Duty Crew, Aerial Display, Animal Rescue Unit, Vintage Horse Drawn Carriage & Pump from the Dover Transport Museum, and lots more.

Sir Roger Manwood's Open Evening

Sir Roger Manwood's have an Open Evening on Wednesday, 3 July from 5.30pm with the Headteacher's presentation at 7.00pm.

PTA NEWS

Frozen Friday

Ice poles will continue to be on sale for 20p every Friday after school, until the end of term, providing that it doesn't rain! Thank you for your support with this during the last few weeks. We hope that your children have enjoyed their Friday treats!

Non-Uniform Day – Friday 14th June

Please can children come in their own clothes and donate a bottle for the Summer Fayre bottle tombola or a new children's gift (toy/book/stationery etc.) for the children's tombola.

Family Barn Dance – Friday 21st June, 6-9pm

This will be held on the school playing field (marquee arranged, if it rains!). There will be a live band and barn dance caller. Tickets are now available to buy from the school office and village post office (adults - £5, children – free). There will be a pizza van, ice cream van and a licenced bar. You are also welcome to bring your own picnic. See posters around the village and on Facebook. Bring your family and friends (and a deck chair or blanket).

Bag 2 School - Monday, 24 June

Please see previous page for further details.

Summer Fayre – 26th June (after sports day)

We are planning a small summer fayre to follow this year's sports day. There will be tea and cake, magic shows, inflatables, tombola, plant stall, face painting and a few games for the children. We are also offering the opportunity for people to rent a table to set up a craft/gift stall for the small fee of £10. If you are interested in having a table, please leave your details at the school office and we will get in touch with you.

We really need your help to set up on the morning of 26th (9-11am) and to bake cakes (please let us know how many you will be able to bake/donate). If you can help, please complete the slip at the bottom and of the previous page and return to the school office as soon as possible.

Summer grand draw – tickets on sale at the summer events and during the week beginning 17th June (to be drawn at the summer fayre). There are lots of amazing prizes, including £50 Boden voucher, spa and hair/beauty vouchers, gym membership, MOT, meals in local restaurants, theatre tickets and lots of family days out.

If you would like to promote your business by offering a prize for the summer raffle, please let the office know. The PTA will add a list of benefactors on the summer fayre and barn dance programmes.

INTERNET SAFETY SECTION

Your child may already know what their personal information is but they might not think about how it can be shared. Have a conversation about what personal information is and how this can affect them if it is shared beyond the intended recipient. It is important that your child understands the dangers of sharing contact details or photos. As information such as this can spread quickly online.



GOODBYE AND THANK YOU EASTRY

I am retiring from Eastry School after 29 very happy years there as a class teacher.

I would love to say a personal and very fond goodbye to past parents, colleagues and especially ex pupils who I have had the pleasure teaching during my time at the school.



So pop along to the village hall on Saturday, 13 July any time between 3.00pm to 5.00pm for a chat and refreshments.

Kindest wishes to all

John O’Gorman

★ CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING ★	
‘STAR LEARNER’ FRIDAY, 7 JUNE 2019	
Fledglings	Chloe Ball
Year 1	Ronnie Martin
Year 2	Lillie Boyle
Year 3	Manny Arnold
Year 4	George Bradshaw
Year 5	India Robinson
Year 6	Whole of Year 6

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS	
Week commencing 17.6.2019	
MONDAY	
Netball Club	YES
TUESDAY	
Golf Club	YES
WEDNESDAY	
Football Team Practice	YES
THURSDAY	
Kurling Club	YES
FRIDAY	
Football Club	YES

If you are interested in joining any of our After School Clubs, please ask at the school office – thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Kate Plant
Head of School