



NEWSLETTER

LAMBERHURST ST MARY'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWS

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HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Ruby Class (Yr R)- Scarlett Anderson
Emerald Class (Yr 1)-Ptolemy Coates
Topaz Class- (Yr 2)-Mia Osborne
Amber Class- (Yr 3)-Khloe Brennan
Sapphire Class- (Yr 4)-Ellen Gilbert
Garnet Class-(Yr 5)-Flo Hunt
Diamond Class-(Yr 6)-Noah Birch

'Oscar'- Gigi Allkins & Henry Mills

Best Manners Award- Esther Hurdwell & James Cowan

HALF TERM BREAK

Have a happy, safe and restful half term break. Pupils return to school on:

TUESDAY 29th OCTOBER

All school clubs will run as usual. Pupils should return to school in winter uniforms. Summer uniform may be worn again from after Easter Break 2020.

THE BIG SCHOOL QUIZ

Quiz night is back! Friday 1st November, 7:30 - 10:30pm, Quiz starts at 8pm. Tickets are £10 and include a drink on arrival & a mezze platter. Plus there'll be a fully licensed bar to keep your brains ticking over! You can either enter individually and we'll put you in a team, or enter as a team of 6. Buy your tickets online:

<https://www.jumblebee.co.uk/bigschoolquiznight2019>

HARVEST THANKS

We had a lovely message last week after our Harvest Service from The Community Storehouse, to thank you all for your wonderful and generous harvest gifts: *Hello to all at St. Mary's. We would like to say a big 'thank you' to all at St. Mary's (Church & School) in Lamberhurst, who donated food to the harvest celebration you recently had at church.*

Your magnificent array of all sorts of food tins and packets arrived safely at The Community storehouse on Tuesday. You collected a total of 80 Kgs, which is currently being sorted and put onto our shelves, ready for our clients to have when they visit us.

We are very blessed by our local community, of which you are part, to receive such an abundance of food at this harvest season. Our shelves had become quite depleted over the summer months, but now we are rejoicing that the 'harvest is in'!

May we encourage you all to look, from time to time, at our website and facebook page, which is regularly updated with on-going information about what we do at The Community Storehouse.

Once again, Thanks to you all kind regards

Gill Lloyd - Trustee

enquiries@communitystorehouse.co.uk

NEW SEWING CLUBS

We are very excited that our brand new after school sewing clubs are starting after half term!

Senior Sewing Club for Y3-Y6 will be every Wednesday 3:20-4:30 (30th Oct - 11th Dec). The cost to include all materials: £56 for the 7 week term. This club will take place in the special 'Craft'd bus' which is fully kitted out with 8 sewing machines! The children will learn how to use a sewing machine correctly and safely, before moving onto a series of projects that will continue to improve and expand their skills. Starting with a simple bookmark, before moving onto clothing projects, such as a bag, skirt/pair of shorts and finally pyjamas! Junior Sewing Club which is open to all year groups will be every Monday 3:20-3:30 (4th Nov - 9th Dec)

The cost to include all materials: £42 for the 7 week term. Junior Club will be in Room 6 and will be an introduction to hand sewing! We will begin by teaching the children the basics of hand sewing (threading a needle, different types of stitches, cutting and pinning fabric etc), before moving onto some exciting projects including: bookmarks, plushie toys, purses/wallets and Christmas decorations

BOOKING AND PAYMENT:

www.craftdstudios.com

www.facebook.com/craftdstudios

WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY



Thank you so much to everyone who supported our World Mental Health Day activities. Our dress in yellow day and cake sale raised an amazing £371.80 for the charity MIND. The children have also, been taking part in MH awareness work at school too.



TWGGS OPEN DAYS

Tunbridge Wells Girls' Grammar School would like to warmly welcome all prospective parents and their daughters to our Open Events for entry September 2020. No booking required.

Year 6 Open Morning

Mon 28th Oct 11am-12:30 pm

Mrs Linda Wybar, Headteacher speaks at 12 noon on both dates.

TWGGS would like to draw your attention to the fact that the area that we give priority to in the admissions criteria area has now been extended from Sept 2020 onwards. For details, please refer to the admissions arrangements on the TWGGS website.

Please note, there is no parking on the school site; please do not drive down Southfield Road, but park in the surrounding area.

ECO MONITORS

Thank you for the material sent in so far for our Eco Club who are working on their 'beeswax wrap' project. We do need more material! Eco Club is also working towards earning a Green Flag for our school and as part of this initiative, every class in the school will be involved in an Environmental Review to identify what we are doing well and where we can make improvements.

The review will be considering, Biodiversity, Energy, Global Citizenship, Healthy Living, Litter, Marine Life, School Grounds, , Waste and Water.

To do this the Eco Leaders need the help of two pupils from each class to act as Eco Monitors and we are very pleased to announce the nominated children:

Y1 - William & Minnie

Y2 - Leo & Henry

Y3 - Bea, Tabitha & Alice

Y4 - Daisy, Willow & Charlie

Y5 - Poppy, Lily & Grace

Y6 - Noah & Lola

OPEN DAY TWGGS

Tunbridge Wells Grammar School for Boys Open Morning is on Tues 29th Oct, 10am - 12pm.

Headteacher talk at 10am.

Booking is essential for this event via the following link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/open-morning-for-prospective-year-7-pupils-2020-tickets-75820371773>

HAPPY SCHOOL BAGS

Please have a good sort out over half term break and send in your unwanted clothes, shoes, belts & bags for our 'Happy School Bag' Collection. (no uniforms thank you) Filled 'Happy Bags', can be brought into school straight after the break but no later than the end of the school day on Friday 15th Nov. Spare plastic bags are available, from the school office however, donations can be packed into any bag.

FREE HOLIDAY FUN

The Tunbridge Wells Museum is inviting children & their families to come and explore the history of Ancient Egypt this half term at Discovery Days. There will be fun craft for children to try and artefacts to handle.

The event will take place in the Camden Centre on the 22nd, 23rd & 24th October with a morning and afternoon session (10:30-12:30, 2:00-4:00). No booking is needed.

CHILD FLU VACCINE

Please see the link below to the 'Sharegoodtimesnotflu' website, which has useful information around the flu vaccine including a 2 minute video on how the vaccine works.

<https://sharegoodtimesnotflu.co.uk/>

This information has been provided by the School Immunisation Service, Kent Community Health, NHS Foundation Trust, Trinity House, 110 - 120 Upper Pemberton Eureka Park, Ashford Kent TN25 4AZ
www.kentcht.nhs.uk

Today you will also receive in school bags:

Every Pupil ~ PTA Newsletter

Today you will also receive via ParentMail:

Every Family ~ St Mary's 'The 4 O'clock Gathering' Flyer
Every Family ~ School Calendar Dates 2020/2021
Every Family ~ PTA Newsletter

SCHOOL DATES 2019/20

Friday	18 th October	End of Term 1
Monday	28 th October	Inset Day Christmas Card Online Order Deadline
Tuesday	29 th October	Start of Term 2 Return to School Deadline -Christmas Card Artwork for Ordered items
Tuesday	29 th October-3 rd December	Years 4, 5 & 6 Swimming Lessons
Wednesday	30 th October	NHS Height & Weight Programme Year R & Year 6
Wednesday	30 th October	Year R Pizza Express Outing Drop Off Pizza Express Tunbridge Wells 9.30am Pick up Pizza Express 10.45am
Wednesday	30 th October-13 th November	Year 3 Forest School
Friday	1 st November	PTA Quiz Night 7.30pm-10.30pm
Sunday	17 th November	PTA Welly Walk -10am at the Vineyard
Monday	18 th November	Happy Bag Collection -9.00am
Wednesday	20 th November-4 th December	Year 4 Forest School
Friday	6 th December	PTA Christmas Jumper Day
Wednesday	11 th December	Christmas Performance 2pm
Thursday	12 th December	Christmas Performance 2pm
Friday	13 th December	Christmas Performance 2pm
Monday	16 th December	PTA Childrens' Christmas Market
Wednesday	18 th December	Class Parties
Thursday	19 th December	NHS Flu Vaccination Programme Year R-Year 6
Friday	20 th December	9.30am Christmas Church Service Christmas Lunch for Staff, Governors and Pupils End of Term - 2pm