



Newsletter

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Dance Team Triumph at Local Competition

On Wednesday 27th June, the St Peter's dance team entered 'So You Want to Dance?' Kent dance challenge. We were placed first place - **overall winners** and the proud owner of a new trophy and a £500 cash prize for the school!

Our children performed with precision, character and personality. I was truly proud of their performance and the way in which they engaged their audience.

These productions don't just happen by themselves. Our wonderful volunteers spend hours of their own time to ensure the children are looking their best. Having zero sewing skills myself, I'd like to say a huge thank you to our fantastically talented Jill, who altered the children's costumes. Also, to Sue and Zada – our chaperones- for giving up their valuable time to come with us to performances and help with hair and makeup. We are truly grateful for your kindness and generosity. Thank you to Ms Websper for her continued support in every dance event and keeping us all going until the end! Thank you parents for your support of our dance team – we were very well represented at the competition. Lastly, a well done and thank you to Evie S in Year 5 – who again helped in choreographing and teaching increasing sections as the years have gone on.

Mrs Seeney

Celebrating St Peter

This weekend St Peter's Church will be 'Celebrating St Peter' and have invited the local schools and community to contribute art work depicting this.

The Church will be open on Saturday from 10am until 2pm for viewing, when our Summer Fete will also take place.

Students from St Peter's School and the G and T Art Club have produced some amazing art work which we have displayed in the St James Chapel in church, so I do hope you will come and have a look.

Many thanks, Rev. Jan

Dates for the Diary

Thursday 4th July – Transition Day (Kent-wide)

Monday 8th July – Year 6 Performances 9.30am and 6.30pm (see ticket letter)

Thursday 11th July – Year 6 Performances 9.30am and 6.30pm (see ticket letter)

Friday 12th July – Musical Theatre Performance 4pm in Studio

Thursday 18th July – Summer Music Concert at St. Peter's 7-8.15pm (see letter)

Friday 19th July – Year 6 Leavers' Event

Monday 22nd July – Leavers' Service 2pm

Monday 22nd July – Triple Threat Performance 4pm in Studio

Tuesday 23rd July – End of Term 6.

End of Year 1.30pm FINISH

FOR ALL EVENTS PLEASE SEE THE WEBSITE

Simple Politics

The children will all know Tatton from Simple Politics from the projects he leads with every year group, the fantastically energetic assemblies he takes and the quizzes he writes each week.

He also tours the country with his 'How Does This Politics Thing Work Then?' show - aimed at children but adults will learn things too! - which really is both great fun and very interesting.

It's in Margate next Saturday afternoon 6th July at the Tom Thumb Theatre. There are still some tickets left and I know he'd love to see some familiar St Peter's faces there. You will genuinely laugh as you learn! Follow <https://www.wegotickets.com/event/470707> or call the Tom Thumb direct to book a seat.

We thought parents would like to know that we have heard news of the safe arrival of Mrs Sumner's baby boy! Mum and baby both doing well.



Kent Test

Parents and carers of Year 5 – if your child is due to take the Kent Test this September 2019, and you wish to apply for extra time, please make a request in writing to the school by Friday 5th July.

Supporting evidence with this request must be no more than 18 months old.

Evidence will be considered by a special access panel – their decision is final and there is no right of appeal.

If you have any questions on this please contact Mrs Poulos.

DON'T FORGET THE CLOSING DATE IS WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY FOR KENT TEST REGISTRATION.

Letters sent home this week

Whole school

School Council Plastics week write up (with this newsletter)

Year 6

Leavers Daytime trip

IPad transfer letter to Year 6 – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY, ACTION REQUIRED

Year 6 – St. Peter's Fest

Don't forget to send in your slip and £15 for the Year 6 leavers' party, 'St. Peter's Fest'!!

6.30-8.30pm Friday 19th July, for Yr 6 and family

Reminders

Year 6 production tickets – spaces for the evening performances are filling up fast, please send you form back into school with monies to avoid disappointment!

Spaces are also going quickly for the Kingswood Residential Trip 2020 (current Year 4) – please return your deposit as soon as possible.

All outstanding PGL money for the 2019 trip must be in by Monday 1st July – no exceptions. Thank you.

Star of the Week

3B: Stephen L – for his outstanding attitude towards learning and always being a positive and friendly classmate.

3H: Theo F – for over doubling his times table score!

3T: Poppy H-P – for an outstanding improvement in her handwriting this term!

4NB: Lucas C – for excellent focus and attitude to learning and a comical piece of writing in English!

4S: Rosie H – for producing excellent writing in Literacy and always trying her hardest in everything she does.

4W: Lucie H – for her enthusiastic attitude towards learning.

5S: Luke H – for his efforts with his creative homework ALL YEAR!

5W: Sienna J – for an enthusiastic letter to the council regarding plastic waste.

5B: Nathan H – for a fantastic effort with his fairground writing.

6S: Callum H – for super sportsmanship at the upper school sports day!

6I: Micheala M – for excellent observations in science and for her amazing contortionist skills!

6W: Reece R-C – for excellent performance at sports day – bringing in the win!

6G: Mia B – for her super attitude this week in everything drama, history and bikeability!