



KEMSLEY COURIER



Praise and Thank You!

Weeks Beginning Monday 1st February 2018

Sycamore	The year 6 teachers would like to praise the whole class for their excellent efforts in the practise SAT's papers this week. Star of the week: Charlie for listening to advice and applying it to his learning Writer of the week: Chris for producing an excellent biography Maths Master: Casper for a fantastic improvement in his SAT's test scores
Birch	The teachers in Year 5 would like to praise Keane, Aston, Ramaya and Triston who collaborated well in pairs to produce confident poem performances. Well done to Freya for all her efforts with handwriting, Tyrell for being a good role model in the classroom and Chelsie for good vocabulary choices in her persuasive letter. Star of the week: Olivia K for creating some great actions to accompany her poem performance in guided reading Writer of the week: Lucy E for a very impressive diary entry...that was written as home-learning! Maths Master: Elizabeth for working accurately with negative numbers
Ash	The teachers in Ash class would like to praise Graciamae, Lauren, Megan, Julia, Kamil, Keira-Jane, Kira and Alessia for <u>always</u> displaying superb learning behaviour and being excellent role models for other members of the class. Star of the week: Natalya for making a huge improvement in her arithmetic test score Writer of the week: Autumn for writing an excellent newspaper report, including a complex sentence
Beech	Miss Searle and Mrs Pullen would like to praise Elizabeth, Elena, Rhys, Alfie, Toby, Alexis, Harley, Aiden, George and Preeya for their huge improvement throughout the term across the curriculum. Star of the week: Ben W for always being a positive and influential role model Writer of the week: Dominic for trying his best when learning about reported and direct speech Maths Master: Ryan for his phenomenal arithmetic results
Maple	Mrs Bond, Mrs Woolley and Mr Hall would like to praise the whole class for their excellent performance of our class assembly this week. Star of the week: Ronnie T for the amazing improvement he has made, and demonstrated, in his SPaG tests this week. Writer of the week: Ronnie W for all her resilience when working hard to improve her cursive handwriting Maths Master: Bradley for independently partitioning 2 digit numbers to help him solve multiplication calculations this week
Willow	Miss Turner and Mrs Fletcher would like to praise all the children who have taken care of, and read brilliantly with, our Reading Buddies this week. Star of the week: Lola for working extremely hard in literacy this week and producing some amazing work Writer of the week: Ervie for being a superstar when thinking of and writing her own adjectives Maths Master: Lena for working really hard during our maths tests this week and making some great improvements
Oak	The teachers in Reception would like to praise and thank Katie, Lauren, Orna and Emily-beau for always being very helpful at tidy-up time. Star of the week: Benjamin for his cheerful and enthusiastic attitude towards all his learning Writer of the week: Wale for his great effort and concentration during writing activities Maths Master: Toni for creating symmetrical patterns
Cherry	The teachers in Cherry Class would like to praise James, Demi, Timi and Lilley for trying really hard with their phonics this week. Star of the week: Miles for being super gardener and showing Mrs Legg how to plant bulbs! Writer of the week: Miley for writing her name independently

Diary:

Weds 21st Feb

Year 1/2 trip to Soar

Year 4 swimming

Friday 23rd February

Parent/toddler group starts again

Year 5 trip to Fulston music event

Monday 26th February

Football match vs Greenfields (home)

2pm Year R Parent sharing event

Thursday 1st March

World Book Day

PTA Book Fair



Messages

⇒ Welcome back to term 4; we hope you all had a good half term break! We have noted lots of key dates for the term on the back of this newsletter. We will try to ensure that these dates don't change but if any changes are made, they will be noted on the weekly newsletter; please keep an eye on the weekly diary column.

⇒ We are saying a 'part' Goodbye to Miss Crayford this week. Miss Crayford has resigned from her part time role as Pastoral Support Lead but will continue in her Play Therapy role at the school; we are sure you will join with us in thanking her for all her pastoral work at the school. If you have any pastoral questions at all, please do contact Mrs Blunderfield who will be able to help.

Bunnings Sausage Sizzle!

Mrs Legg has been busy talking to Bunnings (Sittingbourne) and has set up a sausage sizzle for the school. This will take place on Sunday 4th March. If you haven't been to Bunnings, they have a hot dog stall set up outside each weekend which is run by various schools./charities. We are hoping to raise lots of money for the garden area in the Nursery entrance courtyard. Please do come along if you can; more information to follow shortly!

Attendance

Well done everyone on a great last week to term 3; whole school attendance is going up and is now 96.8%! A huge well done to Maple Class who had 100% attendance in the last week; enjoy your time with Reggie :-)

Well done to everyone who received a book at the end of last term as well Mrs Steadman awarded a book to everyone who had 97% attendance at the end of term 3.

Dates for the Diary - Term 4

Wednesday 21st February	Year 1&2 trip to Soar Year 4 swimming
Friday 23rd February	Parent and toddler group begins again Year 5 trip to Fulston music concert
Monday 26th February	Football match vs Greenfields at home (3pm kick off) 2-2.45pm Year R Parent sharing event
Wednesday 28th February	Year 4 swimming
Thursday 1st March	Girls football team playing against Greenfields (home) World book day PTA book fair
Sunday 4th March	Sausage sizzle all day at Bunnings!
Monday 5th March	Demelza House assembly 2-2.45pm Year R Parent sharing event
Wednesday 7th March	Year 4 swimming
Thursday 8th March	Year 5/6 trip to Kent Life PTA Mother's Day gift shop
Friday 9th March	PTA chocolate bingo evening
Monday 12th March	2-2.45pm Year R Parent sharing event
Tuesday 13th March	Year 6 out (pm) at 'Sister Act' (Fulston)
Wednesday 14th March	Year 4 swimming
Friday 16th March	Cross country at Greenfields
Monday 19th March	Shared lessons to take place this week (more information to follow) 2-2.45pm Year R Parent sharing event
Tuesday 20th March	Easter Church service (1.30pm start)
Wednesday 21st March	Year 4 swimming
Thursday 22nd March	World water day (non-uniform, wear something 'blue')
Friday 23rd March	Mad March Hair Day Easter disco
Monday 26th March	PTA Easter Animal Day 9-10 Year 1/2 Express event 2-2.45pm Year R Parent sharing event Parent meetings
Tuesday 27th March	9-10 Year 3/4 Express event 9.15-10.15 Year R Express Event 2.15pm Year 5/6 Express Event Parent meetings
Wednesday 28th March	Year 4 swimming 2pm Nursery Express Event
Thursday 29th March	Easter Cake Bake Sale End of term 4 (School finishes at 2pm)