



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

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Friday 4th November 2022

Newsletter Term 2 Week 1

Dear Parents/Carers

We had a busy start to the week with our Monster Mash disco's on Tuesday – a huge thanks to our PTFA for arranging this – the children all had a great time! The pumpkin parade lining the path was amazing – thank you all for your support. The winners of the pumpkin competition were Melissa in year 6 for KS2 and Hugo in year 1 for KS1 – well done to all who entered.

As part of consolidating their learning on 'What would you find in the land down under?' year 6 visited the London Sea life Centre on Wednesday. They got the train to London and loved learning all about different underwater creatures – they even had lunch with the sharks! They had time for a walk along the South Bank and saw the London Eye and Big Ben - a first for many of our children. A big thanks to Miss Brown and our staff for giving up their time to make sure the children had a great day.

We were lucky enough to be a good cause for the Co-op in Sandwich, this was to raise funds to revamp our playground markings. We received an impressive £4267.69 and the cheque was presented in assembly this morning. We will look to upgrade our playground in the spring.

Best wishes and have a lovely weekend

Fiona Crascall
Headteacher



Birthdays to celebrate

Magpies

Jessica

Owls

Lexi

Eagles

Tommy



Photos of the week



School starters

Year R applications are for children born between 1 September 2018 and 31 August 2019. 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
Opens Friday 4 November 2022 and closes on Monday 16 January 2023

More Important News

PTFA update

Delicious toffee apples and spooky lollies available this Friday after school from the tuck shop. Toffee apples are £1 and spooky lollies are 15p.



Now that you are probably finished with all your spooky dress up costumes please feel free to donate any you no longer want to the PTFA who will be running a spooky costume shop again next year. There will be a table by the front door to the school all next week where you can donate any children's costumes you no longer want.

Thank you to everyone who has been dropping off old bread bags, bun bags, wrap packets and crumpet packets. So far the PTFA have recycled over 30kg of bread bags which is the equivalent of 60 bin bags full of soft plastic that was recycled rather than put in land fill. If you ever want to drop off bread bags but the school is closed you can put them one of the boxes in the church foyer or the village hall. Keep the bread bags, bun bags, wrap packets and crumpet packets coming and Warburton's will continue to give us money for every 2kg we send.

About the PTFA

The PTFA is an integral part of the school community made up of teachers, parents 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.



EYFS	Thomas for his excellent effort in R.E.
Year 1 Robins	Lucas for being a really great buddy to someone new in our class and setting a good example!
Year 2 Magpies	Mia for working hard at keeping a good morning routine and persevering with her maths work.
Year 3 Owls	Albie for fantastic R.E. work.
Year 4 Hawks	Eli for good sitting, good look and EXCELLENT LISTENING TO INSTRUCTIONS which resulted in some beautifully presented literacy work. Fantastic! Keep it up!

Year 5 Eagles	Magda for pushing herself to try things she finds difficult and always working hard in class. Lina for her excellent effort with our harvest festival and showing great motivation and perseverance with her work in class.
Year 6 Falcons	Falcons class for being so grown up and sensible on our London trip. You were all fantastic and represented our school well – we are proud of you!

Attendance Award

Week Ending 4/11/2022	Owls	97.50
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Dates for your diary

Wk 14.11.2022	Anti-bullying week in school
15.11.2022	Jack and the Beanstalk whole school pantomime
16.11.2022	PTFA Tag Day
13.12.2022	Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day
14.12.2022	Nativity to parents 1.45pm – more details to follow
16.12.2022	Church Service at 1.30 and end of term 2
3.1.2023	INSET day - no children in school
4.1.2023	Children back in school for term 3 – WOW day
