



Sandgate Primary School

Everyone deserves the taste of success

Newsletter

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Friday 26th April 2019

I hope you all enjoyed the Easter break, the glorious weather we had during the second week certainly made all the difference.

There were lots of smiles at the gate on Tuesday, particularly from the parents, as children returned to school to discover what exciting learning is in store for them this term.

Often, the children come back to school wearing new shoes or uniform as we move into the summer months. You will have seen before the break just how much lost property we generate that is unnamed, which makes it very difficult to find the owner. I would estimate that in just 7 weeks we accumulated over £300 worth of unclaimed items.

Where items are named, our Lost Property Monitors are on hand to reunite clothes with their owners so please would you make sure every item has a name on it somewhere. This does not have to be a sewn label, a name written anywhere visible is fine. If you would like to borrow a fabric pen to do this, these are in the school office to use.

You will have received a ballot paper for our parent governor elections and the personal statements from the candidates; the Governing Board is looking for a new member with skills in finance and human resources.

Sandgate's Governing Board is an integral part of the school community made up of members committed to providing the very best school experience to our children and families. Please read through the statements carefully and register your vote; the elected person is one of your representatives on the board.

Mr Matthew Green, Headteacher



A big well done to Katherine B in Rabbits who donated her hair to the Little Princess Trust and raised over £300!



The Little Princess Trust provides real wigs free of charge for children and young adults who have sadly lost their own hair due to cancer treatment and other illnesses.

MON 29th April	TUES 30th April	WED 1st May	THURS 2nd May	FRI 3rd May
Magazine Club Lunchtime French Club - Lunchtime Gymnastics KS1 3.15 - 4.30pm KS2 4.30 - 5.30pm (Please contact High5 Sports on 07857508624) Outside Explorers Club 3.15 - 4pm Construction Club 3.15 - 4pm	M&M Lunchtime Football Club (KS2) Karate 3.15 - 4.30pm (Please contact Sensei Trevor on 07966686377)	Rocksteady PM Art Club - Lunchtime Yoga Club 3.30 - 4.15pm (Please contact Frances on 07828456333) Foundation & Year 3 Book Share Cricket Club 3.15 - 4.15pm PTA Meeting 7pm in the Community Room	Class Photos Board Games & Chess Club Dance Club 3.15 - 4.15pm (Please contact Charley on 0772637271) Arts & Crafts 3.15 - 4pm Prodigy Maths Club 3.15 - 4pm Stop Motion Animation Club - Mrs Uttley 3.15 - 4pm Stop Motion Animation Club - Mr O'Sullivan 3.15 - 4.15pm Netball 3.15 - 4.15pm Hockey 3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 5 Brass Lessons M&M Lunchtime Football Club (KS1) M&M Girls Football Club 3.15 - 4.30pm



Congratulations to Amelia D in the Puffins who won the best Female Football Player trophy at the Elite Cup Tournament. Her team Folkestone Invicta came third overall.

Birthday Book Reminder

Birthdays are a special time that the children should enjoy with their friends and classmates. In previous years children were often bringing in sweets or cakes to share and while this is a very generous thought we do promote healthy eating in school. It is important that children still have the opportunity to celebrate birthdays in school so we now ask that instead of sweets and cakes (which will not be handed out) children can donate a book to the class. The child can choose a presentation name plate for the front cover of their book, and the book will be shared with the class where it will remain as a reminder of the day.

Gold Book

Congratulations to the following children who were rewarded in the Gold Book this week. A big well done to all of our extra Gold Book winners today as well!

Skyla W	(Bumblebees)	Max T	(Butterflies)
Abe M	(Bumblebees)	Kevin R	(Butterflies)
Issi K	(Rabbits)	Niamh C	(Owls)
Hugo Y	(Rabbits)	Dylan C	(Owls)
Katherine B	(Rabbits)	Harry K	(Snow Leopards)
Oscar C	(Panthers)	Polly B	(Snow Leopards)
Isaac F	(Panthers)	Tiana V	(Otters)
Harry M	(Puffins)	Oscar D	(Otters)
Finn V	(Puffins)	Emily P	(Stingrays)
Lorenzo H	(Sharks)	Freddie R	(Stingrays)
Zoe F	(Sharks)	Jasper S	(Geckos)
Penelope S	(Chipmunks)	Scarlett K	(Geckos)
Daniel D	(Chipmunks)	Amber F	(Gorillas)
Isaac L	(Polar Bears)	Ruby W	(Gorillas)
Lucas D	(Polar Bears)		



FOLKESTONE RUGBY CLUB MINI TEAMS

FREE TASTER SESSION

RADNOR PARK
NEAR BASKETBALL AREA

SUNDAY APRIL 28TH
10-11.30 AM

BE PART OF OUR TEAM

HAVE FUN, LEARN ABOUT RUGBY, MAKE FRIENDS WHILST GETTING FIT AND HEALTHY

Visit www.folkestonerugbyclub.co.uk for more information
Our regular sessions take place at Folkestone Rugby Club
Sundays 10-12 September to May

PTA Meeting

Wednesday 1st May at 7pm in the Community Room

Topics on the Agenda:

Welcome and thank you's
Agree Minutes from March Meeting
Summer Sizzle planning
Targeted Fundraising
All Welcome!

Trophies

If your child won an achievement award at the end of the last academic year in the form of a trophy or cup, please return it to the school office so that we can have them engraved for this year's winners.



STAR CLASSES FOR ATTENDANCE

The classes awarded for the best attendance are:

EYFS/Key Stage 1: Snow Leopards

Key Stage 2: Stingrays

Here are the attendance figures for w/c

1st April 2019:

Bumblebees	95.7%	Butterflies	94.0%
Rabbits	94.0%	Owls	99.3%
Panthers	98.7%	Snow Leopards	100%
Puffins	97.3%	Otters	95.7%
Stingrays	100%	Sharks	98.7%
Chipmunks	96.3%	Geckos	98.8%
Polar Bears	92.7%	Gorillas	98.0%