

### **School News**

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#### SCHOOL DIARY



#### Friday, 8th October - Harvest Festival at St. Mary's Church, Eastry at 9.30am

We are delighted to be able to welcome parents, family and friends to join us for our Harvest Festival this year which will be held at St. Mary's Church, Eastry on Friday, 8th October. We will again be collecting for the Deal Area Food Bank and would welcome any donations you feel able to give. The food bank would particularly welcome the following;



#### **PRIORITY**

Pot Noodles
Ketchup
Coffee
Custard
Puddings
Fruit Juice
Shampoo

#### **NOT FOR NOW**

Baked Beans Tinned Soup

**Tinned Meat for heating** 

Cat/Dog Food

Cereal

Pasta & Pasta Sauce

Tea & Biscuits

Sanitary Products and Toilet Rolls

**Toiletries** 

**Donations should be brought to the school** on, or before, the morning of 8th October. Thank you for your support and we look forward to welcoming you on 8th October.

#### Friday, 8th October - PTFA After School Tuck Shop

The PTFA will be running a Tuck Shop after school on Friday, weather permitting, as last weeks planned event had to be cancelled due to the weather. On sale will be Fruit Shoots, crisps, lollies and sweets for a special Friday treat!

Monday, 11th October - Year 5 Bikeability - GROUP 1

Tuesday, 12th October - Year 5 Bikeability - GROUP 2

Tuesday, 12th October - 'Restart a Heart' visit to Year 6

Wednesday, 13th October - Year 5 Bikeability - GROUP 3

Monday, 14th October - Year 5 Bikeability - GROUP 4

#### SCHOOL DIARY Cont'd

#### Thursday, 14th October - Year 4 Swimming

#### Friday, 15th October - Year 2 Class Worship

Parents and carers of children in Year 2 are invited to join us for their Class Worship which will be held in the school hall at 9.00am.

#### Friday, 15th October - Inspire Day - International Day against Homelessness

Friday, 15th October is our next Inspire Day. Children in all classes will take part in our Inspire Day learning about the problems faced by the homeless and what we can all do to help.

#### **SCHOOL NEWS**

#### **OPEN EVENING AND SCHOOL TOURS**

We very much look forward to welcoming parents and carers of children who are due to start school in September next year, or those who may be considering Eastry for their son or daughter. Our opening evening will be held at **5.30pm on Monday, 15th November with our school tours week commencing 22nd November.** If you have friends or family who have children starting school next year please do let them know about these dates. Please see the poster on page 3 for further information.

If you are able to display a poster at home or at your business we have copies available in the school office - thank you.

#### INTERNET SAFETY SECTION

**NSPCC** 

Book a free online safety webinar

The NSPCC are offering free webinars for groups of parents and carers, making it easy for you to keep your family safe online.

Webinars are delivered by experienced NSPCC staff. Topics covered include:

- understanding the risks and benefits of being online for children
- practical things you can do to help your children safe online
- knowledge of the tools and resources that can help you.

If you'd like to organise a webinar on behalf of a group, please contact;

parentworkshops@nspcc.org.uk.





# Eastry Church of England Primary School

## Warmly invites you to our OPEN EVENING & SCHOOL TOURS





Hear from our Headteacher, visit the children's classrooms, outdoor areas and learn about all the opportunities available at Eastry Church of England Primary School





Our Open Evening will be held at 5.30pm on Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> November and our school tours throughout the week commencing the 22<sup>nd</sup> November.

You do not need to book a place for our Open Evening.

If you would like a tour of the school during the school day please telephone 01304
611360 or email office@eastrv.kent.sch.uk so that a time can be arranged for you.

#### We look forward to welcoming you to our school

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#### **PTFA News**

#### **Christmas Cards and Gifts**

Following the success of last year's Christmas products designed by the children, this project will run again this year. The children have recently brought home their picture, together with the order form and a covering letter, giving details about the products available. Last year these were very popular and made wonderful presents for family and friends. Please return your order and payment by the deadline of **Monday, 11th October**.

#### **Bonfire and Firework's Night**

It is with regret that we have had to make the difficult decision not to go ahead with this year's PTFA Bonfire and Firework's night. Unfortunately there were not enough volunteers to help organise and plan this event but we would like to thank all those parents and staff who were willing to give up their time to help. We hope that there will be enough volunteers to run future planned events for the children to enjoy and help raise funds for future school projects.

#### **OTHER NEWS**



#### Flu Vaccine Programme

On Tuesday we emailed you a letter from the NHS Foundation Trust inviting you to consent to your child having the flu vaccine. We have arranged for the School Immunisation Team to visit the school on Wednesday, 24th November to administer the vaccine to those children who's parents have given consent. If you would like your child to have the vaccine please complete the consents form which can be found on line at <a href="https://childconsent.co.uk/kchft">https://childconsent.co.uk/kchft</a>.

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss Headteacher