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Good Afternoon



Well, the Easter Holidays are about to begin, two weeks of fun with your loved ones and hopefully too much chocolate. It has been a great term with lots of exciting events and activities and I think everyone is ready for a break.

Remember clubs change again after the holiday – so if you wish your child to attend clubs next term you will need to re-apply.

All the photos of the Y6 residential have now been uploaded to the school website. Have a look at all the exciting activities they were able to try.

The new summer school dinner menu starts after the holiday, a copy is attached to this newsletter.

Speech Therapists are seeking views of parents/carers with schoolaged children about speech, language and communication.

As part of the Balanced System® work in Kent to improve the way we work together to support speech, language and communication, we are inviting parents to share their views here https://forms.office.com/e/ZKpgYUMWQA
We want to know what is helpful for families and how speech, language and communication needs are currently being supported in schools. This will enable us to better understand if changes being made are starting to have an impact. We will share the themes from this in the next SEND newsletter. (Sign up to receive the newsletter here).

Applications for the new Headteacher post closed on Monday and Governors shortlisted this afternoon. Interviews are to be held on 25th and 26th April.

Have a very Happy Easter and we will see the children back at school on Monday 15th April.

Headteacher

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Dates for Your Diary	
Yellow highlights - change of information /date 2023-24	
15 th April	First day of term 5 for pupils
15 th April	Rota Kids
19 th April	Y3/4 trip to Kew Gardens
26 th April	Mrs Wiles Class Worship
26 th April	Friends Rock and Roll Bingo
29 th April - 3 rd May	Folkestone School for Girls Open Mornings
6 th May	Bank Holiday
8 th May	Y4 Church Morning
13 th - 16 th May	KS2 SATs
22 nd May	Hythe Bay's Got Talent
23 rd May	Y5 PESE meeting for parents (to discuss secondary transfer)
24 th May	Last day of term 5 for pupils
3 rd June	First day of term 6 for pupils
12 th June	Y5 Church Day
10 th June	Friends Father's Day Shop
10 th to 14 th June	Y1/Y2 Phonics Check
26 th June	Sports Day
27 th June	Alternative Sports Day in case of rain!
28 th June	Mrs Apps / Mrs Hughes class worship
4 th July	Slip through day – meet your new teacher
5 th July	Mrs Whitham Class Worship
5 th July	Friends Summer Party
9 th and 10 th July	Y6 Production
12 th July	End of Year Reports to parents
12 th July	YR Class Worship
15 th July	Open Afternoon
July	YR Graduation
19 th July	Leavers Service – 10am St Leonards
19 th July	Last day of term 6 for pupils
22 nd July and 23 rd July	Staff non-contact days

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