



# Ash, Cartwright & Kelsey Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Newsletter Term 6 Week 1

Dear Parents/Carers

It is hard to believe that we are in term 6 already – this academic year has flown by! We have a very busy term ahead with lots of exciting events for the children.

Year 2 enjoyed their visit to Pegwell Bay on Monday as part of their space topic. They searched for aliens through orienteering and looked at the different landscapes and compared these to what they might find on different planets. They finished the session with an outdoor reading of the book 'The man on the moon'. What a great trip and Mr Hayes said their behaviour was excellent. Well done Magpies!

Year R had another Forest School session with Anna Outdoors on Thursday – they made smores and did a bit of drumming – it is great to see our outdoor areas being used so much.

Year 3 ended the week dressed creatively as part of their PTFA Easter Raffle prize. It was great to see Miss Barrett showing her creativity too! We are delighted to announce that Maxwell H in Fledglings and Harry in Owls have won the VIP tickets for the Fun Fest after school next Friday – well done boys!

Have a lovely weekend

Fiona Crascall  
Headteacher



## Birthdays to celebrate

### Fledglings

Jude and Jack

### Magpies

Elena



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## **PTFA**

### **FRIYAY FUN FEST!**

One week to go!!! We are really looking forward to welcoming you all to this twist on our traditional summer fair – we have many of the usual stalls but also some really fun new things for you to enjoy. We're working hard to make this event a success so please do bring your friends and family along with you after school next Friday!

### **MYSTERY JARS – KEEP THEM COMING!**

We always sell out of these, so we really need your help in making sure we have plenty so that nobody misses out! A mystery jar is a (clean) jam jar filled with little treats – 'party bag' stuff really – covered in wrapping paper to keep the contents a mystery! If you have lots of spare jars but can't fill them all, please do bring those in too, we can always get them filled and wrapped to make up the numbers. As these mystery jars will be out in the summer heat, we ask that you don't include chocolate (or nuts) as it can get messy if it melts! Please leave jars on the table by the main entrance, a member of the PTFA committee will collect them – thanks!

### **SUMMER DISCO**

A date for your diary; this year's Summer Disco will be on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July – look out for letters coming home soon.

### **TUCK SHOP**

Tuck is on today – come and see us in the playground after school!

### **About the PTFA**

The PTFA is an integral part of the school community made up of parents, teachers and friends of the school. All parents & carers are automatically members. We are charity reg. number 1042205. Read more on the school website <https://www.ashckschool.org/about-us/ptfa>

All money raised goes back into the school to benefit the children.



<b>Fledglings</b>	Maxwell for his highly imaginative play and construction work. Jude for his fantastic contributions to our Science discussions this week!
<b>Year 1 Robins</b>	Coby T for wonderful phonics work this week. Robins class for their fantastic writing all week.
<b>Year 2 Magpies</b>	Taylor-May for settling down to all her activities and having a positive attitude towards her learning. Magpies class for partaking in Rapid-Fire Cricket with enthusiasm, sportsmanship and resilience. It was a pleasure to watch.
<b>Year 3 Owls</b>	Florence for being a lovely addition to Owls class, trying hard and participating well in lessons.

	Zoe for always being a role model for behaviour and hard work and working especially hard this week to show all of her learning of the Norse Gods and their myths.
<b>Year 4 Hawks</b>	<p>Peonie for her maturity and exceptional attitude to learning. Well done Peonie! You are approaching each lesson with enthusiasm and a can-do attitude. Excellent!</p> <p>Ellis for his improved growth mindset and positive attitude to learning. Well done Ellis! You are settling down to work beautifully, adding to class discussions thoughtfully, showing kindness and therefore, thriving in our wonderful learning environment. Excellent!</p>
<b>Year 5 Eagles</b>	<p>Margaret for showing a great poetic flair when writing our haiku poems. Well done!</p> <p>Ruby for showing great teamwork and demonstrating an excellent engineering mind during our Marble Run investigation.</p>
<b>Year 6 Falcons</b>	<p>Leo for his dedication to learning his lines for the production.</p> <p>Max for his incredible engagement with our play rehearsals.</p>

## Attendance Award

<b>Week Ending</b> <b>07/06/2024</b>	Robins Class	96.50
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## Dates for your diary

<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 4 Great Science Show Day at Discovery Park
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Summer Fair event after school
<b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June</b>	9-10.30 NELFT MHST workshop for year 6 carers to support transition to secondary school – in school and all year 6 parents/carers are very welcome 1-2pm – transition to secondary school workshop for year 6 pupils in school
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	Sports Week in school.
<b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Secondary transition day and meet the teacher morning
<b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Sports Day in school (am)
<b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 production 'What a knight!' to parents at 5pm in the school hall
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 residential at Caroty Wood
<b>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July</b>	PTFA KS1 and KS2 Summer Discos
<b>Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	End of year reports to parents
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leavers Service at the Church at 1.45pm – families of year 6 children very welcome. End of term 6 for the children
<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September</b>	Children back in school for term 1