Newsletter



Friday 17th May 2019

Key Dates 23rd May - Y5/6 parents to view topic work 20th-23rd May Y2 SATs 4th June Year 5 parents secondary transfer briefing at 5.30 14th June Years 1-6 Sports Day at Medway Park 19th June Year 1 trip to **Leeds Castle** 4th July FS and SEN sports day at school 11th July Summer Fair 17th July Y6 production to parents Term 5 Tuesday 23rd April until

Friday 24th May

Tuesday 4th June

Tuesday 23rd July

Term 6

Headline

Calling all Year 5 parents

The secondary admissions processes for September 2020 are about to begin.

The first stages of the process are information presentations and the registration for the Medway Test for entry to Medway grammar schools. There are a few keys dates to remember:

Medway Council Parent Presentations – Each venue has 2 sessions, at 4:30pm and 6:30pm

- Tuesday 4 June The Hundred of Hoo Academy
- □ Wednesday 5 June Chatham Grammar School for Girls
- ☐ Thursday 6 June Sir Joseph Williamson's Mathematical School

There is no need for parents to register their interest, just turn up on the day.

Children are welcome to attend with their parents if childcare cannot be arranged.

Registering for the Medway Test:

- Registration opens Monday 3June, 9am
- Registration closes Monday 1July, 5pm

Families can register online at www.medway.gov.uk/onlineadmissions.

If a paper registration is required, a form can be collected from Medway Council Offices at Gun Wharf, dock Road, Chatham, ME4 4TR

Special Arrangements for the Medway Test:

A special arrangement request cannot be submitted until the parent has registered their child for the Medway Test. All requests can only be submitted by the child's school. School Admissions and Transport cannot accept requests direct from parents Any request must be received from the school by School Admissions and Transport by **Monday 8 July**.

We are holding our own briefing for parents on Tuesday 4th June at 1800 in the school hall. We hope to see you there!

We will also arrange 1-1 appointments with you all to discuss your individual requirements. Watch this space!





Uniform

A navy blue jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan for Years 1 - 6. Royal blue for FS1 and FS2 (Nursery and reception). Navy, black or grey trousers, tailored shorts, skirt or dress/navy and white checked dress. A white or blue polo shirt, shirt or blouse. Flat plain black shoes or trainers (no heels or open toes). Uniform can be ordered from

www.myclothing.com

Key Staff

Mrs Mason Headteacher

Mrs Price Deputy Head FS &
KS1

Mr Presneill Deputy Head KS2
Mrs White Chair of Governors

Mrs Prentice SENCO
Mrs Lewis FS Leader
Mrs Price Y1 Leader
Mrs Byrne Y2 Leader
Mrs Marie LKS2 Leader
Mr MacDonald UKS2 Leader

Mrs Liddle Family Liason Officer 07535 696125

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, achieving equal opportunities and combating discrimination.

We operate a very clear whistleblowing policy for staff.

News Comic Relief

We collected £308.10 for Comic Relief. Your money will go to amazing projects in the UK and around the world, tackling important social issues. Thank you for your support.

Fathers' Day Market

The FOBS are holding a Fathers' Day market during lunch break on 12th June. More information to follow.

Summer Fair

This year's event will take place on 11th July from 3.00 – 4.30. If you would like a stall, please contact Mrs Knight in the office. The fee will be £10 per stall.

Year 5/6 Parents

The parents of the children in Years 5 and 6 are invited to look at some of the work stimulated by the United States topic that the children have been doing since Christmas.

Please come to the school hall between 2.45pm and 3.30pm on Thursday 23rd May.

Payments to school

If you are sending cash into school, please send the correct money in an envelope marked with your child's name, class and what the payment is for. If you don't have the correct money, change can be given but we will no longer send out text reminders. Your change will be available to collect the following week. Alternatively, why not pay by BACS transfer?

Bank details for school: Sort code: 60-08-37 Account Number: 65224485

In the community

Brompton Village gardens

Garden Street and Prospect Row in Brompton have a number of gardens open for charity this weekend – 18th

and 19th May from 2.00-5.00pm. Combined entry is £6 but children go free. In Prospect Row, the gardens are at 7,13,14,16,20,26 and in Garden Street it is number 26.

Medway Mile Registration is now open

Places are filling up fast for the 12th Medway Mile, which will take place on Friday 19th July from 5.00pm at Rochester castle.

It provides Medway residents with a great opportunity to get active and with a number of free activities taking place during the evening, there will be something for everyone to enjoy. There will be free sports activities on offer as well as inflatables, live entertainment and a spectacular fireworks finale.

Pat on the back

FS2L – Ruby and Royce for improving their sentence writing

FS2C - Yasir-Arafa for working hard to improve his writing and Holly for her persistence in writing

FS2S - Isaac for being a good role model for his friends and Omrana for improvement in his writing

1B Adelaide for halving in maths this week and Akritee for completing her answers in full sentences during comprehension

1W - Atos for his work in reading this term and Ingrid for her positive attitude to learning

2B - Brooke for working really hard at her writing this week, making sure it included all of her targets and Diva for working hard in maths, showing perseverance when tasks can be challenging

2M - Cameron for improved attitude in writing and Ella for being extra helpful

Coming home

Nothing this week

