

"We should love people not only with words and talk but by actions and true caring."

1 John 3: 18



HYTHE BAY
Church of England
Primary School and
Children's Centre

24th March 2023

Newsletter 25

Good Afternoon

Easter Raffles

As usual we will be drawing the children's Easter Egg Raffle on the last day of term. Tickets are with class teachers and will be available for 20p. This year we also have a beautiful Adult Easter Hamper to raffle. Tickets are 50p and available from the school office.

Y6 Residential to Windmill Hill Activity Centre

Y6 have just returned from Windmill Hill Activity Centre. They had a fantastic time trying out a range of activities including raft building, abseiling, climbing Jacob's Ladder, the giant swing, zip wire, archery and of course disco dancing. I visited the children on Wednesday night and everyone was having a great time, especially the teachers. I can't thank Sarah Cobb, Kerry LeCore Simpson, Karen Flaxton, Alex Donald, James Turner and Rebecca Prout enough for their hard work and their good humour – In true Hythe Bay style they have been working 24 hours a day for 5 days for no reward other than to give children a good time – certainly services beyond the call of duty! Have a look at the photographs on the school website and see what fun they all had.

Second Hand School Uniform Sale

We have loads of very nice, second hand uniform which has now been washed and ironed so on Thursday 30th March at 3pm we are planning a sale outside the main entrance to the office. Everyone welcome.

Governors Day in School

Governors will be all day on Tuesday, March 28th for their annual visit to see the school in action. There is a session for parents to meet and chat with Governors at 8.30am in the Training Room if you would like to come along.

Folkestone Junior Chess Club

Chess is enjoying a boom right now and Folkestone Junior Chess Club is expanding. They now also meet on Saturday afternoons. Please see their website for more details.

<https://folkestonejrchess.wixsite.com/juniors>

A new school lunch menu that starts after Easter is attached to this newsletter.

Have a good weekend

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Carolyn Chivers'.

Carolyn Chivers
Headteacher

Anchored by God, we strive to teach children to be confident, connected, and creative through outstanding teaching and care. We show our love, tolerance, forgiveness, and compassion, not just by talking about them but living them each day of our lives.

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2022-23 Dates for Your Diary
Yellow highlights – change of date / New Dates

28 th March	Governors in School for the Day
31 st March	Easter Service at St Leonard's Church- 10am
31 st March	Last day of term 4
17 th April	Start of term 5
18 th April	Herald Cup Boys v Palmarsh at Palmarsh
28 th April	Seashells Class Worship – 10.30am
28 th March	Herald Cup Boys v Lydd
28 th April	Friends Rock and Roll Bingo – 7.00pm
30 th April	Herald Cup Boys v Dymchurch
1 st May	Bank Holiday – School Closed
2 nd May to 26 th May	KS1 SATs Tests for Y2 children
5 th May	Sea Otters Class Worship – 10.30am
Monday 8 th May	Bank Holiday – King's Coronation – School Closed
9 th to 12 th May	KS2 SATs Tests for Y6 children
15 th May	Y4 Church Day
24 th May	Hythe Bay's Got Talent
26 th May	Last day of term 5
5 th June	Start of term 6
5 th to 23 rd June	Multiplication Checks for Y4
12 th – 16 th June	Phonics Check for Y1 and some Y2 children
12 th -15 th June 2023	Y6 Bikeability Training
16 th June	Friends Father's Day Shop
19 th June	Y5 Church Day
23 rd June	Puffins Class Worship – 10.30am
29 th June	Sports day
30 th June	Jellyfish Class Worship- 10.30am
7 th July	Reports to parents
7 th July	Pufferfish Class Worship 10.30am
7 th July	Year 6 Celebration Party
10 th July	Open Afternoon
11 th and 12 th July	Y6 Production
14 th July	Starfish Class Worship – 10.30am
14 th July	Friends Summer Party on the Playground
19 th July	Leavers Assembly
19 th July	Last day of term 6 for pupils
20 th and 21 st July	Staff non-contact days
1 st and 4 th September	Staff non-contact days
Tuesday 5 th September	First day of Term 1