

School News

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SCHOOL DIARY



Friday 15, March - RED NOSE DAY

Children may come to school dressed in something red, suggested donation of 50p for Comic Relief.



Friday, 15 March - PTA Pamper Evening from 7.00 to 9.00pm in the School Hall

The PTA hope that you will join them for their Pamper Evening which has been arranged for 15 March. Guests will be welcomed with a glass of bubbly, a selection of beauty and hair treatments and stalls selling beauty themed items. Refreshments will also be available. Any donations of cakes for the evening, or beauty themed prizes for the raffle, would be most welcome and can be handed in to the school office. Please bring cake donations to the school on the morning of 15 March. **Tickets priced at £5.00 are now available from the school office and will also be sold on the playground today.**

Monday, 18 March - Dental Nurse visit to a sample of children in Fledglings and Year 1

Tuesday, 19 March - Year 4 Swimming

Friday, 22 March - Year 3 Family Worship at 9.00am in the School Hall Parents, carers and family of children in Year 3 are welcome to join us.

Friday, 22 March - Year 6 Leavers Party Parent Meeting at 2.15pm in the Extra Room

Monday, 25 March - Inset Day - SCHOOL CLOSED

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Say Goodbye to Mr Halling!

Parents are invited to our Easter Service on Friday, 5 April which will be led by Year 4. During this service we will be making a presentation and celebrating Mr Halling's time at Eastry school and wishing him all the best in his retirement. If you would like to contribute to a collection for Mr Halling this can be made at the school office by Wednesday, 3 April please. We hope you will be able to join us on this special occasion.



OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

IMPORTANT NEWS

For your information, on the advice of the Local Authority, we will be appointing an Executive Head for 2 days a week to support Mrs Plant as Head of School. After ratification by the Governing Body we will be in a position to inform you of who has been appointed.

Congratulations!

We are pleased to announce that Miss Maxwell had a little baby girl during the half-term. Both Mum and baby are doing well. We would like to welcome Mrs LeJeune who will be working with Mrs Fox and Mrs Laker in Fledglings while Miss Maxwell is on maternity leave. We would also like to welcome Mrs Wilkins who is working part-time in Year 3.

Usborne Book Orders

If you ordered a book at the Book Fair during Parents' Evening, your order is ready for collection from the school office. We would like to thank those who placed an order which enabled us to purchase some free books for the school.

School Office

It would be very helpful if parents could give any payment to the school office in a sealed envelope marked with the child's name and what the payment is for. Unfortunately, due to safety reasons, we do not keep much change in the office, so if you are able to pay the exact amount, that would also be helpful. Thank you for your co-operation.

INTERNET SAFETY SECTION

The internet is an essential part of young people's lives and provides them with tremendous opportunities. The vast majority use it without coming to any harm but we thought it might be useful to give parents some tips and advice around internet safety. We will therefore have a section in the school news each week with a tip/tips for parents around keeping your child safe on the internet.

YouTube has a massive range of content and it is all too easy for children to click on unsuitable videos. YouTube now has an app aimed at children called YouTubeKids. You can also set the YouTube website to 'safe mode' - find out how at <u>www.youtube.com/yt/policyandsafety/safety.html</u>

GOOD LUCK YEAR 4

We would like to wish Year 4 good luck this evening as they compete in a Dance Showdown at the Goodwin Academy in Deal. They have been practising hard every week and are very proud of their dance. We hope to bring you some photographs next week. Good Luck Year 4!!



WORLD BOOK DAY FUN

<u>A Big Thank You</u>

Thank you for all your donations on World Book Day. The children had great fun dressing as their favourite characters. There were certificates for the best dress in each year group and we thought you might like to see some photographs of the children. The school raised £57.60 which will be sent the Book Aid International.

















PTA NEWS PAMPER EVENING FRIDAY, 15 MARCH - 7.00 TO 9.00PM Glass of Fizz Hair Styling Make-Up Demo's Eastry School PTA Neal's Yard **Pamper Evening** Tropics Friday 15th March Tamarisk **Body Shop** Tickets £5 to include a glass of fizz Reiki Beauty treatments, Hair styling, Makeup demo, Body Shop, Tropic, Reiki, Tamarisk, Neal's Yard, Refreshments and Refreshments Stalls And More! There will be lovely things to buy as well as some charges for treatments. Please bring cash, as card payment facilities will be limited. **TICKETS NOW ON SALE £5.00** PIC.COLLAG

OTHER NEWS

Easter Holiday Club

Elite Community Coaching, who take the children for P.E on Friday's and who run our after school Football Club, will be running a holiday club at Eastry School on Monday, 8 April and Tuesday, 9 April. Further details will be sent home with the children shortly.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING 'WORKER OF THE WEEK' FRIDAY, 8 MARCH 2019		
Fledglings	Jacob McCarthy	
Year 1	Bella Fraser	
Year 2	Henrietta Gosain	
Year 3	Isabelle Camburn	
Year 4	Harry Miller	
Year 5	Hamish Honan	
Year 6	Felix Proyer	

Yours sincerely,

BIRD BOX LIVE

Our bird box is once again live and there are signs of some possible nesting. You can watch some live streaming at <u>http://www.seenature.org.uk,</u> and selecting Eastry Primary School.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS		
Week commencing 18.3.19		
MONDAY		
Netball Club	YES	
TUESDAY		
Golf Club	YES	
WEDNESDAY		
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.

Kate Plant Acting Headteacher