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Newsletter

Term 1

29th September 2017

Y6 Visit to Hastings Shipwreck and Fishermen's Museums

Oxford and Cambridge's topic this term is 'Around the World' and, as part of this, they have been looking at coastlines and the sea's temperament. They are also studying the book 'Kensuke's Kingdom'. To support this learning, children visited the local Shipwreck and Fishermen's museums. [Find out more](#) on our website!



Regrettably we have received numerous complaints from residents and parents about inconsiderate parking. This week an emergency vehicle was unable to proceed down Hare Way during the morning drop off. This is despite the many signs that have been installed outside the school gates prohibiting parking. Unfortunately, the Academy has no legal jurisdiction outside of the school premises, however we have spoken to East Sussex County Council who recommend that parents and residents phone ESCC Parking Shop with their complaint on 0845 680 1129. Hopefully, if enough complaints are logged, a parking attendant will be sent to check the area. Meanwhile, can we appeal to all our parents to respect the parking prohibitions that are in place. Thank you for your cooperation.



Help celebrate Mr Nourish's Birthday - Thurs 5th October

Please note that there is a change to the dinner menu on Thursday to celebrate Mr Nourish's Birthday; Nourish Foods are the school caterers.



Hotdog
Margherita Pizza
Sweetcorn
Cucumber sticks
Herby Diced Potatoes
Birthday Cake
Fruit Pots
Yoghurt



Golden Table Reward

Staff reward good behaviour in the dinner hall with a place on the 'Golden Table' each Monday. Children who have displayed good manners and good eating are allowed to sit on a specially decorated table in the dinner hall. Take a look at this week's guests....

Attendance this week

Registration groups and % attendance		Y3 Kingston	97.3
YR Surrey	95.2	Y3 Brunel	97.5
YR Canterbury	97.2	Y4 Cardiff	95.4
Y1 Goldsmiths	95.9	Y4 Chichester	98.2
Y1Sussex	92.8	Y5 Aston	96.2
Y2 Bath	95.1	Y5 Leeds	96.8
Y2 Exeter	97.2	Y6 Oxford	95
		Y6 Cambridge	96
		Chester (SLC)	90.2

DOJO WINNERS



KS1 winners: Surrey

KS2 winners: Oxford

Congratulations!



This week's Achievers

Class	Name of pupil	Award	Class	Name of pupil	Award
Goldsmiths	Jakey Chantler	Enthusiasm	Sussex	Robbie Shelton	Determination
	Faye Hinton	Achievement		Talulah Burdett	Achievement
	Christie Griffen	Achievement		Nikita Harris	Achievement
Bath	Michelle Mangiri	Rigour	Exeter	Benjamin Routledge	Determination
	Neko Thomas	Achievement		Amber Palmer	Achievement
	Ishaq Benchikh	Achievement		Arish Rahman	Achievement
Brunel	Benjamin Franks		Kingston	Ethan Jones	Generosity
	Joshua Poole	Achievement		Joshua Roberts	Achievement
	Isabelle Fowlie	Achievement		Caitlin Rivers	Achievement
Cardiff	Travis Mills	Generosity	Chichester	Summer Hinton	Generosity
	Monty Wheeler	Achievement		Joshua Stevens	Achievement
	Phoebe King	Achievement		Gracie Trevena	Achievement
Aston	Lauren Griffen	Generosity	Leeds	Ben Tucker	Generosity
	Eden Guest	Achievement		Josh Moor	Achievement
	Umar Ahmed	Achievement		Nancy Loynes	Achievement
Cambridge	Jamie Clarke	Generosity	Oxford	Mia Epps	Generosity
	Lily Turner	Achievement		Lacey Ancell	Achievement
	Sharni Gilbert	Achievement		Lewis Betts	Achievement
Chester	Katie	Enthusiasm			
	Jack Carey	Achievement			
	Lucas Carter	Achievement			



Diary dates

Tues 3 rd Oct	Flu vaccinations for pupils in Years R/1/2/3/4	Information and consent forms from NHS sent home.
Thurs 5 th Oct	Special dinner menu for Mr Nourish's Birthday	Menu
Mon 16 th Oct	Children's Harvest Assemblies	Collecting for Hastings Foodbank – items to be brought in to school Friday 13th October if possible.
Mon 16 th Wed 18 th Oct	*EYFS/Year 1/Year 2 Parent/Teacher meetings 3.30 – 6.30 pm (1 of 2)	Appointment sheets in office foyer
Tues 17 th Thurs 19 th Oct	KS2 (Year 3/Year 4/Year 5/Year 6) Parent/Teacher meetings 3.30 – 6.30 pm	Appointment sheets in office foyer
Tues 17 th Oct	*Year R Canterbury Parent/Teacher meeting 2 of 2	Appointment sheets in office foyer
Friday 20 th Oct	School photographs	Ensure you child has full correct uniform
Sat 21 st Oct	PSA Firework Evening from 5 pm	Information and competition
Wed 1 st Nov Thurs 2 nd Nov Mon 6 th Nov	Prospective parents open mornings 9.30/10/00/11.00	Please contact office to book onto a visit.

Please remember to always check our [term dates](#) via our website. These dates are not always the same as East Sussex County Council schools. Paper copies of this year's term dates are available from the school office.

ARK Little Ridge PSA

SATURDAY
21st OCTOBER

Gates open at 5pm

Tombola
Music
Sweets
Novelties
Hot Drinks

HAROLD'S HOG ROAST
SUSSEX REARED PORK

Admission:
Adults £4.50
Children £2.50
(under 4's free)

Bring friends and family—all welcome!

This year's firework night is on Saturday 21st October. To ensure the event runs smoothly, we need at least 30 adult helpers to support this activity. If you can help, please complete the slip on the [letter](#) or let the office know what time you would be available between 9.00 am and 7.30 p.m. (help needed particularly between 9am – 12am and 3.30pm and 7.30pm).

For this year's [competition](#), we are inviting all children to create a Firework collage.