



SCHOOL NEWS

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THANK YOU!

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.

The PTFA has raised £5663.88 this year, which is an amazing achievement. This has helped provide money for Whiteboards in the classrooms, paid for a wooden shelter for Year 1 and helped towards the care of the guinea pigs. 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 has also raised a total of £977.92 for various charities throughout the year.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday, 19th July – Year 2 Class Worship

Parents and carers of children in Year 2 are invited to join us for their class worship at 9.00am in the school hall.

Friday, 19th July – Year 1 Pirate Day

Please see Miss Thomas' Class Dojo messages for more information.

Friday, 19th July – Year 6 Leavers' Party 3.30 to 5.30pm on the School Field

Monday, 22nd July – Year 6 Leavers' Service at 9.30am at St Mary's Church, Eastry

All parents, carers, family and friends are invited to join us for our Year 6 Leavers' Service being held at 9.30am at St Mary's Church, Eastry.

Tuesday, 23rd July – Year 6 Family Worship

Parents and carers of children in Year 6 are invited to join us for their final class worship at 9.00am in the school hall.

Tuesday, 23rd July – Year 6 T-Shirt Signing and 'Clap Out'

Parents and carers are invited to join us on the playground at the end of the school day for the Eastry tradition of clapping out our Year 6 children. Gates will open at 3.20pm.

Tuesday, 23rd July – Last Day of Term 6

Wishing everyone a relaxing and well deserved summer break.

Monday, 2nd September – INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED

Tuesday, 3rd September – First Day of Term 1

PTFA SUMMER FAYRE – THANK YOU

A big thank you to all parents, carers, grandparents, friends and staff that helped with the Summer Fayre, without you it would not have been possible to raise **£1368.65!** Thank you to everyone that donated plants and beautiful handmade items and made delicious cakes – what a talented school family you are.

We would like to offer many thanks to all our raffle donates especially from our own Eastry parents which include:

Bayliss Executive Travel

Bliss Beauty Therapy

EG Bookkeeping

DFDS

The Dog Inn

The Five Bells, Eastry

D P Lead & Sons

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Also, to Asda Broadstairs for their kind donation for our refreshments

And lastly a big thank you to those that came to support us and enjoy the afternoon.

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

End of Term Menu

Please see below the menu for Monday, 22nd July and Tuesday, 23rd July. Please be aware that jacket potatoes will only be available until they have run out as any fresh food left in the kitchen at the end of term will be wasted.

Monday, 22nd July

Pizza

Veggie Pasty

Herby Diced Potatoes

Baked Beans/Vegetables

Usual desserts available

Tuesday, 23rd July

Fish Fingers

Veggie Nuggets

Chips

Vegetables

Usual desserts available

Please note that the cost of a school meal will increase to £2.50 from 1st September, 2024.

Early Morning Club

The register for Term 1 in the next academic year for Early Morning Club is now open. Early Morning Club runs from 8.00am to 8.35am and costs £1.20 per day. **Please can we remind parents/carers that Early Morning Club must be booked and paid for in advance.** Please note that if you have booked for a place and your child does not attend (unless due to sickness) you will be charged. To book a place please email office@eastry.kent.sch.uk

Afterschool Clubs

Details regarding afterschool clubs will be sent out when we return in September. Clubs do not run on the first week of the new term.

Schoolwear

The last day for ordering school uniform from Brigade.uk for delivery to home before the start of the new academic year is Friday, 26th July, 2024. Orders can be placed by visiting <https://www.brigade.uk.com/parents/>

STAFF NEWS

We will be temporarily saying goodbye to Miss Sara Ward who is spending a year in Australia. We hope she and her family have a wonderful time but look forward to her returning to the school for the start of the 2025/26 school year.

We would like to welcome Miss Jemma Page to Eastry school. Miss Page is an experienced teacher joining us from Cliftonville Primary School who will be covering Miss Ward's absence and teaching our Year 3 class.

I hope you all have a wonderful and relaxing summer and I look forward to seeing you in September.

Kind Regards



Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher



SUMMER ACTIVITIES



WILD ONE'S
FOREST SCHOOL
Holiday Activity & Food

OUTDOOR PLAY
At Wild one's Forest School we encourage children to play and learn in their own way, exploring their own unique interests within the natural environment.



FOREST CRAFTS
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CAMPFIRE
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The challenge runs for nine weeks beginning Saturday 6 July until Saturday 7 September with a variety of free and fun events taking place in libraries across the county.

Children aged 4 to 11 can sign up through their local Kent library and receive a collector's poster. They are set a reading goal and borrow books of their choice during the summer, collecting special stickers and incentives along the way.

Library staff and volunteers help children to discover new books that suit their interests and reading level and run a programme of free themed activities in libraries. Children who complete the six-book challenge are presented with a certificate and medal.



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5th Aug - 8th Aug
12th Aug - 15th Aug
19th Aug- 22nd Aug

 Registration 9:30am
Camp runs 10am-2pm

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