

School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

On behalf of the staff and governors I would like to say a really big thank you for the fantastic support that you have given us this past year.

We thought it would be good to share with you the amounts of money raised. Firstly, the PTFA has raised £1212.83 this year, despite their small number, this is an amazing achievement. Funds raised by the PTFA go to support all the children in the school and we would like to thank the members of the PTFA for giving up their time to organise and run fundraising events throughout the year.

The school have also raised £952.91 for various charities & events this year.

[Thursday, 21st July - Last Day of Term 6](#)

[Thursday 1st, & Friday, 2nd September - INSET DAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED](#)

[Monday, 5th September - First Day of Term 1](#)

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Early Morning Club

The register for Term 1 & 2 in the next academic year for Early Morning Club is now open. **Please can we remind parents/carers that Early Morning Club must be booked and paid for in advance.** As we start a new academic year we understand circumstances and requirements can change. We are therefore asking that **ALL parents and carers let us know their requirements for term 1 & 2**, thank you.

School Uniform

The last day for ordering school uniform for **home delivery** before September is Friday, 22nd July. Orders can be placed by visiting <https://www.brigade.uk.com/parents/>

Please Return all Library Books

Please can all borrowed library books be returned before the end of the day so that we can sort these ready for next year.

Parking at the school

Please can we again ask parents and carers to be mindful when parking near the school. Please leave our neighbours clear access to their properties and also for the emergency services if needed.

INTERNET/ONLINE SAFETY SECTION

Use Wellbeing Settings and Apps

There are sites and apps which are specifically designed to help children with their online wellbeing.

- BBC Own It which gives advice as they chat to their friends online
- Headspace for Kids is an app to teach children the basics of mindfulness in a fun way. It's aimed at 3-12 year olds, with different content for different age groups. Free for headspace subscribers, limited access for non-subscribers.
- JoyPoP is an app designed to help users find their inner resilience to deal with the highs and lows in their daily lives. By rating mood for the day, users are directed to complete different activities to help switch to positive emotions. App costs £6.99.

You can also find out what apps your child uses the most and have a look to see if there are wellbeing guides which explain their settings to help support children's wellbeing.

SCHOOL WEBSITE

Class of 2022 - Blog

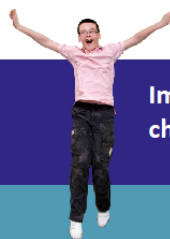
Please don't forget to have one last look at the Year 6 blog on the school website as this will be taken down over the summer holidays as we prepare the website for the new academic year.

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

Summer Activities

Please see the leaflets below giving details of activities available this summer.

**TRICIA NICOLL
CONSULTING**
Creating Gloriously Ordinary Lives®



Improving the uptake of Annual health checks for young people aged 14+

Free webinar!

Bemix and Tricia Nicoll Consulting have been commissioned to lead this project by Kent & Medway Clinical Commissioning Group, for NHS England and Improvement Learning Disability and Autism programme. Click here for further information about the pilots across seven regions across the UK: <https://www.england.nhs.uk/learning-disabilities/improving-health/annual-health-checks/>

Are you a family carer for a young person with learning disabilities in Kent or Medway?



Young people with learning disabilities aged 14 and older have the right to have an **Annual Health Check with their GP**. This is a chance to check their health and wellbeing and make a plan to make sure they stay as healthy as possible.



To get offered an Annual Health Check you have to be on your **GP's Learning Disability Register**. Lots of people may not know about this.

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher

SUMMER TUMBLETIME

Monday 15th August
10.00am-11.30am
At Sandwich Leisure Centre
 Deal Road, Sandwich, CT13 0BU

Suitable for families with children aged 0-8 years

Come and join us for lots of summer fun with large play equipment including bouncy castle, slide, trampoline and ride on toys.

Call Blossom Children's Centre for more information on 03000 411555

Drop in for a tumble!

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Kent County Council

SUMMER EVENT

THURSDAY 18TH AUGUST
11.00AM-1.00PM

AT SUNFLOWER CHILDREN'S CENTRE,
 ADELAIDE ROAD, EYTHORNE, CT15 4AN

For children aged 0-8 years (older siblings welcome)

Free event
No need to book

CIRCUS SKILLS
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 HOOK-A-DUCK

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For more information call us on 03000 415858 or email ddscc@kent.gov.uk

RECONNECT Kent Children and Young People

Kent County Council

SUMMER EVENT

WEDNESDAY 24TH AUGUST
1.00PM-3.00PM

AT BLOSSOM CHILDREN'S CENTRE,
 OWEN SQUARE, WALMER, CT14 7TL

For children aged 0-8 years (older siblings welcome)

Free event
No need to book

GREEPY CLAWS
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SUMMER BABY GROUPS

A group for expectant parents, and carers with babies who are newborn up to walking age
 Running from 25th July - 9th September

- A safe environment for little ones to play, explore and socialise with other babies.
- Engaging and fun activities to support your child's learning and development.
- A chance to meet, chat and share experiences with other parents and carers.
- Gain information, advice and support from our Early Help Support Workers around Born to move, baby development and more!

Mondays at Sunflower Children's Centre, 10.00am-11.15am
 Not running on Bank Holiday Monday 29th August
 Elvington Primary School, Adelaide Road, Eythorne, CT15 4AN
 03000 415858

Tuesdays at Buckland and Whifield Children's Centre, 1.00pm-2.15pm
 St Nicholas Church, The Linces, Dover, CT16 2BN
 03000 414941

Thursdays at Blossom Children's Centre, 1.00pm-2.15pm
 Downs Primary School, Owen Square, Walmer, Deal, CT14 7TL
 03000 411555

Fridays at Samphire Children's Centre, 10.00am-11.15am
 Aycliffe Primary School, St David's Road, Aycliffe, Dover, CT 17 9HJ
 03000 420882

- For more information give us a call or email ddscc@kent.gov.uk
- No need to book but please note we may have limited space so it will be on a first come, first served basis
- Unfortunately we are unable to accommodate older siblings

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Dover Deal and Sandwich Children's Centres

COME AND FIND US AT OUR PARTNER EVENTS:

25th July - 9th September 2022

Sunflower Children's Centre - 03000 415858
Elvington Primary School, Adelaide Road, Eythorne, CT15 4AN
Blossom Children's Centre - 03000 411555
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Fayre in the Square
Saturday 30th July
Aylesham Market Square
12.00pm-4.00pm (event finishes at 9.00pm)

Dover Big Local Event
Friday 5th August
At The Charlton Centre, Dover, CT16 1TT
11.00am-2.00pm

Dover Big Local Event
Wednesday 10th August
At the Charlton Centre, Dover, CT16 1TT
11.00am-2.00pm

Dover Big Local Event
Thursday 25th August
At The Roman Lawn, Dover, CT16 1NG
11.00am-2.00pm

BeChange Anniversary Event
Saturday 13th August
BeChange, Ackholt Road, Aylesham, CT3 3AJ
11.00am-3.00pm

Dover Big Local Event
Tuesday 16th August
At The Roman Lawn, Dover, CT16 1NG
11.00am-2.00pm

Tower Hamlets Fun Day
Wednesday 17th August
At Northbourne Park, Dover, CT17 0BY
1.30pm-3.30pm



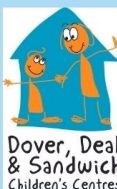
Children's Centre stands will include information on our services and a range of craft activities suitable for children aged 0-8 years.

No need to book. Please email ddsc@kent.gov.uk or call us for more information on individual events.

Take a look at our flyers for Children's Centre run summer events, baby groups running throughout the summer holidays, and the new timetable of regular Children's Centre groups starting September 2022.



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
w/c 25th July		Blossom Event 26th July At Blossom Children's Centre 1.00pm-3.00pm	Buckland Event 27th July On field at Buckland Children's Centre 1.00pm-3.00pm	
w/c 1st August			Samphire Event 3rd August At Samphire Children's Centre 10.30am-12.30pm	Sunflower Event 4th August At Sunflower Children's Centre 1.00pm-3.00pm
w/c 8th August	Connaught Park Event 8th August At Connaught Park, Dover, CT16 1HB 11.00am-1.00pm			
w/c 15th August	Tumble Time 15th August At Sandwich Leisure Centre, CT13 0BU 10.00am-11.30am			Sunflower Event 18th August At Sunflower Children's Centre 11.00am-1.00pm
w/c 22nd August	Samphire Event 22nd August At Samphire Children's Centre 1.00pm-3.00pm		Blossom Event 24th August At Blossom Children's Centre 1.00pm-3.00pm	

There will be entertainers and a range of fun activities at each event, which are free of charge and suitable for children aged between 0-8 years.

No need to book. Please email ddsc@kent.gov.uk or call us for more information for individual events.

Take a look at our flyers for partner events with a Children's Centre stand, Baby Groups running throughout the summer holidays, and the new timetable of regular groups starting 12th September 2022.



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