



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

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Friday 15th March 2024

Newsletter Term 4 Week 4

Dear Parents/Carers

We had a great start to the week with NHS Captain Wonderweb workshops on Monday. The children learnt about mental well-being through healthy eating, taking breaks from technology, talking to a friend and physical activity. They also learnt how to build self-esteem through active learning.

On Tuesday EYFS enjoyed a wet and soggy, froggy forest school session with Anna Outdoors. Eliza said 'We had smores, saw frogspawn and played. We had a fire and it kept me nice and warm.' Sounds like a great morning. Eagles had a taste of being a blacksmith, creating metal loops for their Anglo-Saxon crosses as part of their topic. Robins have been busy guiding the bee-bots through a maze as part of the algorithm learning in their ICT lesson.

Next week is Diversity Week and we lots of creative learning planned for the children. I will keep you updated with photos on the school Facebook page.

Have a lovely weekend – please note the date for the shared learning session on diary dates.

Fiona Crascall  
Headteacher



## Birthdays to celebrate

### Magpies

James

### Eagles

Kobe



## School starters



If you have, or know somebody who has a child who will start school next year, please ring the school office to arrange an individual tour with me.

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## **PTFA**

### **EASTER DISCO**

The Bunny Hop Disco is less than two weeks away – Wednesday 27th March – so please get your slips into Mrs Bailey as soon as possible!

### **SAVE THE DATE: FILM AFTERNOON – TUESDAY 23rd APRIL**

Letters with details about our film afternoon will be going out soon, so keep your eyes peeled!

### **TUCK SHOP**

Tuck is on this week! It will be on weekly from now on, so don't forget to come and visit us in the playground after school.

### **PLEASE NOMINATE YOUR PTFA!**

\*\*\* Huge thanks to those that have already done this, but the more the merrier! \*\*\*

The Benefact Group is an organisation that regularly gives to charities and good causes through its 'Movement for Good' scheme – all that's needed is a nomination. It takes only a couple of minutes to nominate your chosen charity and we could receive a massive £1,000! Just head to <https://benefactgroup.com/movement-for-good/> and click 'Nominate a Charity for £1,000'. On the next page enter the charity number 1042205 to find us. Every entry helps so we really appreciate you taking the time to do it; thank you!

### **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.

## **Attendance Award**

<b>Week Ending</b> <b>15/03/2024</b>	Hawks Class	97.33%
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<b>Fledglings</b>	Jake for showing good focus and resilience in our Forest School session. Max M for super concentration on some tricky Maths.
<b>Year 1 Robins</b>	Isla for always being calm and polite in the classroom and for always doing extra bits of learning in her Child-Initiated time.
<b>Year 2 Magpies</b>	Charlie for doing great independent Maths work with 2, 5 and 10 times tables. Keep it up!
<b>Year 3 Owls</b>	Theo for embracing all of his learning and using Makaton for many purposes during the day showing perseverance.
<b>Year 4 Hawks</b>	Ellis for his beautiful behaviour choices and hard work in all lessons. Well done Ellis! You are giving 100% commitment to moving your learning on and trying your best. We are very proud of you! Keep it up!
<b>Year 5 Eagles</b>	Grace for having a positive attitude to all aspects of school this week and putting an exceptional effort into her work. Well done!
<b>Year 6 Falcons</b>	Sam for his amazing effort with his learning this week and perseverance when writing an exciting newspaper report.

## Dates for your diary

<b>Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Diversity Week – each class will focus on a different Continent: EYFS – Africa, Year 1 - Antarctica, Year 2 – Africa, Year 3 – Europe, Year 4 – Australia, Year 5 – Asia, Year 6 - South America
<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	Year 3 trip to Howletts Zoo
<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March</b>	EYFS Easter activities at the Church. Shared learning session after school for KS1 and KS2 – parents to classrooms to look at children's book
<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	PTFA Easter Disco after school
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Easter Service at the Church 1.45pm – year 6 parents very welcome to attend – end of term 4
<b>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Children back in school for term 5
<b>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April</b>	PTFA film afternoon
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Bank Holiday – no children in school
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 6 SATs week
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Science week in school
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	End of term 5
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	Children back in school for term 6
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	Sports Week in school. Sports day on Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July am
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 residential at Caroty Wood
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	End of term 6 for the children

