



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

Through God's love and strength all flourish

\* **Achieve** \* **Create** \* **Know**

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Newsletter Term 1 Week 2

Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a busy week in school and the children are enjoying their topics. I have been so impressed with how our new Fledglings have settled into nursery – they are happy, smiling and all engaged playing and learning. I was particularly proud to see one of our Fledglings chilling in her office and sorting out her diary – great organizational skills!

Some of Falcons class sat the Kent Test on Thursday morning. They showed great resilience and all did their absolute best – whatever the outcome I am proud of them all.

The PTFA held their AGM in the school hall on Friday morning. It was lovely to see so many parents and staff attend. As a school, with budgets so very tight, we are looking forward to working with the PTFA to raise funds for the children. I know it is too early to mention 'Christmas' but this week the children have designed their own Christmas cards and these will be sent off to be printed in time for the festive season. Keep a look out for details nearer the time if you would like to buy these individualised cards. Please also keep a look out for our other upcoming events and fundraisers.

Have a lovely weekend

Fiona Crascall  
Headteacher



## Birthdays to celebrate

### Fledglings

Aria

### Wrens

Peaches

### Robins

Jaxon

### Hawks

Gabriella

### Eagles

Dougie

**Happy birthday to Ms Souness  
and Mrs Barrett!**



We have some places in our Fledglings nursery. If you have a child who is age 3 years, or know someone who has, please give the school a ring. School tours for new year R starters 2026 are now available.



<b>Fledglings</b>	All of Fledglings for settling into nursery so beautifully this term.
<b>Year R Wrens</b>	Morrigan for settling in and making really good choices.
<b>Year 1 Robins</b>	Lyra for being a super role model, good listener and hard worker. Keep up the good work!
<b>Year 2 Magpies</b>	Tilly for settling into new routines amazingly and showing our school values of happiness and friendship consistently.
<b>Year 3 Owls</b>	Claudia for showing great determination and eagerness to learn both in the classroom and at home.
<b>Year 4 Hawks</b>	Willow for her positive mindset and outstanding effort both in class and with homework! Well done Willow! What a great start to the year!
<b>Year 5 Eagles</b>	Florence for continuing her learning at home, producing some excellent extra homework pieces. Keep it up!
<b>Year 6 Falcons</b>	Luca for his incredibly mature and focused start to his final year of primary school.

## Attendance Award

<b>Week Ending</b> <b>12/09/2025</b>	Falcons Class	100%
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## Dates for your diary

<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September</b>	PTFA film night in hall – 3.15-5.15pm
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September</b>	Year 6 to the beach
<b>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September</b>	NELFT Mental Health Support Team coffee morning after drop off – come and meet our NELFT team
<b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October</b>	KS1 shared learning after school – come to classes to see what the children have been learning
<b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October</b>	KS2 shared learning after school – come to classes to see what the children have been learning
<b>Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Kent test results to parents
<b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Harvest Festival at the Church (parents of year 6 very welcome) at 1.45pm. End of term 1
<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Children back in school for term 2
<b>Week 10<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Anti-bullying week in school – theme is 'Power for Good'

<b>Friday November 14th</b>	Children to wear Odd Socks to celebrate end of anti-bullying week
<b>Week 17<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Maths week in school – Theme is 'Connection or Coincidence'
<b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November</b>	Tiimes tables Rock Star Day – children to come to school in their best rock outfit
<b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Parent teacher meetings – 3.30 – 5.30 – more details to follow
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December</b>	End of term 2
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b>	INSET day – no children in school
<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January</b>	INSET day – no children in school
<b>Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January</b>	Children back in school for WOW day!