



Newsletter

11th January 2019

Number 15

Important Message

School Gateway

Please read the important letter attached, notifying you of changes to the way we will communicate between school and home.

We encourage you to register on the School Gateway website www.schoolgateway.com and to download the free School Gateway App to enable us to move to a more streamline and efficient method of home/school communication.

Our preferred method of payment (not including school dinners as these are payable to Nourish) is online via the School Gateway App.

Thank you for your support with this!



Thank your from the PTFA

Thank you for your support with fundraising over the Christmas period. We will let you know the total raised shortly.

The next PTFA meeting is on:

Thursday 17th January

Straight after morning drop off. All are welcome!

Happy New Year!



Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 15th January ~ **Year 3 WOW Morning** – Tribal Tales in School.

Friday 18th January ~ **'Be Bright Day'** - wear bright clothes instead of uniform. A series of activities run during the day by our Year 6 Junior Road Safety Officers.

Thursday 31st January ~ **Choir Trip to the O2** London for Young Voices.

Wednesday 6th February ~ CCGS trip for Drama.

Friday 15th February ~ **School Discos** in the evening

Friday 15th February ~ **End of Term 3**, clubs and extended day run as normal.

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

Monday 25th February ~ **Term 4 begins.**

Friday 1st March ~ **swimming resumes for Year 3.**

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

Tuesday 2nd April ~ **School Easter Service**, St. Andrew's Church.

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

Windmill Hill 2019

The next instalment for Windmill Hill 2019 is due on Friday 25th January. Please check the School Gateway for the amount due. Thank you.

Flu Vaccinations

Please see list below of the Final Flu clinics for children in years Reception to Year 5 who missed their vaccination.

- 12th January ~ Sheppey Community Hospital, Plover Road, Minster, ME12 3LT 8.30am - 12.30pm
- 19th January ~ College Road Clinic, College Road, Margate CT 9 2RT 9.15am to 12.00 pm
- 29th January ~ Exchange House, 6 Thomas Way, Lakeview Business Park, Hersden, CT3 4NH 3.00 - 4.30pm

To book an appointment with the Canterbury, Thanet and Swale Immunisation Team, please phone 0300 123 5205

Cricket Coaching

If you are interested in cricket coaching for your child on a Saturday morning, please see the flyer displayed on the external notice board. Free Cricket Coaching Taster Sessions take place on Saturday mornings, 9.00am to 11.00am and 11.00am to 1.00pm. Venue, East Kent Sports School, Royal Harbour Academy.

Important message from Nourish

We would like to remind you that payment for all school meals must be in advance. If we do not receive money, credit will not be authorised and we will not provide your child with a meal. Please send payment in for the week on a Monday morning. Please seal and clearly mark the envelope with your child's name and class.

Thank you for your support with this!

Nourish Team

Star of the Week

3B: Finley W ~ for a huge improvement in his writing and a fantastic start to the year.

3H: Catherine P ~ for never ceasing to give 100% in her learning and for being a wonderful example of kindness.

3T: Oliver M ~ for a huge improvement in his handwriting.

4NB: Joshua M ~ for a focused start to the term and a fantastic effort at his homework task, earning over 40,000 coins.

4S: Charlie M ~ for a fantastic attitude to his learning and much improved behaviour. Keep it up!

4W: Poppy-Rose D ~ for always giving 100% in all that she does.

5S: Marlie M ~ for always being enthusiastic at everything she does.

5W: Joe M ~ for a great improvement in his learning behaviours, keep it up please!

5B: Hattie K ~ for working hard on her responses in maths.

6S: Erin N ~ for her helpfulness around the classroom and always with a smile.

6I: Hadley M ~ for his enthusiastic response to the start of term, excellent writing in English and thoughtful questioning in Science.

6W: Ruby Mae F-W ~ for always having a great attitude to learning, working hard and being a great role model.

6G: Ethan K ~ for his cracking effort at using humour in his fairytale newspaper report.

Well done to you all!



Be Bright Be Seen ~ Friday 18th January

Our Year 6 Junior Road Safety Officers have arranged this day to highlight the importance of road safety.

We are inviting children to come in to school wearing bright clothes instead of uniform. The day will include educational games, power point presentations and activity sheets about road safety. We will also be running a poster competition in class.

We will be selling 'Be Bright' items outside the school on Friday 18th January.



Letters sent home this week

Whole school

New Nourish menus

Year groups

Curriculum Information Sheet – Year 4 (email)

Curriculum information Sheet – Year 3 (email)

Specific

Drama pupils – CCGS 'We Will Rock You' Letter (paper)