



School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

Friday, 23 February - Flying Start Course for Parents at 9.30am in the New Meeting Room

Monday, 26 February – INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED

Wednesday, 28 February – Year 4 visit to The Beaney Museum – Ancient Egyptian Workshop

Wednesday, 28 February – Ash Rugby Club visit to Year 5 & 6

Thursday 1 March – World Book Day

All children may come to school dressed as a character from their favourite book. We are still looking for photographs of Dads, Step-Dads, Grandads, Uncles, Big Brothers caught reading as part of our display entitled 'Real Men Read'. Photographs can be brought in to school or emailed to Mrs Plant at kplant@eastry.kent.sch.uk.

Thursday, 1 March – Year 4 Swimming

Thursday, 1 March – Ash Rugby Club visit to Year 3 & 4

Friday, 2 March – Year 3 Family Worship at 9.00am in the School Hall

Parents and carers of children in Year 3 are welcome to attend.

Friday, 2 March - Flying Start Course for Parents at 9.30am in the New Meeting Room

Friday, 2 March – PTA Meeting at 2.30pm in the New Meeting Room

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

REMINDER – Parents Consultation Evenings – Monday, 5 March and Wednesday, 7 March

Ten minute appointments can be made on either evening between the times of 3.30 to 6.30pm. All consultations will be held in the school hall. Appointment sheets for each class and Mrs Plant are outside the school office. If you are unable to come into school to make an appointment, please telephone the school (after 9.00am) and an appointment will be made for you. **Please note there is no Netball on Monday, 5 March or Multisports Club on Wednesday, 7 March because of parents evening.**

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS – cont'd

Year 2 Family Worship – Change of Date

Year 2's Family Worship has been changed from 9 March to the **16 March**.

Year 3 & 4 – Visit to Ecole Sainte Geniviève School, France

Please can we remind parents that if your child **does not** have a passport we need their Collective Passport Application Form and 2 passport size photographs returned to the office as soon as possible. If you have mislaid your form, further copies are available from the school office.

Praise for Eastry Football Players

It was a great pleasure to receive a letter from Elite Community Coaching praising the way the boys from Eastry School played in the Elite Cup. Michael Everitt, Managing Director had this to say about the children *'how proud you would've been of the boys and the way they represented the school, they played very well as a team and never gave up, they were a credit to the school'*.

WORLD BOOK DAY 2018

THURSDAY, 1 MARCH



Children are invited to dress up as a character from their favourite book on Thursday, 1 March for World Book Day 2018.

Calling all dads, steps-dads, uncles, cousins, grandads, big brothers.....!

With World Book Day just around the corner, please help us out with our exciting new reading display. We're calling it

Real Men Read!

All we want you to do is send us either a photo of you reading (it can be a book, magazine, newspaper, football programme, anything at all) or a selfie (a photo of your bookshelf).

You can either email it to us at kplant@eastry.kent.sch.uk or drop in a photograph to the school office.

All photos received by Friday 23rd February will be entered into a prize draw, with a £10 book token for the winning picture. Thanks for your support!

COMMUNITY/OTHER NEWS

Deal Music & Arts Festival 2018

Deal Music & Arts Festival 2018 runs from the 29 June to 14 July. During this annual event there are many opportunities for children and families to enjoy activities and performances organised by the festival. For further information please visit <http://dealfestival.co.uk>.

Mother's Day Supplement in the Dover Express

The Dover Express are publishing a Mother's Day supplement on Thursday, 8 March and are inviting children to submit a drawing of their mum, together with a special message written underneath their drawing, stating why their mum is so special. If you wish to be included in this supplement pictures should be emailed to dover.community@kentlive.news on an A4 or A5 piece of paper by **Tuesday, 27 February**.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING 'WORKER OF THE WEEK' ON FRIDAY, 9 FEBRUARY

Fledglings	Albie Ackrill
Year 1	Elsie Rang
Year 2	Hermione Porter
Year 3	Effie Gibbons
Year 4	Reef Upton
Year 5	Ben Comerford
Year 6	Annabel Ogston-Lemmens

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS Week commencing 26.2.18

MONDAY	
Netball Club	NO
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
Multisport Club	Yes
THURSDAY	
Dance Club	Yes
Scooter Club	Yes
FRIDAY	
Football Club	Yes
If you are interested in joining any of our After School Clubs, please ask at the school office – thank you.	

PTA NEWS

Friday, 2 March – PTA Meeting at 2.30pm in the New Meeting Room

PTA Mother's Day Present Wrapping Service – Week beginning 5 March

The PTA have organised Mother's Day present wrapping for the children during the week beginning Monday 5, March at lunchtimes from 12.15 to 1.00pm. The children will be able to purchase small gifts ranging from 50p to £5.00 for Mums, Grandma's or other carers. If you are able to help please let a member of the PTA or the school office know.

Yours sincerely,

Tim Halling
Headteacher