

# Sandgate Primary School

Everyone deserves the taste of success

# Newsletter

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Well done to our Year Six children who this week took their Key Stage 2 SATs. Their positive approach, resilience and the mutual support they gave towards one another are things they should be extremely proud of and will hold them in good stead as they move on to the next stage of their education in one term's time. I cannot praise the children highly enough for how they have conducted themselves.

Year Six - you are all Sandgate Superstars! The weather congratulated them too yesterday with glorious sunshine which enabled them to enjoy an afternoon of sports, art, drama and ice-creams; this is the first taste of the many celebrations and activities we have planned for them in their final term at Primary School.

The warmer weather also means we are beginning to see many more bikes and scooters being ridden to school which we love to see and positively encourage. We are lucky to have plenty of space to accommodate them all and to safely store them during the school day.

We recently held elections for a Parent Governor vacancy. We received 6 excellent nominees, all of whom would have been welcome additions to our Governing Board. After an extremely close ballot I am delighted to be able to announce that Anouk Agussol has been formally elected to Sandgate Primary's Governing Board. Thank you to everyone that took the time to vote.

Mr Matthew Green, Headteacher

### HYTHE ROUND

## THE HOUSES

Good luck to all our Hythe Round the Houses runners on Sunday! Mrs van der Wal will be at the Hythe Sports Pavilion from 10.45am.

#### **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.

#### **Class Photographs**

A reminder that if you would like to order class photos via the school, the order forms must be handed in by next Thursday 23rd May.

Orders may still be placed online after this day.

MON 20th May	TUES 21st May	WED 22nd May	THURS 23rd May	FRI 24th May
MON 20th 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)	WED 22nd May Rocksteady PM Art Club - Lunchtime Years 2&6 Book Share Yoga Club 3.30 - 4.15pm (Please contact Frances on 07828456333) Cricket Club 3.15 - 4.15pm Netball 3.15 - 4.15pm	Board Games & Chess Club  Dance Club 3.15 - 4.15pm (Please contact Charley on 07772637271)  Arts & Crafts 3.15 - 4pm  Prodigy Maths Club 3.15 - 4pm  Stop Motion Animation Club with Mrs Uttley 3.15 - 4pm  Stop Motion Animation Club with Mrs Uttley 3.15 - 4pm	FRI 24th May  LAST DAY OF TERM 5  Year 5 Brass Lessons  M&M Lunchtime Football Club (KS1)  M&M Girls Football Club 3.15 - 4.30pm
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Elise M in Otters and Scarlett K in Geckos were shortlisted for the Portfolio Turner Contemporary Art Competition for their Art Rebel entries. There were 1332 entries from local schools and they were invited to attend the prize giving evening at Canterbury University. Well done girls!





A reminder that during the summer weeks children should have sun hats, sun cream (which they can apply

themselves) along with a water bottle. Please also ensure sun cream is applied before school.

The children in Panthers class have been writing letters to their favourite football teams, authors and anyone else they would like to ask some questions to. Our most recent reply was to Amelia C, who was very excited to receive a letter back from one of her favourite authors, Julia Donaldson!

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Foundation & KS1 Sports Day

Tuesday 18th June

**KS2 Sports Day** 

Wednesday 19th June

(Further details regarding Sports Days to follow)

**Camp Night** 

Friday 28th June

PTA Summer Sizzle Saturday 13th July 11-2pm

#### Gold Book

Congratulations to the following children who were rewarded in the Gold Book this week:

#### Anna C (Bumblebees) Pixie C (Butterflies) (Bumblebees) Cora W (Butterflies) Charlotte W Avni P (Rabbits) Jack F (Owls) Ronnie M (Rabbits) (Owls) Juno K Jack E (Rabbits) Noah M (Snow Leopards) (Snow Leopards) (Snow Leopards) Kara S (Panthers) Finnian N J Freya S (Panthers) Hazel S Isobel T (Puffins) Max A (Otters) Ronnie B (Puffins) (Otters) Ethan C Freddie C (Sharks) Ivy S (Stingrays) (Sharks) Lewis W Adam E-E (Stingrays) Ava E (Chipmunks) Evie E (Geckos) Keira C (Chipmunks) Bella W-D (Geckos) Harry P (Polar Bears) (Gorillas) Isabelle M Ethan B **Polar Bears** Jack N (Gorillas) Marley B (Polar Bears)

#### STAR CLASSES FOR ATTENDANCE

The classes awarded for the best attendance are:

EYFS/Key Stage 1: Rabbits, Panthers & Snow Leopards

**Key Stage 2: Sharks & Geckos** 

Here are the attendance figures for w/c 6th May 2019:

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Bumblebees	98.3%	Butterflies	96.3%
Rabbits	99.2%	Owls	96.7%
Panthers	99.2%	Snow Leopards	99.2%
Puffins	98.3%	Otters	99.2%
Stingrays	98.8%	Sharks	100%
Chipmunks	99.2%	Geckos	100%
Polar Bears	96.7%	Gorillas	95.0%