



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

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Friday 24th March 2023

Newsletter Term 4 Week 5

Dear Parents/Carers

The children have really enjoyed our 'Diversity' week – we started our worship on Monday by celebrating the ways that we are all different and learning that we must treat people equally. The classes have all learnt about a different country and have learnt about that culture and indulged in some food tasting – it is great to see the children trying new foods. There was an interesting mix of smells in the corridors; Bangladeshi curry, Biko dessert, Caribbean rice and pea, Irish stew, colcannon and Maltese biscuits. A great experience for the children.

Diversify came into the school on Wednesday to deliver their social inclusion workshops – the focus was disability awareness. The children learnt about different types of disability such as physical, cognitive and sensory and the children discussed what they can do to make sure that everybody gets treated fairly and equally. They were able to ask lots of questions and learnt that with resilience and the right support there are no limits to what people can do!

The 'Jungle Book' pantomime on Thursday afternoon continued the diversity theme – Mowgli was raised by wolves and lived in the jungle but he realised that all you need to make a family is love. A big thanks to M&M productions for performing this for the children.

Have a lovely weekend

Fiona Crascall
Headteacher



Birthdays to celebrate

Robins

Oliver G

Owls

Ellis

Falcons

Freddie



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 look around with me. Apply online at: kent.gov.uk/primaryadmissions Closed on Monday 16 January 2023 so late admissions still an option.

More Important News

PTFA update

Bunny Hop Disco!!!

Its Bunny Hop time!!! This Tuesday 28th March! Don't forget!!

KS1 (R-Y2) will go straight from school until 16:45 with collection from their classrooms.

KS2 (Y3-Y6) from 1700-1830. Drop off and collection from main entrance.

Admission price includes hotdogs, sweet treat and unlimited drinks. There will be glow in the dark novelties available to buy but please feel free to bring your own

Tuck Shop & Other News

Next Tuck shop will be our Easter Cookie sale, Friday 31st March.

Homemade Easter Chocolate Chunk Cookies will be on sale for the bargain price of 50p so grab yourself a treat to get you in the holiday spirit.

The PTFA have created a pinned post on the School Facebook page that contains dates for upcoming PTFA events. We will update this regularly so you have easy access to the latest information and can get those dates in your diary asap!

Preloved Uniform

The PTFA are always grateful to receive donated school uniform, coats, school shoes, trainers and now football boots for use at after school clubs and football teams. If anyone has any football boots that their child has grown out of and you would like to donate them, please hand to any member of the PTFA or hand to the office to pass on to us.

The sales of preloved uniform go directly back into the school funds so benefit all the children.

Please contact us with any requests and we will get back to you when we have checked what we have in stock.

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 straight back into the school to benefit the children.

Thank you for your continued support!



EYFS	Maddie for increased confidence and independence coming into school and saying goodbye to her grown ups.
Year 1 Robins	Paddy for making some real effort to make good choices.
Year 2 Magpies	Jess for having a really positive attitude to learning, having beautiful cursive handwriting, pushing herself to work harder and being an all round superstar!
Year 3 Owls	Jasper for always modelling our class rules and being a positive member of the class.
Year 4 Hawks	Kobe for his deep thinking and kind reflections during RE and PSHE lessons. Well-done Kobe, you carefully consider how others are feeling, show great empathy and offer invaluable advice to your peers, encouraging inclusion and equality for all. What a kind young man you are!
Year 5 Eagles	Connor for his enthusiasm and dedication to learning.
Year 6 Falcons	Oliver for working hard all week and having a more positive and persevering attitude to your learning. Well done, keep it up – we are proud of you!

Attendance Award

Week Ending 24/03/2023	Hawks Class	98.00%
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Dates for your diary

27.3.2023	Year 6 trip to Harry Potter in London
28.3.2023	Year 3 trip to Margate Caves – PTFA Bunny Hop disco
29.3.2023	Decorated egg and Easter garden competition – prizes for KS1 and KS2
30.3.2023	i-rock concert in school for children working with Phil – 9.30 in the school hall. PTFA Easter Egg Hunt
31.3.2022	Easter Service at the Church – (year 6 parents welcome) at 1.30pm and end of term 4
17.4.2023	Children back in school for term 5
5.5.2023	Coronation Tea Party in school – more details to follow
8.5.2023	Coronation Bank Holiday – no children in school
9.5.2023	Year 6 SATs week
26.5.2023	PTFA Circus Day (more details to follow) and end of term 5

