



NEWSLETTER

LAMBERHURST ST MARY'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWS

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HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Ruby Class (Yr R)-George

Collins

Emerald Class (Yr 1)-Daisy

Worster

Topaz Class- (Yr 2)-The

Whole Class!

Amber Class- (Yr 3)-Sophie

Bateup

Sapphire Class- (Yr 4)-Toby

Chapman

Garnet Class-(Yr 5)-James

Bateup

Diamond Class-(Yr 6)-Poppy

Davis

'Oscar'-Seth Greatrex

Best Manners Award-Bay

Alkins & Daisy Clinch

AMAZING HOCKEY TEAM!

Congratulations to Coach Mills and our amazing LSM Hockey Team who took 2nd place in the area tournament this week.

The team were amazing against Headcorn 'A' Team in a nail biting final.



Congratulations to Emilia, Ciara, Oscar, Seth, Joshua, Ella and Thomas

COVID-19

The school is following official Public Health and government guidance and ask that parents and families follow this guidance too which can be found online at: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-people-with-confirmed-or-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection>

TOKYO 2020

Everyone is still hoping that the Olympic Games are able to go ahead in Tokyo in the summer.

To get everyone in the Olympic spirit we have set up each class for the 'Get Set Travel to Tokyo' website.

Each year group has a Tokyo Olympics name as follows: Rapid Rubies, Energetic Emeralds, Terrific Topaz, Agile Ambers, Super Sapphires, Great Garnets and Dynamic Diamonds. Children and parents can log in from home to record their activity.

The idea is to use take the challenge and use the inspiration of the Tokyo 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games to help children, families and schools to try new things, get active together and have fun. Log in at <https://www.getset.co.uk/travel-tokyo>

- Scroll down the page 'Log Activities'.
- Put in the school postcode TN3 8EJ to find our school.
- Select your class from the list.
- Log your activity.

YEAR 4 MULTIPLICATION

TABLES CHECK

In June this year, all Year 4 pupils nationwide will take the Statutory Multiplication Tables Check. This is to determine whether pupils can recall fluently their Times Tables up to 12.

The test is completed online as 25 questions with 3 practice questions, with 6 seconds for each question, a total of about 5 minutes.

An information booklet has been prepared by the government for parents and we are sending it to all parents via ParentMail for information.

EASTER SPORTS CLUBS

Premier Education will be running sports and dance based holiday activities this Easter, for children of all abilities aged 4-12 with action packed days consisting of fun games and sports. There will also be dance specific courses running at select venues. Venues are: The Weald Sports Centre, Cranbrook, Putlands Sports Centre, Paddock Wood, West Borough Primary School, Maidstone & Cage Green Primary School, Tonbridge

Standard days run from 9am-3.30pm and are £16 per child per day. Extended days run from 8:30am-5:00pm and are £20 per child per day. Save 25% off any Easter booking by using code EASTER/BT at checkout. To book your child's space, visit www.premier-education.com

THANKYOU CHARLIE & GEORGIA

We would like to say a huge 'Thank you' to Charlie and Georgia our lovely cleaners who were instrumental in preventing a serious flood of water into the school building during last week's rain deluge. The girls with the help of Georgia's uncle (Thank you Uncle Chris too!), sourced and collected sandbags for the school with seconds to spare before water breached the doors. A big 'Thank you' also to parents who arrived promptly and assisted us in dismissing the whole school at the end of the day via the hall and front doors.

INCLUSIVE ARTS FESTIVAL



'This Is Us' are producing and co-ordinating the areas first inclusive arts festival, supported by Arts Council England. This event has been years in the making. The 'Be You Festival' will be coming to West Kent College on Monday 25th May 10.30am - 4.30pm. Tickets are available via their website www.thisisusdance.co.uk/beyou The event will include sensory zones, art, music and dance workshops, performances by professional and community companies and so much more. This is a day to celebrate what it is to 'BE YOU!'

HAPPY BAGS

Thank you to everyone who filled Happy Bags with unwanted clothes, shoes and bags. We raised £240. The next collection will be at the end of the summer term.

WORLD BOOK DAY

We all really enjoyed our Book Day activities last week and the 'Reading Restaurants' went down very well with lovely bright check table cloths and yummy biscuits.



'Tristan has to hold onto his Reading Restaurant biscuits as they just won't let him stop reading!'



'I love it when Rufus reads with me'



'Owl Babies-everyone's favourite😊'



'Read faster Evie we want to read them all by home time!'

GO APE WRITING COMPETITION

Go-Ape at Bedgebury Forest have launched a Writing Competition for children aged 4-12yrs. The adventure stories competition has two age categories where children can enter an adventure story or drawing to win a chance to bring their whole class to Go Ape, plus many more prizes.

The competition is returning for its fourth year, they are encouraging all young adventurers to get creative. They love seeing families come alive when they visit throughout the year so want you to show them what adventure means to you. There are some tips available at:

<https://goape.co.uk/groups/schools/adventure-stories>

CLASS PHOTOGRAPHS

Class Photographs will take place on Friday 27th March. Please ensure that all pupils wear smart school uniform with hair in line with school policy.

ST PATRICK'S DAY

St Patrick's Day falls on a school day next Tuesday 17th March. Pupils may wear Guiding and Scouting association uniforms to school on this day, including Beaver's and Rainbow's.

Today you will also receive via ParentMail:

Every Family ~ Travel to Tokyo Home Flyer, Times Tables Information Booklet, Teach Kent & Sussex Information Flyer

Today you will also receive in school bags:

Every Pupil ~ Premier Easter Holiday Camp Flyer
Year 6 ~ Safety In Action Letter
Year 4 & 5 ~ Summer Term Swimming Lessons Letter

SCHOOL DATES 2019/20

Tuesday	25 th February	Start of Term 4
Tuesday	17 th March	Year 5 Uplands, Science Lessons
Tuesday	17 th March	St Patrick's Day -All Guiding and Scouting uniforms can be worn
Wednesday	18 th March	*Postponed -Year 1 Class Assembly 9.05 am
Wednesday	18 th March - 1 st April	Year 2 Forest School
Friday	20 th March	Mothering Sunday Breakfast 8.00 - 8.45am (pre-booked only)
Tuesday	24 th March	Year 5 & Year 6 Life in Ancient Greece Day
Wednesday	25 th March	Year R Class Assembly 9.05 am
Thursday	26 th March	PTA Easter Disco 4.30pm - 6.00pm
Friday	27 th March	Class Photographs
Friday	27 th March	PTA 2 nd -Hand Uniform Sale - At drop-off and at pick-up
Tuesday	31 st March	Easter Service - St Mary's Church 9.30am
Wednesday	1 st April	End of Term 4 -3.20pm or after clubs

Monday	20 th April	Start of Term 5
Tuesday	21 st April-5 th May	Year 5 Uplands, Science Lessons (am)
Tuesday	21 st April - 7 th July	Year 4 & 5 Swimming Lessons (pm)
Wednesday	22 nd April -6 th May	Year 3 Forest School
Thursday	23 rd April	Year 6 'Safety in Action ' trip
Friday	24 th April	PTA 2 nd -Hand Uniform Sale - At drop-off and at pick-up
Thursday	7 th May	VE Day Celebrations, Picnic lunch and dress up day
Friday	8 th May	Bank Holiday - School Closed
Wednesday	13 th May -3 rd Jun	Year 4 Forest School
Thursday	21 st May	PTA Film Night
Friday	22 nd May	PTA Dress Down Day - Bottles for Fete End of Term 5 -3.20pm or after clubs