



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

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Friday 5th May 2023

Newsletter Term 5 Week 3

Dear parents/carers

We have had a slightly shorter, but still very busy week in school. The children are very happy that now it is a bit warmer and drier they are all able to play on the school field. The classes have also been spending more time learning outside – Falcons enjoyed exploring diameter and radius on the school playground on Thursday.

Year 4 visited the Living Land Exhibition on Thursday. They enjoyed meeting different animals, such as alpacas, pigs, bats, lambs, to name a few, various demonstrations, such as sheep shearing, cow-milking and falconry and explanations of how farming machinery and inventions work. The children were really engaged in their learning, asked lots of well-thought-out questions and enjoyed participating in a range of activities. Cycling on the bike to make their own smoothie was an absolute favourite!

We ended the week with our Coronation Event Tea Party, all together, on the school playground. The children looked great in their red, white and blue and the PTFA kindly gave each children a special commemorative Ash Cartwright and Kelsey Coronation pin badge. It is events like this that the children remember and it was lovely to see our whole school community together.

Have a lovely weekend – remember Monday is a Bank Holiday.

Fiona Crascall  
Headteacher



## Birthdays to celebrate

### Magpies

Mia

### Owls

Daniel and Jack

### Eagles

Lottie

### Falcons

Oliver L

**Happy special birthday to Mrs Bailey!**



## More Important News

### PTFA update

#### **Roll up Roll up! The Circus is in town!!!**

We are so excited to announce that due to multiple fundraising events including our very own Victoria's fearless wingwalk last year , the Circus is coming to Cartwright and Kelsey!!

We will finish this half term in style with a TAG day and a full day of circus activities on Friday 26th May!

Mote details to come next week

#### **Tuck Shop**

No tuck this week, next tuck 12th May.

#### **Summer Fair! -WE NEED YOU!**

We are really excited to confirm that this years summer fair will be taking place on Saturday 8th July. As you can imagine it takes a huge number of people to make the summer fair everything we want it to be. If you can help in any way at all we would really appreciate your support.

Could you -help set up

-help clear up

- man a stall

- donate something (more details to follow)

Or are you or your child part of a team or group that could provide some entertainment? Be it Morris dancing, gymnastics, cheerleading, rugby demo or maypole dancing please get in touch to discuss what you can offer.

#### **Preloved Uniform Sale -coming soon!**

We will be announcing the date very

for our preloved uniform sale. We have lots in stock including summer dresses, trousers shorts and jumpers. Watch this space to grab a bargain!

#### **AGM Poll**

Here at the PTFA we are always planning, planning, planning!..... whether it be a disco, film night, Quiz night, Summer Fair or even the AGM. The AGM is a meeting we have in September where all members of our school community are invited to come join us to hear how all the money you have helped raise is spent as well as appointing the committee members for the coming school year. Don't worry, coming along to our AGM doesn't automatically sign you up to joining the PTFA, unless you want to that is!

As busy parents it can be hard to get things in the diary, between school runs, work, clubs and life in general! So we are thinking ahead and would like to ask you lovely lot when is good for you! (In general - dates to be confirmed.)

We are currently running a poll on the school Facebook page so please login and cast your vote! If you don't have access to Facebook please grab one of us at the gates and let us know what works for 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 straight back into the school to benefit the children.

Thank you for your continued support!

### **SATs week**

Next week is SATs week for the year 6 pupils so it is very important that they are all in school, every day. If you think your child would benefit from attending a free breakfast club from Tuesday to Friday, please send them into school at 8.15am and we will make sure that they have something to eat.



<b>EYFS</b>	Maddie for being a kind and helpful friend. Well done!
<b>Year 1 Robins</b>	Oliver for always participating in class lessons with great enthusiasm.
<b>Year 2 Magpies</b>	Aiah for persevering with her maths work and always having a positive attitude to learning.
<b>Year 3 Owls</b>	Ellis for his incredible displays of leadership and teamwork when creating a Viking Village Diorama.
<b>Year 4 Hawks</b>	Hawks class for their beautiful behaviour, enthusiasm and positive attitude during our visit to The Living Land Event on Thursday. Well done Hawks! Fantastic!
<b>Year 5 Eagles</b>	Eagles class for making Mrs Attwood feel welcomed and helping her to grow as a teacher throughout her training. They have worked well and made her placement very enjoyable. Well done Eagles!
<b>Year 6 Falcons</b>	Ethan D for working hard and persevering in your learning this week. You are really working hard to improve and in particular your reading. We are proud of you – well done, keep it up!

### Attendance Award

<b>Week Ending 5/5/23</b>	<b>Owls Class</b>	<b>98.21%</b>
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### Dates for your diary

<b>8.5.2023</b>	Coronation Bank Holiday – no children in school
<b>9.5.2023</b>	Year 6 SATs week
<b>23 and 24.5.2023</b>	Parent teacher meetings – letters to follow
<b>25.05.2025</b>	Years 5 and 6 visit to the Tower of London as part of their topic learning
<b>26.5.2023</b>	PTFA Circus Day (more details to follow) and end of term 5
<b>5.6.2023</b>	Children back in school for term 6
<b>8.6.2023</b>	Tempest individual and class photographs
<b>12.6.2023</b>	Year 6 PGL residential week
<b>26.6.2023</b>	Start of sports week
<b>30.6.2023</b>	Sports Day
<b>6.7.2023</b>	Meet the teacher day
<b>8.7.2023</b>	Summer Fayre
<b>19.7.2023</b>	Break up – end of term 6

