



Newsletter

15th February 2019

Number 20

Year 3 Greek Day

To launch our new topic 'Gods and Mortals' we are holding a Greek day on Monday 25th February 2019 and we would love it if the children could come in dressed in an Ancient Greek costume. This could be a toga or a Greek God or Goddess. **There is no need to buy an elaborate costume, a simple sheet and rope will do fine.**

How to tie a boy's toga-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O8gN3YiMZns>

Thanet Cross Country Event

There is the opportunity for all children to enter the Thanet Cross Country Event on **Saturday 9th March at Quex Park**. Races in all year groups, separated into girls and boys. Please pick up a letter from the letters dispenser in reception. All entry forms and £3 entry fee must be returned by **Monday 25th February (first day back)** – thank you.

Mr Allen
PE and Sports
Coordinator



School Gateway

Please remember to register with School Gateway and to download the app. Registering will enable you to make online payments (except for dinner money payable to Nourish) and to continue to receive messages from school.

After the half term break, we will no longer be sending general texts reminders. You will only receive reminders through the School Gateway App.

Thank you for your support.

Dates for the Diary

New dates highlighted in bold

Monday 18th to Friday 22nd February ~ Half term break.

Monday 25th February ~ Term 4 begins.

Monday 25th Feb – Year 4 Roman Day in School.

Monday 25th Feb – Year 3 Greek Day in school.

Wednesday 27th Feb ~ Year 5 Cake Sale for Dementia UK.

Friday 1st March ~ swimming resumes for Year 3.

W/c Monday 4th March ~ Book Week including Thursday 7th March **WORLD BOOK DAY**

Saturday 9th March ~ Thanet Cross Country Event at Quex Park

Tuesday 12th March ~ GBDO South East Heat for specific pupils (dance)

Thursday 14th March (morning) ~ Year 6 Thanet Safety in Action (Project Salus).

Tuesday 26th March ~ Choir to the Festival of Song, Margate Winter Gardens.

Monday 1st April – Musical Performance Club, Performance to parents 4.00pm

Wednesday 3rd April ~ Years 3 and 4 School Easter Service, St. Andrew's Church, 10.00am start (Parents/Carers welcome).

Wednesday 3rd April ~ Years 5 and 6 Easter Service, St Peter's Church, 1.30pm start (Parents/Carers welcome).

Tuesday 2nd and Thursday 4th April 3.30-6.00pm ~ Years 3 to 5 Parents' Evenings.

Friday 5th April ~ End of Term 4, school will finish at 1.30pm with no after school clubs or extended day.

Please check the event calendar on the website for full event details and updates.

Tuesday 23rd April ~ Term 5 begins.

Messages from the Office Team

School Meals

Please ensure that you make payment for school meals in advance on a Monday morning. The office team are still sending out reminders on behalf of Nourish.

Lost Property

Please ensure all uniform is clearly marked with your child's name. We dispose of so many unnamed items of clothing after each holiday break.

No riding of bikes or scooters

Please can we remind parents and carers that pupils must not cycle or scoot on school premises at all. This includes the pathways leading to the front of school and the pathway at the back of school leading to the Callis gates. This is to ensure the safety of our pupils, parents and especially younger siblings. Thank you for your cooperation.



Year 5 Cake Sale for Dementia UK

Year 5 will be holding a cake sale for their Year 5 friends on Wednesday 27th February at break time. All cakes will be 50p each. This event is being organised by four pupils in 5S (Lois, Marlie, Connie and Evie), and all monies raised will go towards Dementia UK. We are looking for any cake donations as well, so please feel free to drop any in to the School Office on Tuesday 26th or Wednesday 27th, but please remember we are a nut free school – thank you.

Letters sent home this week

Whole School

Letter regarding the iPad server (paper).
Cross Country (by text letters in reception).

Specific

Choir Years 4 and 5 Festival of Song letter (paper).

Star of the Week

3B: Aeryn P ~ for producing stunning writing on Stone Age settings.

3H: Ethan C ~ for all the sensational pieces of writing he has crafted this term.

3T: Siobhan K-L ~ for an amazing first week at St Peter's.

4NB: Stan H ~ for a fantastic attitude to all his work.

4S: Alfie H ~ for a fantastic effort in his digestive system recount. Well done!

4W: Frankie H ~ for making great progress with his writing this term.

5S: Macy M ~ for a committed and enthusiastic drama production for our topic.

5W: Asten A ~ for all round fantastic effort and contribution to class work.

5B: Isabella B ~ for an amazing non-chronological report about Pandora.

6S: Joshua R ~ for a super reading assessment result this week.

6I: Asya A ~ for her hardworking response to all she does, in her writing especially.

6W: Arabella B ~ for great ideas and thoughtful work in her focus writing.

6G: Lillie P ~ for her super attitude to all she does and fantastic writing.

Well done to you all!

