



Newsletter

Newsletter 4
24th September 2021

iPad scheme for new Year 3 pupils

Year 3 parents and carers you will receive an email later today with details of this year's proposed iPad scheme. Please read the information carefully and consider your financial circumstances before committing to the scheme, which if you choose the monthly option is a commitment for two years (24 months).

There is a link within the email, which you need to follow to find out more details. We need all parents or carers to respond either way, please note the closing date is now **Sunday October 10th**.

We are only running this scheme once to year 3 pupils. However, be assured each year group has a bank of school iPads for use in class for those pupils who are not part of a scheme.

Thank you

Dates for the Diary - Term 1 & 2

Thurs 7th Oct – Year 5 Trip to Herstmonceux Observatory

Fri 8th Oct – Wear **Yellow** for Young Minds Day

Mon 18th Oct – Individual School photographs in school

Thurs 21st Oct – **School Disco.**

Years 3 & 4 6.15pm - 7.30pm

Years 5 & 6 7.45pm – 9pm

Thurs 21st Oct – **End of term 1**

Fri 22nd Oct – **Inset Day**

Mon 25th – Fri 29th Oct – **Half term**

Mon 1st Nov – **Start of term 2**

Thurs 4th Nov – Firework Night at School (more information to follow)

Tues 23rd Nov – Flu Vaccinations in School

Fri 17th Dec – **End of term 2**

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!

Goodbye Mrs. Roby!

Mrs. Roby, our Office Manager, will be leaving us on Thursday 30th Sept. She is off to pastures new after being Office Manager at St. Peter's for nearly 5 years.

She has been a fantastic asset to the school, and been a huge support to the staff and parents as well as a friendly face to all of the children.

We will all miss her and wish her well with her new adventure.

Until our new Office Manager starts their post, the office will be a little short so please be mindful of this if you have to wait a little longer for us to answer the telephone or if there is a queue at the office window during the busy periods of the day.

If you need a message to get to class teachers, please write a note for your child to bring into school in the morning, and please ensure they come in fully prepared for the day!

With thanks.

Year 6 Secondary places 2022

You can now apply for your child's secondary school place. Please note the national closing date **is Monday 1st November.**

To apply please go online and search Kent County Council Secondary School Admissions. Go to Applications 2022 and follow the link to apply. Sign into your account, this is the same portal that you would have used for your child's junior school and Kent test application.

REMINDER

We are now a few weeks into the term, so could we please ask parents to call / email the school office by 9.30am on the **FIRST** day of your child's absence.

If you wish your child to be given medication during the day this can only take place once around midday, so please give earlier doses in line with this time. All medication **MUST** be handed in at the office and a form completed. Thank you



On **Friday 8th October** we will be taking part in **#Hello Yellow**, a fund raising day for World Mental Health Day.

Children can come into school dressed in something yellow. We will let you know how we will be collecting donations nearer the time.

Netball Tournament Results

We are back!

Over 18 months since our last netball match, with no school sport tournaments since, Wednesday felt a real privilege to be part of.

Some of our elite netball squad made the short trip to St George's Foundation Primary School to take on the hosts, Garlinge and Haddon Dene Schools in friendly matches.

We played well, winning one and drawing two games whilst managing not to concede a goal throughout!

Lots of positives and lots to learn but overall, we are just so happy to be back!

Well done team and thank you parents for being so supportive!



Mr Allen,
Sports Teacher

Star of the week

3W – Ava B – for her excellent focused attitude towards her learning.

3BH – Jensen K – for giving thoughtful and well-explained answers in guided reading sessions.

3S – Jaiden-Lewis L – for being so enthusiastic and engaged when retelling a story in English – Well done!

4B – Clementine H – for her fantastic efforts in descriptive writing.

4L – Mason G – for a fantastic attitude in all lessons. Keep up the amazing work! 😊

4S – Hadley P – for being so attentive in class and always trying his best

5SB – Bella-Rose J – for trying hard in all her lessons and making an effort to work independently.

5W – Elliott D - for willingly sharing his mathematical learning for the benefit of others. Keep up the excellent contributions to whole class learning!

5NB – Jack C – for a fantastic effort in all his work this week and some great rounding in maths. 😊

6AW – Kyle S - rising to the challenge in maths and sharing his findings clearly with the class.

6M – Kayden W - for consistently being kind and helpful to the children and adults in school. Thank you Kayden!

6G – Will A - for his hardworking approach to everything.

6I – Micah B – for his mature, hardworking approach to year 6!

