



Newsletter

18th October 2019

Number 7

Super Saturday Football Tournament

Well done to our two amazing teams at the Super Saturday Football Tournament at Upton Junior School on Saturday 12th October. They played with great team spirit and showed excellent sportsmanship in all games and we are incredibly proud.

The Year 6 team won the Super Saturday trophy and the Year 5 team won their group shield – an incredible achievement considering they were a last minute entry the day before when another school team dropped out!

A special well done to three Year 6 children who offered to play with the Year 5 team; Sam, Mercy and especially Frankie, who gave up his place in the Year 6 team to play for the shield. Frankie, you put the needs of your school ahead of yourself, great teamwork!

We must say a special thank you to Mr Tift and Mr Websper from Ramsgate Holy Trinity School, who had two teams of their own and also performed extremely well! They stepped in to Mr Allen's shoes whilst he is still recovering and did an excellent job coaching.

Thank you also to Mr Bussey who gave up his free time to come and support, as well as all the parents and supporters that cheered us on the day!

Most importantly, teachers and parents from other schools commented on our players' positive attitudes on the pitch. We are most proud of this!



Dates for the Diary

Term 1 (New Dates in Bold)

October 2019 – Yr 6 parents to apply for secondary school places

Mon 14th Oct- Online booking for parents evening open

Mon 14th Oct- Fireworks tickets go on sale via letter

Fri 18th Oct – School Discos

Mon 21st-25th Oct - Bikeability for year 6

21st – 25th Oct – HALF TERM BREAK

Mon 28th Oct – INSET DAY

Term 2

Mon 28th Oct – Inset Day

Tues 29th Oct - Pupils back to School

Tues 29th & Wed 30th – Parents Evenings

Thurs 31st Oct – Flu Vaccinations all pupils

Thurs 31st Oct – Year 3 walk to St. Peters Church

Thurs 31st - deadline for Yr 6 secondary school applications

Nov 1st Just Joshing Assembly (in school)

Mon 4th Nov evening – St. Peter's Fireworks!

Tues 5th Nov – Harvest Festival

Wed 6th Nov - Assembly for children introducing Music for Schools. (letter will follow)

Mon 11th Nov - Parent meeting about Music for Schools 6pm in the school studio.

Mon 25th and Tues 26th Nov – Year 6 visits to the Turner centre

Thurs 28th Nov – Open Day for Year 2 Parents and Children

Wed 18th Dec – End of term

Christmas events and activities to be announced soon.

All school events can be found on our website under 'events' – please check back weekly for additions and changes to our events – we are a busy school!

Letters home this week-

- Fireworks information and ticket purchase cut off slip
- Elite dance firework night consent form and return slip
- Just Joshing Donation Letter – Yrs 4,5,6

Year 3 walking to St. Peters Church

Year 3 parents –

On Thursday 31st October in the afternoon, Year 3 will be walking to St. Peter's Church, in preparation for their first church service - Harvest on Tuesday 5th November. This is to get the children used to the walk and the church, to ensure everything runs smoothly at Harvest.

We would like a volunteer walker for each class - if you can help on this afternoon please speak to your class teacher.

Thank You
St. Peter's

Parents Evening

Parents evening for Years 3-6 will be held on **Tues 29th** and **Wed 30th October** from 3.30-6.30pm.

Online booking will open on Mon 14th October at 6pm. Please log in to

<https://stpetersinhanet.parentseveningsystem.co.uk>

Please see the letter that came home on Monday for more information.

Reminders

- **Mon 28th October is an inset day so school is closed to pupils**
- **Firework tickets will be on sale during half term at the Pavilion café £3 each. Any tickets requested this week through the school will be coming home tonight. Please keep them safe as entry is by ticket only.**

Star of the Week

3W: Ava T-J – for her fantastic participation in lessons.

3H: Samuel M – for the sensational progress made in everything this term.

3T: Lillie S – for improved focus in writing this week – well done!

4NB: Iris Y – for a fantastic attitude to learning, especially in maths this week.

4S: Ahmet G – for giving 100% effort in all lessons this week and not giving up. Well done!

4E: Lily-Mai R – for a continued fantastic attitude to school work and homework.

5S: Theo B – for a much improved attitude to his learning – what a week!

5W: Tyler G – for an outstanding response to the St Peter's Reading Challenge.

5B: Marni B – for a fantastic effort, attitude and work this week.

6I: Lilia H – for her smiling enthusiasm and hard work in all she does.

6S: Martha P – for some super work in PE.

6W: Eben B – for fantastic effort in tests this week, and great contributions in R.E.

6G: Katherine J – for her fantastic effort and attitude in class.

WELL DONE EVERYONE!

National Art Day Competition

Held by G&T Art Club

G & T Art Club will be holding an art competition next term. All pupils are welcome to take part.

The theme is the "Natural World" and any form of art work can be entered.

All entries must be in school by Wednesday 30th October.

There will be two prizes per year group.

Good Luck!

Parents and Carers in Year 6

The Kent Test results were distributed to you via email/ Kent portal yesterday. If you are considering your options on what to do next, there are some appeal information sessions after half term which you may find useful.

The meetings are taking place at Chatham and Clarendon Grammar School, at the Chatham House (lower school) site.

They are on Wednesday 30th October at 1pm and Thursday 31st October at 10.30am and 4pm. No booking is required, simply turn up. The Chatham and Clarendon Admissions Officer will talk through the whole process and provide useful tips and advice to anyone considering a grammar appeal.

Wishing our school community a lovely half term break - reminder that first day back in is Tuesday 29th October at the usual time of 8.45am



Harvest Festival

For Harvest Festival this year we are continuing our support of the Queens Road Baptist Church Gap Project.

Year 6 children will share information about the works of The Gap Project during our collective worship.

The whole school will walk to St Peter's Church for our Harvest Festival celebration service on Tuesday 5th November.

For harvest donations, if you are able, could children please bring in something from the list below, for the church service.

Each child will carry one item to the church. If multiple, heavy or large items are brought in they will be taken straight to The Gap Project from school.

Food – non-perishable items i.e. tinned (*ideally with ring pull) meat, soup, beans, pot noodle, tinned fruit, rice pudding, sweet treats -i.e. chocolate, cereal bars
Clothes –socks, hats, gloves scarves

We are grateful for your support



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