



School News

Jesus says *'Love one another as I have loved you.'* John 13:34

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday, 26th June - Inset Day SCHOOL CLOSED

Monday, 29th June - New Reception Red Squirrels Stay and Play Sessions 2.00 to 3.00pm

Children starting school in September are invited to join us, with their parent or carer, for the first of our Play and Stay sessions. We look forward to welcoming you for a teddy bear story, song and craft session. Don't forget to bring your favourite teddy or soft toy.

Monday, 29th June - Netball Club Fun Session at 3.15pm to 4.00pm

Parents and carers of children who attend Netball Club have been invited to join us for a special fun and friendly parent v children netball match to celebrate the last evening of Netball Club this year.

Tuesday, 30th June - New Reception Red Squirrels Stay and Play Session 2.00 to 3.00pm

New reception children are invited to join us for the second of our Stay and Play sessions which will be held in the squirrels classroom and outside areas. Parents are welcome to stay after dropping their child for coffee/tea in the school hall and to meet some of the Eastry staff or return later to collect their child.

Tuesday, 30th June - Cheer Leading Fun Session at 3.15pm to 4.00pm

Parents and carers of children in Cheer Leading Club are invited to a fun session where their children will teach them a special cheer leading routine to celebrate the last session of the club this year.

Wednesday, 1st July - Year 1 visit to Wingham Wildlife Park

Thursday, 2nd and Friday, 3rd July - Transition Day

All children will spend two days in their new class with their new teachers on Thursday and Friday next week. Please see the letter sent by Mrs Moss, which is also available to view on the website, for more information.

Thursday, 2nd July - Year 3 Swimming

Thursday, 2nd July - New Reception Red Squirrels Stay and Play Session 2.00 to 3.00pm

New reception children are invited to join us for the last of our Stay and Play sessions which will be held in the squirrels classroom and outside area. Parents are invited to join the children at 2.30pm to meet some of our current reception parents whose children will be our grey squirrels in September.

Thursday, 2nd July - Fledglings Parents Meet and Greet with New Reception Parents at 2.30pm in the Reception Classroom

Fledglings parents are warmly invited to a meet and greet with our new reception parents whose children are starting in September and who will form part of our new red squirrels and grey squirrels class.

Friday, 3rd July - PTFA Summer Fair at 3.15pm on the School Field

Please see the PTFA section below for full details of our PTFA Summer Fair.

PTFA Section



Our PTFA Summer Fair will be held after school on Friday, 3rd July. There will be refreshments, tombola's, inflatable, teddy hoopla, stocks, lucky dip and more! We look forward to seeing you there!

Teddy Donations

If you have any unwanted and in very good condition teddies or soft toys, we would welcome these for our Teddy hoopla. These can be brought to the school at any time.

Cake Donations

We would welcome any donations of cakes for our refreshment stall. Donations can be brought to the school on the morning of the fair - thank you.

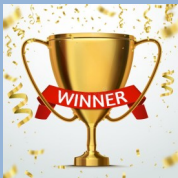
Raffle Tickets

Please remember to return your stubs, payment and any unsold raffle tickets by Thursday, 2nd July.

Help on the Day

If you think you could help on the day either with preparing things for the fare in advance, setting up in the morning, manning a stall or helping to clear up afterwards, we would love to hear from you!

ATTENDANCE



Attendance Cup

Year 5 - Congratulations

Congratulations to Year 5 who, for the third week in a row, have had the highest attendance last week at 95.9%. Can any other class beat them to the top next week!



On Time Shield

Unfortunately no class had every child arrive on time last week, although some were very close. Let's see who can win it for the week ahead. Thank you to all those parents who make sure their child arrives to school on time - it makes such a big difference to the start of their school day.

Other News

Children's Commissioner's Survey 'The Big Future' - REMINDER

Dame Rachel de Souza, Children's Commissioner, is inviting all children age 0-18 years to complete an online survey about what changes they would like to see in their community, their concerns, their hopes for the future and most importantly, what they think a good childhood looks like today.

She would like as many children as possible across the country to complete her survey which can be found using the link here: <http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture>

Elite Community Coaching Summer Holiday Courses

Elite Community Coaching, who run some of our after school clubs and PE lessons, are running summer holiday courses throughout July and August at various venues in Dover, Folkestone, Hythe and Ashford. You can also book with them using your HAF vouchers for those parents who receive Free School Meals. Please see below for further information or visit their website at [Elite Community Coaching](http://www.elite-coaching-uk.co.uk).

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS	
Week commencing 29.6..2026	
MONDAY	
Football Club—Elite (3.15 to 4.15pm)	Yes
Netball Club - Mrs Wood (3.15 to 4.00pm)	Yes
Young Health Champions - Mrs Moss (3.15 to 4.00pm)	No
TUESDAY	
Cheerleading - Mrs Wood (3.15 to 4.00pm)	Yes
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	