



NEWSLETTER

LAMBERHURST ST MARY'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWS

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HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Ruby Class (Yr R)-Rory

Edwards

Emerald Class (Yr 1)-Xavier

Owens

Topaz Class- (Yr 2)-Ruben

Srinivasan

Amber Class- (Yr 3)-David

Brown

Sapphire Class- (Yr 4)-Tom

Hill

Garnet Class-(Yr 5)-Claudia

Hungerford

Diamond Class-(Yr 6)-Sam

McDonald

'Oscar'- Oliver Chestnutt

Best Manners Award-Poppy

Davis & Elvie Anson

IMPORTANT NEWS FROM THE PTA

The summer term is a busy one for the PTA with our largest fundraiser of the year; the summer fete which takes place on Saturday 22nd June 11am-3pm. On the run up to the day, we have another couple of dress down days giving you the opportunity to donate items for our stalls. We are also collecting other items for stalls as detailed below and we need helpers!

DRESS DOWN DAYS

Friday 14th June - Items for the jam jar tombola:

Ideas include traditional sweets, truffles, homemade jams and chutneys, craft items, bath salts, bath bombs...

Friday 21st June - Plants and homemade cakes

CHILDREN'S BOOKS AND SOFT TOYS

From Mon 17th June we will also be collecting children's books and soft toys. Please ensure they are in excellent condition and that soft toys are clean and smelling lovely and fresh. There will be a box in reception to collect items.

HELP WITH STALLS

The more we have helping on the day the easier this makes the day for our PTA and class reps. If you plan on coming to the fete, why not give a minimum of 30 minutes of your time to cover a stall or at the end of the day to help put things away. We need volunteers from 10.30am to 4pm. It's good fun and we always find that the children like to help too. 30 minutes is not very long giving plenty of time for you to enjoy the afternoon too. Please contact your class rep if you can help.

SECOND HAND UNIFORM

We would like to thank Karen Pendlebury for managing our second hand uniform sales for the past two years. Karen needs to hand this over to someone else to manage from September. The role involves regularly collecting the uniform from the school office reception area, sorting into types and sizes and then running a sale once every half term at drop off and pick-up. Please email: lamberhurstpta@gmail.com to get in touch with Karen. Karen's last sale will take place on Wed 3rd July and would be a good opportunity for her to show someone new the ropes!

LAMBERHURST TALENT

We are always so proud when parents inform us about the incredible talent and achievements of our pupils in out of school activities. These range from sporting prowess, musical talent to amazing charity efforts.

FINLEY LITTLE



Finley Little in Year 5 is one of our latest rising stars. He has taken part in 6 weeks of gruelling trials alongside the very best footballers in our county and has been selected to be part of the 2019/20 West Kent District Team. Well done Finley!

FLO HUNT



Flo Hunt in Year 4, another rising star, has been selected to attend trials for Brighton and Hove football club under 10s.

Flo is a very accomplished footballer and she has played at a high level for several years.

PTA RAFFLE TICKETS

Every family will receive 1 book of 5 raffle tickets in school bags today and another book next Friday, to sell for the PTA Summer Fete.

When you have sold your books of tickets please put the ticket stubs and the money into an envelope marked PTA and hand in at the school office, where there will be more books to collect if you want to sell more. Please ensure that you write name and class on the stub of each ticket you sell, so we can tally up the numbers of tickets sold. We have some fabulous prizes again this year, so please sell as many tickets as you can! There are some seriously brilliant prizes to be won this year...as a taster here are some of them...

- The Small Holding - Farm and Forage package for 2 worth £290
- Coffee and Pastries on arrival , trip to farm and woods to forage followed by a glass of bubbles and half an acre menu
- Lamberhurst Golf Club - Adult 4 ball
- Lamberhurst Golf Club - 1 child lesson
- Risebridge - Cross Fit Kent - 28 DAY 'SUMMER SHAPE UP CHALLENGE' AT CROSSFIT KENT & SUSSEX: WORTH £97.00
- Cocoablaze - Sheep Wash Farm Ticehurst - Signature Treatment for one
- A tonne of logs from David Dands
- Rye Jazz and Blues Festival - Rumer Tickets, Saturday 24th August 3pm x 2
- Bodiam Boating Station and Lime Wharf Café - £50 voucher
- Quench Cycle - 2-hour family cycle (2 adult standard bikes & 2 children's bikes) at Quench Cycles, Bedgebury

NEW TECH CLUB

We have been in discussion with a company called 'Nexttthing Education' who run Tech Clubs in schools.

The clubs use Macbooks, Ipads, Robotics, 3D printers and other technology all provided by Nexttthing Education.

Such technology overheads mean that each weekly club costs £10 and we would like to see if there is any interest from pupils in Y3-Y6 from September.

The club would run after school from 3.20-4.30pm on a day to be agreed.

On Wednesday 12th June, representatives from the company will be presenting at our morning assembly at 9.05am and parents are very welcome to attend to find out about the club and the company.

PRAYER DAY



Just before half term break, The Family Trust ran a 'Prayer Day' here at school for Year3, 4, 5 & 6.

Each class spent 40 minutes in the hall at each of the stations, which had been creatively designed, to give the children a different experience of prayer and a time of peaceful reflection,....something that is so often difficult to achieve in our busy lives.



FANTASTIC FRED DAY

At the end of last term, every class had the opportunity to visit the 'Fantastic Fred Experience', which has been designed to help support good mental health awareness for children.

A handy leaflet is being sent home for every family with this week's newsletter and the children have been given a 'Fantastic Fred' wristband.

WHEN THE OAK SPOKE

Before half term, 13 pupils from Year 5 were asked to represent the school at a special Art Day at Uplands Academy, Wadhurst with pupils from the school and visual artist Beccy McCray.

We would like to thank Mrs Green and also Sue Baker (mum to Brandon) who accompanied the group and assisted the artist.

'When the oak spoke' is a socially engaged art commission for Wadhurst Culture, a community arts charity. The year long project is inspired by folklore, aims to build a sense of stewardship for this important symbol and explores the interconnectedness of living all things.

The artwork will be celebrated in a live art intervention- 'Midsummer tree party' on 22nd June at Jardin D'aubers outside Wadhurst Fire station. Everyone is welcome and the project can be followed at:

www.facebook.com/wadhurst.culture

Today you will receive via

ParentMail:

Year 5 ~ PESE 11+ Leaflet

Today you will receive in bags:

Every Family ~ 1 PTA Raffle booklet

Every Family ~ Fantastic Fred Information Leaflet

Every Family ~ Premier

Football Summer Camps Flyer

Year 4~ Pizza Express trip Letter

Every Pupil ~ Fantastic Fred

Wristband

SCHOOL DATES 2018/19

Monday	3 rd June	Start Term 6
Monday	10 th June	Year 1 Forest School
Tuesday	11 th June -9 th July	Swimming Y4 & Y5
Wednesday	12 th June & 19 th June	Year 2 Forest School
Friday	14 th June	PTA Dress Down Day - Jars for Fete
Friday	14 th June	Father's Day Breakfast 8.00-8.45am
Tuesday	18 th June	Year 5 High Weald Academy Taster Day 9.15-1.00pm
Friday	21 st June	PTA Dress Down Day - Cakes and Plants for Fete
Saturday	22 nd June	School Summer Fete 11-3pm
Monday	24 th June-26 th June	Year 6 Bowles Residential Trip
Monday	24 th June	Year 1 & 2 Castle Day
Tuesday	25 th June - 10 th July	Year 2 Forest School
Wednesday	26 th June	Year 5 Bethany School - Beauty and the Beast
Friday	28 th June	Year 3 & 4 Outing Canterbury Museum
Friday	28 th June	Year 6 Kent Police Day
Wednesday	3 rd July	PTA Second Hand Uniform Sale - Drop Off & Pick Up *Revised date
Wednesday	3 rd July	Year 4 Pizza Express visit Drop off at 9.25am
Friday	5 th July	Open School Day
Monday	8 th July	Parent Consultations 2.30-5.00pm
Tuesday	9 th July	Parent Consultations 8-9.20am
Wednesday	10 th July	Parent Consultations 8-9.20am
Thursday	11 th July	PTA Summer Disco 5pm
Monday	15 th July	Sports Day 9.30am
Tuesday	16 th July	Y3 & Y4 Salus Youth Workshops - Parent Presentation 10.00am
Wednesday	17 th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly & Lunch 10.00am
Thursday	18 th July	Annual School Hike
Friday	19 th July	Year 6 Farewell 1.15pm End of Term -2 pm