

St Margaret's C.E.P. School

Newsletter

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Learning as we grow, Growing as we learn, Rooted in Jesus

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Welcome back as we start term 5.

I do hope everyone had a lovely Easter break enjoying those occasional warmer days which were interspersed with some less than spring like days!

Swimming

Well done to the children listed below who achieved the following badges just before the holiday:

5m—Annabelle W

10m—Lily T, Connor and Victoria

15m—Lucia, Zach, Lily B and Orla

50m - Albie, Robbie, Joseph and Ivy

100m—Olivia M and Arabella

200m—Sophie M, Oscar, Willow and Pippa

400m—Annabelle F and Brooke

600m—Joshua

800m—Teddy, Mason and Olivia O

Comic Relief/Toy Sale

Thank you for the donations towards Comic Relief. We raised just over £123. You may recall that later the same day, the School Council held their toy sale. Thank you so much for such generosity. They raised £105.90; a remarkable amount considering the sale lasted just 20 minutes!

Diary for terms 5 and 6

Tues 16th Year R places for 2024 sent via e-mail

Mon 22nd Class photos. Discovery & Bramley Classes to arrive in their school uniform and bring PE kit to change into.

Clubs start

Fri 26th From 4pm, group of re-

order players representing the school at the Gravesend Recorder Festival

Tues 30th Family Trust worship

Wed 1st May 3.15pm Parent's Meeting for Year 6 involved in the PGL residential

Thurs 2nd School being used as a polling station for local elections. School open as usual.

Fri 3rd Pippin Class trip to the Brogdale Collections

Mon 6th Bank Holiday—school shut

Tues 7th Russet Class trip to Bedbury Pinetum

Thurs 9th Football match here against Yalding

Fri 10th FOCSS Fizz & Quiz Evening

From Monday 13th to Thurs 16th Year 6 SATS.

Wed 15th 7pm Meeting for parents of Year 4 and 5 re secondary school transfer and PESE. A separate letter has been issued.

Fri 17th Science Day. Activities taking place across all 4 classes and a visit from Medway Fun Science UK

Mon 20th Year 5 Spoken English competition being judged

Wed 22nd—Fri 24th Year 6 residential. Bikeability for Year 5.

Fri 24th End of term 5

Mon 27th—Fri 31st Holiday

Mon 3rd June Staff Development Day—school shut. Registration for 11+ tests in September opens

Tues 4th Children return for term 6

Wed 5th Year R vision and hearing tests

Tues 11th Year 1 phonics check. Year 6 to Safety in Action

Fri 14th Hotshotz tennis for each class

Fri 21st Dogs Trust workshops for each class

Sat 22nd 12.00pm Pet Show

Tues 25th 10.00am Coffee Morning for new Year R parents

Mon 1st July 11+ registration closes. 9.00 Year R (Sep 24 start) in

Wed 3rd July—Sports Day starting at 1.30pm (Reserve Fri 5th)

Fri 5th Clubs finish

Tues 9th/Wed 10th 1.00pm New Year R in

Fri 12th Staff Development Day—school shut

Tues 16th 3.15pm Informal Open Afternoon

Wed 17th 2.00pm Discovery Class performance

Thurs 18th 7.00pm Discovery Class performance

Sat 20th FOCSS Camp Out

Tues 23rd July End of academic year including the church service

Acceptable use of Technology—Return of the signed agreement form

You may recall that as part of the parent/teacher consultations back in term 4, we issued a new acceptable use policy and agreement. We have had a large number returned to us but a few remain outstanding. Please could you return them or if you require a new copy, please come to the office. Thank you.

Have a good week.