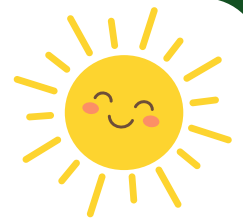




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22/05/26

Have a Wonderful Half Term!



As we come to the end of another busy and successful term, we would like to thank all of our pupils and staff for their hard work, enthusiasm, and achievements throughout Term 5. We hope everyone enjoys a relaxing and fun-filled half term break, with plenty of sunshine over the Bank Holiday weekend and the week ahead!



We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Tuesday 2nd June, ready for another exciting term of learning and activities.

Have a fantastic break!



Kent Test for Year 5

If your child is in Year 5 and you would like them to take the Kent Test in September, registration opens on Monday 1st June and closes at Midnight on Tuesday 1st July. All special arrangement requests for the Kent Test must be put in writing via office@stpetersthanet.co.uk by Friday 19th June.

Please see the email coming home today for more information.

A paper copy will be coming home after half term.

Please complete the slip or respond online to let us know if your child will be sitting the test

School uniform

A reminder that pupils should attend school each day wearing the correct school uniform.

Please ensure that all items of clothing, including shoes and PE kits, meet the school uniform expectations and are clearly labelled with your child's name. Thank you for your continued support in helping our pupils look smart and ready to learn each day.

St Peter's

SUMMER FAIR

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

26TH JUNE

2PM - 3.45PM

TOKENS
AVAILABLE
ON ARBOR
SOON!

GAMES

STALLS

TREATS

RAFFLE

AND MORE!

Amazing Artwork this term

This term has been incredibly creative and busy as all children have worked their socks off responding in their own ways to our muse, Caliope.

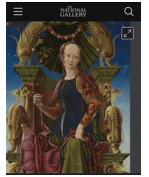
All artwork has been in response to the National Portrait Gallery's national campaign, Take One Picture.

Children have studied and responded to Cosimo Tura's, 'A Muse, Caliope(?)' They've used their superpower of looking to analyse and respond to the painting in ways that have been so diverse and skilful.

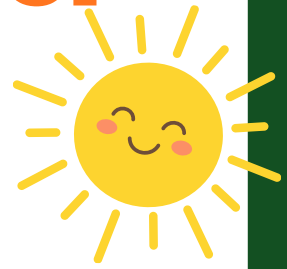
I am immensely proud of you all for your hard work, original thinking and for overcoming challenges.

Well done everyone, you are incredible artists!

Miss Davies.



Summer dates for your diary



Mon 25th - Fri 29th May - Half Term

June 2026

Mon 1st June - Inset Day - Pupils do not attend

Tues 2nd June - Start of Term 6

Fri 5th June - Turner Gallery Trip

Mon 8th June - Year 5 trip to CCGS (STEAM Day)

Wed 10th June - Year 6 Science Jamboree

Thurs 11th June - Year 6 St. Peter's Village tour (Group 1)

Mon 15th - Fri 19th June - Science Week

Tues 16th - Fri 19th June - Year 6 Bikeability

Thurs 18th June - Year 6 St. Peter's Village Tour (Group 2)

Fri 26th June - PTFA Summer Fair



July 2026

Thurs 2nd July - Transition Day

Fri 10th July - Sports Day (Yr 3&4 9.30-11.30am. Yr 5&6 - 1.30-3pm)

Mon 13th July - Year 6 Performance Dress Rehearsal

Tues 14th July - Year 6 Performance - Dane Court 1.30pm & 4.30pm)

Fri 17th July - Year 6 Leavers' Event (More information to follow)

Mon 20th July - Year 6 Leavers' church service - 10am - 11am St. Peter's church.
Parents welcome to attend.

Tues 21st July - **Last Day of Term - 1.30pm Finish.**

(No clubs or Extended Day).



Year 6 Important

Dates

FRIDAY 10th JULY - Sports Day - 1.30-3pm
MONDAY 13th JULY - Year 6 Performance Dress Rehearsal - Dane Court
TUESDAY 14th JULY - Year 6 Performance- Dane Court - 1.30pm & 4.30pm
FRIDAY 17th JULY - Leavers' Event
MONDAY 20th JULY - Leavers' church service



SPORTS DAY 2026

FRIDAY 10th JULY 2026

YEARS 3 & 4

9:30 - 11:30am

YEARS 5 & 6

1:30pm - 3:00pm

GATES WILL OPEN AT 9:20am & 1:20PM

Everyone welcome, please remember to bring a chair or blanket to sit on.

Refreshments will be available to purchase from the PTFA Team (CASH ONLY)



Reminders

Year 4 PGL

If your child would like to go on the PGL residential trip in September 2027, please return your form and pay the £50 deposit by Tuesday 2nd June. Deposits **MUST** be received by the start of Term 6, otherwise your child will be placed on a waiting list
Thank you.

Half term activities

Celebrating National Children's Gardening week

May Half Term

at Windmill Community Gardens Margate

Saturday 23rd May	10:30 - 12:30 pm Green Beans Family group for under 12s 1:30 - 3:30 pm Family Cooking with Adriana for under 12s
Monday 25th May	10 - 2pm Open Gardens - Picnic & Market Day Self led, Free play activities available
Tuesday 26th May	10:30 - 12:30 pm Cabbage Patch Family group for under 12s
Wednesday 27th May	10:30 - 12:30 pm Bug Hunt Family group for under 8s 1:30 - 3:30 pm Field to Fork Family group for over 8s
Thursday 28th May	Drop in: 11 - 4 pm Sunflower Seed Sowing & Plant Pot Decorating Garden Club & Market Day
Saturday 30th May	10 - 2pm Open Gardens - Picnic & Market Day

Windmill Community Gardens
Dane Valley Road and College
Road, Margate, CT9 2SH.

Find us with bus number 34 from Cecil square, Margate

All Groups and Workshops are bookable online via our bookwhen page

www.windmillcommunitygardensmargate.com

HALF TERM AT THE RESERVE MAY 2026



TUESDAY 20TH 11AM BEADY TREES AND THE LITTLE SEED
Tree bead craft* and 'The Little Seed', by Magdalene Tirkas, an interactive story telling. The little seed is blown underground and rained on. A shoot appears and the sun shines. Something is growing - what will it be? This session is for preschoolers 3+, and the young at heart, in celebration of The National Year of Reading. *Warning - activity contains small parts.

12.00PM STORY TIME - THE NATIONAL YEAR OF READING
Free story time in the picnic area at midday. No need to book.

1PM SLUGS AND SNAILS
What's the difference between a slug and a snail? Shall we find out? Discover the benefits of these slimy gastropods. Learn how to label the parts of a snail and make your own paper snail with a curly shell. How many types of slugs and snails can you identify on the reserve?

THURSDAY 28TH 11AM BEE BUDDIES
Join us for a hands-on candle rolling session to learn the craft of beeswax candle rolling. Discover the properties of natural beeswax. Take home your beautiful creation. Create a honeycomb hive poster and then 'bee spot'.

1PM BEADY TREES AND THE LITTLE SEED (SEE ABOVE)

FRIDAY 20TH 11AM SLUGS AND SNAILS (SEE ABOVE)

1PM BIG BUG HUNT Bug pot in hand and ID chart at the ready. It's time to search for some of the reserve's smallest residents. All that giggles, creeps, scuttles, crawls and flutters can be closely observed and identified.

HOW TO BOOK
www.monkton-reserve.org/events/

Visit our museum, café, gift, and book shops.

MORE INFO:
education@monkton-reserve.org

PRICE PER CHILD

Members: £3
Non-Members: £5
(Includes entrance to the reserve per child and for accompanying adults)

WHERE
Monkton Nature Reserve
Canterbury Road
Ramsgate CT12 4LH

WWW.MONKTON-RESERVE.ORG
TRANET COUNTRYSIDE TRUST
(CHARITY NO: 1211099)

Star of the Week

3L: Nora C - for incredible efforts this term, you have created many pieces of work to be proud of. Well done!

3B: Marlo H - for always putting the maximum effort into his learning and challenging himself in maths.

3S: Charlie Dob - for being so amazing and trying his hardest in all areas of learning - well done.

4B: Ivana F - for working so conscientiously this term, always giving her best.

4W: Jake S - for working so hard in English lessons and for producing a great adventure story. Keep it up!

4S: Jacob F - for some super maths work this week.

5S: Ffion R - for fantastic effort with handwriting this term.
Keep it up!

5L: Harrison C - for his BRILLIANT attitude towards all his work this week - keep it up Harry!

5BN: Raf C - for great effort and improved focus in class recently - keep up the fantastic work.

6I: - Gethin E - for his interesting, well-explained general knowledge and support for his friends.

6A: Alfie M - Alfie has shown much improved focus this week - I have been impressed with his motivation in reading and writing.

6WG: Amelie P - for working incredibly hard, for writing an excellent story and for solving the maths mystery! Well done!