# Ash Cartwright and Kelsey CEP School

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Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019

**Newsletter No: 21** 

#### Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to term 4 and I do hope that you all enjoyed half term. We have, as usual, had a very busy week. We attended an athletics event on Tuesday with our HUB schools and came second overall and on Wednesday year 3 attended a tag rugby event at Ash Rugby Club. Shay said 'It was amazing, we got to play lots of games and scored 15 tries'. We are very lucky to have such facilities available in our community.

The Restorative Justice session for parents on Tuesday morning was a useful exercise, I have uploaded the powerpoint to the Parent section of the school website - please have a look to see how we resolve issues in our school. It really does support our Christian ethos and has been very successful so far - some parents even took the questions to try at home!

Reports went out to parents this week - please do see the class teacher if you have any queries.

Fiona Crascall Headteacher

#### World Book Day

We have a very busy term 4 with lots of exciting wider curriculum activities. For World Book Day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March we will dress up in our pyjamas and bringing in our favourite cuddly toy and book. Each class will spend the day taking part in a range of creative activities relating to a particular class book - sounds like fun! Remember we have a whole school performance of Charlotte's Web on the Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March to end the week.

### **Big Question**

Our value for term 4 is joy. Our big question for the term is:
'Is there more happiness or sadness in the world?'
As before, there is no right or wrong answer, but just something for you to think about and discuss.

#### Fledglings Nursery

Our new EYFS unit has been a great success and we are full/nearly full on all of our sessions. We have also had some very positive feedback from School Advisers - it really is a fantastic learning environment. We will have some spaces however, in September 2019. If you have, or know anybody who has a child that will be 3 years old in September, please see a member of staff in Fledglings. Thank you.

#### Attendance

Class	%
Robins - year 1	93.64
Magpies - year 2	92.07
Owls - year 3	96.25
Hawks - year 4	90.42
Eagles - year 5	98.85
Falcons year 6	100.00

Please make sure that you either fill the child collection book in during the morning or ring the school before 12 if somebody else is collecting your child - it interrupts learning in the afternoon if we have to ring down to classes. Thank you for your support.

#### Star of the week

Year R Fledglings	Frankie Lee for trying hard with letter formation.
Year 1 Robins	George Richards for working really hard in Maths this week.
Year 2 Magpies	Ethan Sales for brilliant independent writing skills.
Year 3 Owls	Isabel Wacher for having a positive attitude towards everything
	and always giving 100%.
Year 4 Hawks	Dylan Collins for his hard work and effort in Maths.
Year 5 Eagles	Sienna Bruty for superb effort in creative writing.
Year 6 Falcons	Rebecca Smith for great thinking and responding in lessons this
	week.

#### Dates for your diary

Terms 4 and 5	
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day - pyjamas, book and bear day
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole school performance of Charlotte's Web to support Book
	Week
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Start of British Science Week
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole school science festival with Science Boffins
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Chick egg delivery from Incredible Eggs
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 2 Pirate Day trip to Dover Museum
Thursday 21st March	Year 5 to Voice in a Million at Wembley
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Specific KS2 school council members to Chamber of Commerce
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3 trip to the Science Museum in London
Thursday 28th March	SATs talk for year 6 parents with Miss Brown at 9am
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Grammar bee @ Ash - KS2 pupils from HUB schools
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Break up - end of term 4
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	BANK HOLIDAY
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Children back in school
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	Maths calculation workshop for parents with Miss Brown
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	SATs week for year 6 pupils
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	End of term 5



## Red Nose Day Friday 15th March 2019

From Monday 4th February Mrs Bailey will have red noses for sale in the office at £1.25 each. Please bring correct money in as we have no change.

There are 11 different noses to choose from.



#### Charlotte's Web

Please ensure slip and contribution of £5.25 is handed into the school office by Wednesday for the performance on Friday.