



Sandgate Primary School

Everyone deserves the taste of success

Newsletter

Issue 25

Friday 21st March 2025

Monday 24th March	Tuesday 25th March	Wednesday 26th March	Thursday 27th March	Friday 28th March
<p>Ball Games, Yrs 1 & 2, 12.30pm-1.00pm</p> <p>Ball Games, Yrs 3 & 4, 1.00pm-1.30pm</p> <p>Drawing and Colouring Club, EYFS & KS1, 3.15pm-4.00pm</p> <p>Singing Club, EYFS & KS1, 3.15pm-4.00pm</p> <p>Homework Club, KS1 & KS2, 3.15pm-4.15pm</p> <p>Girls Football, Yrs 5 & 6, 1.00pm-1.30pm</p> <p>Gymnastics 3.15pm-4.15pm (Please contact: info@venturecamps.co.uk 07548 294804)</p>	<p>Karate 3.30pm-4.30pm (Please contact Sensei Trevor on 07966686377)</p>	<p>Rocksteady PM</p>	<p>Read, Write and Draw Club, EFYS & KS1, 12.15pm-1.00pm</p> <p>Ball Games, Yrs 5 & 6, 1.00pm-1.30pm</p> <p>Lego Club, EYFS & KS1, 3.15pm-4.00pm</p> <p>African Drumming Club, KS1 and KS2, 3.15pm-4.15pm</p> <p>Invite Only Football, 3.15pm-4.15pm</p> <p>Dance Club 3.15pm-4.00pm. Year 1—Year 6 (Please contact Charley on 07772 637271) <i>If there is someone else collecting your child from Dance Club, please inform Charley directly.</i></p>	



Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 26th March: Rocksteady concert for Parents of Rocksteady children.

Wednesday 2nd April: Easter Art Attack.

Friday 4th April: SEND Coffee Morning.

Friday 4th April: End of Term 4.

Monday 21st April: Bank holiday, Easter Monday

Tuesday 22nd April: Start of Term 5.

Monday 28th April: PTA Meeting, 7.30pm

Thursday 1st May: Year 2 Trip to Leeds Castle.



Gold Book

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

Chloe	Bumblebees	Henry	Seahorses
Celeste	Bumblebees	Blaine	Seahorses
Oscar	Bumblebees	Jack	Seahorses
Reggie	Ladybirds	Luke	Turtles
Ella	Ladybirds	Rafe	Turtles
Salwar	Owls	James	Turtles
Jack	Owls	Evelyn	Rhinos
Hattie	Rabbits	Thomas	Rhinos
Austin	Rabbits	Oliver	Hippos
Zimuzo	Penguins	Kyson	Hippos
Jude	Penguins	Harlow	Hippos
Cassie	Panthers	Michaela	Gorillas
Fryderyk	Panthers	Rose	Gorillas
Rainer	Bears	Jake	Gorillas
Scarlett	Bears	Freddie	Eagles
Millie	Bears	Keelan	Eagles
Ariana	Lions	Charlie	Eagles
Enzo	Lions		

Sandgate's SEND Coffee Morning

Friday 4th April @ 8:45am

Community Room

Parents/carers are welcome to attend a SEND Coffee Morning – this is a great opportunity to meet with other parents/carers to share experiences, gain emotional and practical support and be sign-posted to supportive organisations.

Rachel Shoob, SENDCO, and Wendy Hill, FLO, will be hosting the coffee morning and will be joined by Claire Garrett from Specialist Teaching and Learning Services.



Parent Rewards App at Asda. The PTA have now received £244.51. Thank you to all our Parents who have signed up.



The PTA have raised £84 from the second hand uniform sale. Thank you

KCC Job Vacancy Road Crossing Patrol at Sandgate Primary School

If you know anyone who would like to apply for the role of Road Crossing Patrol the details can be located on the KCC Jobs website and can be found via the link below:

<https://recruitmenthub.solutions/members/modules/job/detail.php?record=12181>



Please ask, even if your child is of infant school age.

Free School meals

Do you receive any of the following?

- Income support
- Employment Support Allowance (Income Related)
- Income based Job Seekers Allowance
- Guaranteed Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit and your income (as calculated by the Inland Revenue) is less than £16,190
- Universal Credit
- Receiving support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act of 1999
- In the Armed Forces

If you can answer yes to any of the above you may qualify for free school meals/Pupil Premium

Want to apply? Not sure? Ask at the office

The school office will help with your application. If your application is successful not only will your child receive free school meals, but our school will receive £1,300 additional funding (per child). This is called Pupil Premium.

All applications are confidential.

To see if you are eligible, complete this very short application: <https://apply.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/kent>



Safeguarding Snapshot

Top Tips for Parents

Each week we will send home a snapshot of safeguarding information to help keep your child safe.



All About Minecraft
Minecraft has a PEGI age rating of 7+.

What safety features are available on Minecraft?

Switch off chat when playing multi-player

You can switch off the chat function to stop your child from communicating with others. To do this select 'Options' and then 'Multiplayer settings'. Then choose 'Chat settings' and select 'Chat Hidden.' This setting has been enabled if it highlights blue.

Manage multi-player mode

Help manage who can access their own builds by disabling multi-player mode. To do this go to 'Edit my world' and select 'Multiplayer settings'. Click the slider next to 'Multiplayer game' to prevent other players from accessing their build.

Enable profanity filter

When enabled, this feature helps to stop your child seeing inappropriate language in public servers. To access this, go to 'My account' and select 'Java Realms Profanity Filter'. The filter is on if the toggle is green. On children's accounts this is set up by default and can't be switched off.



Easter Egg Decorating Competition

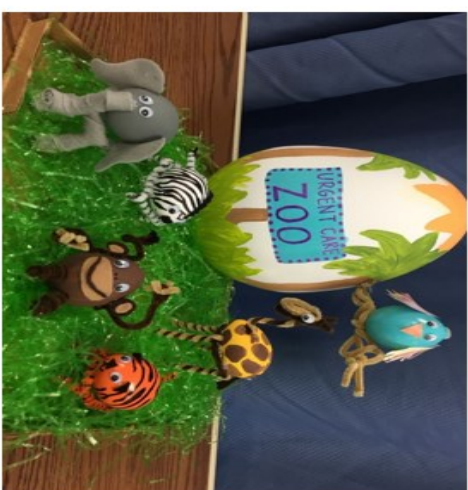
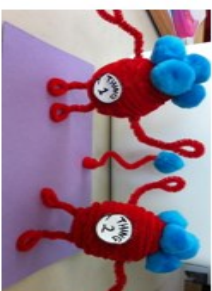


All children are invited to take part in an egg decorating competition on Friday 4th April (last day of term).

If your child wishes to take part, please send entries to class on the morning of Friday 4th April

There will be a winner and a runner up for each class and these will be announced and celebrated in Gold Book Assembly on the last day of term. Be as creative as you can!

What an egg-citing day it will be!



DELICIOUS DESSERTS FOR EASTER!

EASTER TREATS

MONDAY 31ST MARCH

Bunny's Delight Carrot Cake with Cream Frosting

TUESDAY 1ST APRIL

White Chocolate & Goey Marshmallow Rice Krispie Cake

WEDNESDAY 2ND APRIL

Sugar Dusted Shortbread Cookie

THURSDAY 3RD APRIL

Hopping Bouncing Banana Vanilla Rolls

FRIDAY 4TH APRIL

Springy Squidgy Lemon & Orange Sponge

Available Every Day: Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt or Jelly



SANDGATE PTA PRESENTS



Grab your friends & get ready for a fantastic evening of bingo! Your ticket includes 10 games + a bonus round & there'll be a raffle. Tickets are available on Eduspot or Cash on the door – eyes down looking!

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**SATURDAY
10TH MAY**

**07.00–10.00 PM
BYOB AND SNACKS**

**£10
TICKET**

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SEND Services

We provide free, positive and proactive advice, support and information to parents and carers of children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities.



For more information, please contact Kirsten Terry, 01797 367455, option 3.
Email: kirsten@lighthouseonthemarsh.org