



# Sandgate Primary School

Everyone deserves the taste of success

## Newsletter

Issue 17

Friday 24th January 2020

They're here! After excitedly awaiting delivery of the eggs themselves and then two more days patiently waiting for them to hatch, Sandgate Primary finally became the proud parents of 10 chicks on Wednesday! Yes, they are VERY cute!

If you have not already seen the live stream of one of the eggs hatching on our website or Facebook page then please do take a look. I haven't yet decided myself which is the most entertaining part - it could be the emergence of the chick, the reaction of the children is pretty special too (particular mention to the Year 6 pupil singing Happy Birthday to the chick!) but hearing Mrs Shoob trying to teach a maths lesson while it's happening is probably my favourite!

The chicks are still keeping warm in their incubator, but next week they will be strong enough to come out for a run around so all the children will have a chance to meet them.

Have an eggsellent weekend everyone!

**Mr Matthew Green, Heggteacher**



MON 27th Jan	TUES 28th Jan	WED 29th Jan	THURS 30th Jan	FRI 31st Jan
Gymnastics KS1 3.15 - 4.30pm KS2 4.30 - 5.30pm (Please contact Venture Sports on 07548294804) Lego Club 3.15 - 4pm	Lunchtime Football Years 3, 4, 5 & 6  Lunchtime Russian Club  Football Club 3.15 - 4.30pm  Karate: 3.15 - 4.30pm (Please contact Sensei Trevor on 07966686377)	Lunchtime Board Games  Lunchtime Prodigy Maths Club  Rocksteady PM  Cookery Club 3.15 - 4.30pm  Singing Club 3.15 - 4.00pm  Year 2 Book Share	Year 3 Swimming  Pom pom making club Lunchtime  Colouring and Craft Club 3.15 - 4.00pm  Arts & Crafts Club 3.15 - 4.15pm  Bake Off Cookery Club 3.15 - 4.15pm  Dance Club (Small Hall): 3.15 - 4.15pm (Please contact Charley on 07772637271)	<b>STEM ENRICHMENT DAY</b>  Lunchtime Football (KS1)  Girls Football (KS2) 3.15 - 4.30pm

## PLIMSOLL DAY

Monday 10th February 2020

On Monday 10th February 2020, we are celebrating Samuel Plimsoll's birthday.

Children are allowed to come to school wearing their plimsolls, pumps or trainers for the day for a £1 donation.

The money raised will be split between the Littlestone Lifeboat Station and training young people in lifesaving skills, enabling us to carry on Samuel Plimsoll's tradition of saving lives at sea.



Monday 10 February 2020

**PUT ON YOUR PLIMSOLLS**  
and save lives at sea

For just **£1**, you can wear your plimsolls, pumps or trainers to school all day!

Stand proud and support your local folkstone hero, Samuel Plimsoll.

**FUN FACT**  
Samuel Plimsoll was a 19th century sea captain who made the world safer by inventing the mark on the side of ships so that you could see they were not overloaded. This is the mark you see on the side of your favourite ship.

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## Scouts

St George's Beavers and Cubs

**Beavers:**  
Tuesdays 4.15 - 5:30pm. All children aged 6-8 years welcome!

**Cubs:**  
Tuesdays 5.45 - 7.15pm. All children aged 8-11 welcome!

**Contact:**  
Cindy (Beavers) 07813 275041  
Sam (Cubs) 07412 365524 or pop in to St George's Church, Audley Road and have a chat!

## GYMNASTICS CLUB



Venture Sports run a Gymnastics club after school on Mondays 3.15 - 4.30pm. It is open to all year groups. Please contact Venture Sports on 07548294804 to book a place for your child.

### Football - Sandgate V Churchill - Week 2

This week saw our football teams face Churchill again in a friendly match but this time at home.

On Tuesday Years 5 and 6 won 5-0

On Wednesday Years 3 and 4 won 7-3.

Well done to both teams and thank you to Harry and spectators for their support, and also to Mr Turner for refereeing both matches.

Children participating in Football clubs MUST be wearing FOOTBALL boots and not their PE trainers/plimsolls. This is for both health and safety reasons and to keep the mud out of the school!

### Stand Together Project

Well done to our Year 6 children for taking part in the recent 'Stand Together' project for Holocaust Memorial Day. The artwork, including drawings from the children will be on show at Eight Squared, 64 Old High Street, Folkestone from Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January until Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February. Opening times will be 11am - 4pm each day.



## Gold Book

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

### STAR CLASSES FOR ATTENDANCE

The classes awarded for the best attendance are:

**EYFS/Key Stage 1: Panthers**  
**Key Stage 2: Geckos & Eagles**

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

Bumblebees	96.0%	Butterflies	99.0%
Rabbits	96.0%	Owls	97.3%
Panthers	<b>100%</b>	Penguins	98.3%
Wolves	98.3%	Bears	98.7%
Seahorses	97.3%	Turtles	98.0%
Tigers	97.3%	Geckos	99.4%
Eagles	99.4%	Gorillas	98.1%

Alice B (Bumblebees)	Stanley M (Butterflies)
Luna G (Bumblebees)	Primrose L (Butterflies)
Ryan B (Rabbits)	Amelie S (Owls)
Keelan M (Rabbits)	Max T (Owls)
Teddy H (Panthers)	Jitesh S S (Penguins)
Sofia S (Panthers)	Katherine B (Penguins)
Noah M (Bears)	Ates Y (Wolves)
Sophie W (Bears)	Harmony S (Wolves)
Harry M (Turtles)	Aaron G (Seahorses)
Jacob D (Turtles)	Maycee P S (Seahorses)
Ebony M (Tigers)	Gemma E (Geckos)
Lorenzo H (Tigers)	Eva W (Geckos)
Mia W (Eagles)	Callum S (Gorillas)
Emmerson L (Eagles)	Arthur D (Gorillas)