



# Thames View Primary School Newsletter



*Responsibility*

*Resilience*

*Respect*

## *Special events coming soon*

### **NOVEMBER**

- 11th – 15th Science /STEM Week
- 11th – Yr5&6 – Forensic workshop
- 12th – Open day for 2025 entrants
- 18th – NHS Nurse Team – flu immunisations
- 20th – Yr 6 – workshop Women of WW2
- 20th – Yr5 – Chatham bowl trip
- 25th – Y5 – VR workshop – Egypt

### **December**

- 4th – Open Day for 2025 entrants
- 6th – PTA non uniform day
- 9th – 12th – Santa visiting TVP
- 10th – Yr4 – Harry Potter World
- 11th – PTA – chocolate donations
- 12th – PTA – Christmas Fayre – 3.30-5.00pm
- 12th – LAMDA at Glassbox Theatre
- 13th – LAMDA at Glassbox Theatre
- 13th – Sparkles Christmas event\*
- 16th – Yr R Nativity\*
- 17th – Yr 1 – Nativity\*
- 18th – Yr 2 – Nativity\*
- 20th – last day of term

### **\*See separate page**

Last day of term – Friday 20th December

## **Mrs Rogers Message**

This week welcomed all of our children back from their two week break, with lots of Halloween trick or treating and a fab fireworks night at school on Sunday. We would like to thank all of our community who came along to this event and supported us. The fireworks are always a highlight of the school year, not only is the display wonderful but it brings a real sense of community, as well as raising funds for our PTA for school projects.

We have been enjoying our second Hook Days of the year this week. Year 2 had their Titanic Workshop on Monday, this is part of their new topic, 'All Aboard'. During this workshop, they learnt about what happened to the Titanic on 15th April 1912 and acted out what life was like at this time. They will continue to learn about this topic and events around this time. For parents, here is a reminder of what the topics are this term;

Year R- Bear Necessities

Year 1- Superheroes Assemble

Year 2- All aboard

Year 3- Industrial Revolution

Year 4- Magnificent Mountains

Year 5- Walk like an Egyptian

Year 6- Britain at War! World War 2

Year 3 went to visit Kent Life on Tuesday to visit a school set in Victorian times. They learnt about what life was like for the Victorians and the beginning of the industrial revolution. The children were so well behaved on this trip, year 3, we are proud of you and how you represent Thames View on school trips!

We also had a visit to every year group from Reception to Year 6 on Fire Safety on Tuesday, which was officially Guy Fawkes Night. David Hopkins from the Kent Fire and Rescue Service gave all of the children a talk about Fire Safety in the Home and what the dangers are in the house and community. This was a very educational talk and we are grateful to David for visiting us again.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and stay safe, Mrs Rogers.

# Hook Day Term 2

Please see below for a few photos celebrating our Hook Day - many more can be seen on our social media pages





Golden Ticket is every Friday and a child in each Key Stage 2 class can win the golden ticket for outstanding effort, behavior and for showing our 3 school values, Respect, Responsibility and Resilience.



## STARS OF THE WEEK

**Attendance Stars:**  
**KS1: Sunrise**  
**KS2: Windsor**

**Eco Class**  
**KS1 – Elstar**  
**KS2 - Opal**

**PE Class Trophy:**  
 Enterprise

**PE Champion:**  
 Austin

Class	Star of the week	Star Reader	Star Writer	Maths Champion
Sparkles Nursery	Kayden			
Pippin	Ava	Eddie	Leo	Danny
Sunrise	Hugo	Leyla	Albert M	Evie
Elstar	Ethan	Olivia	Charlie	Piper
Kanzi	Katie	Jayce	Ellie	Mason
Fortune	Amelia	Ellison	Veer	Cohen
Liberty	Oscar T	Salina	Adam	Isobel
Opal	Ava	Albey	Violet	Austin
Topaz	Freddie	Amira	Isabelle	Ava
Enterprise	Jude	Violet	Molly	Lola
Victory	Hadi	Alex	Kathya	Ralph
Blenheim	Alfie	Charlie	Elyas	Louie
Windsor	Eden	Daniel	Lola	Muhammed
Discovery	Emma	Scarlett	Sienna	Reggie
Pioneer	Floray	Eliza	Boue	Scarlett

*Our inclusion team and our safeguarding team are here if you need us, no problem is too small! This week's focus is on Medway's Universal Parenting Programme and supporting families with young children!*



## Medway Universal Parenting Programme

We recognise the joys and challenges that come with welcoming a baby into your family. Our mission is to provide support to parents and caregivers of infants from birth to 24 months throughout the Medway Towns.

Our friendly and inviting groups use the Solihull parenting approach, assisting you in developing skills to foster a positive bond with your baby while gaining confidence in responding to their needs.

The skills you acquire during these early years will provide support throughout your entire parenting journey. Join us!



Current Support and Programmes;

- 'Understanding your baby'
- 'Understanding your toddler'
- Additional Events and one-on-one support for your parenting journey

**Exciting news – the Virtual Solihull Group is on its way!**



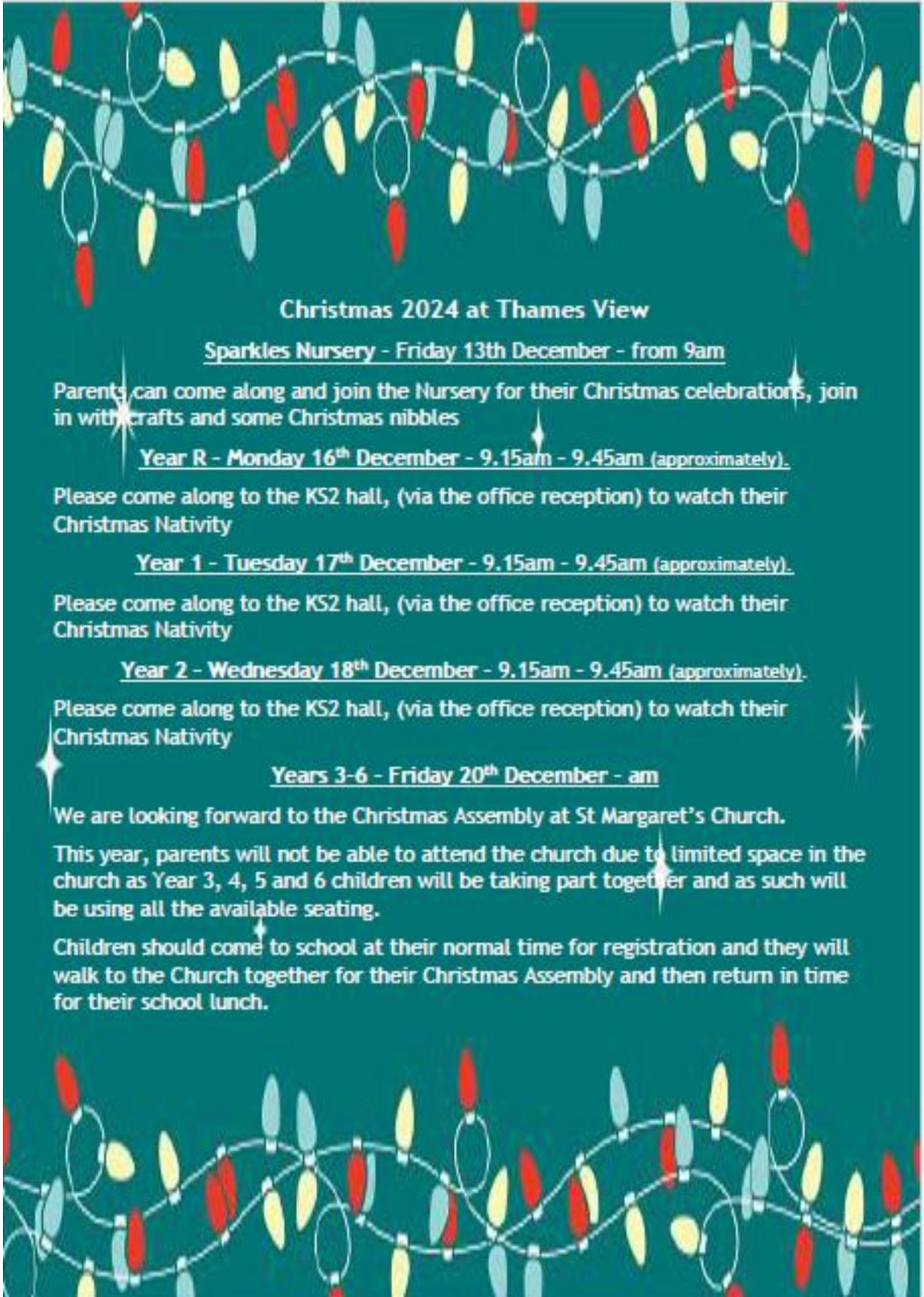
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# CHRISTMAS 2024



**Christmas 2024 at Thames View**

**Sparkles Nursery - Friday 13th December - from 9am**

Parents can come along and join the Nursery for their Christmas celebrations, join in with crafts and some Christmas nibbles

**Year R - Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December - 9.15am - 9.45am (approximately).**

Please come along to the KS2 hall, (via the office reception) to watch their Christmas Nativity

**Year 1 - Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December - 9.15am - 9.45am (approximately).**

Please come along to the KS2 hall, (via the office reception) to watch their Christmas Nativity

**Year 2 - Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December - 9.15am - 9.45am (approximately).**

Please come along to the KS2 hall, (via the office reception) to watch their Christmas Nativity

**Years 3-6 - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December - am**

We are looking forward to the Christmas Assembly at St Margaret's Church.

This year, parents will not be able to attend the church due to limited space in the church as Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children will be taking part together and as such will be using all the available seating.

Children should come to school at their normal time for registration and they will walk to the Church together for their Christmas Assembly and then return in time for their school lunch.

## ... advanced dates for your diary ...

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025**  
from 2.00pm – 8.00pm  
  
Parents Evening

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2025**

from 3.30pm – 5.30pm - Open Classroom  
for parents/carers to see their child's work

## .... Community news ....

**Poppy donations will still be accepted on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November. The Year 6 children will be selling the items**



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RAINHAM**

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STARTING 18TH NOVEMBER  
NO JOINING FEE, NO CONTRACTS.  
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REGISTER AND PAY  
PROMO: FIRSTWEEKFREE

MONDAYS: BOXING  
8-12 YEARS: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
13-18 YEARS: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

WEDNESDAYS: KICKBOXING  
8-12 YEARS: 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM  
13-18 YEARS: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

BOOST CONFIDENCE  
LEARN SELF-DEFENSE  
IMPROVE FITNESS

VENUE:  
HOWARD SCHOOL  
IN HALL GYM 1, DERWENT WAY  
GILLINGHAM, ME8 0BX

## .... PTA News ....

Our **Christmas Fayre** is taking place on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December after school, and we are holding 2 non-uniform days for some of your favourite stalls 😊

### **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December**

Non-uniform day in exchange for bottle donations (no alcohol please)



### **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December**

Non-uniform day in exchange for chocolate donations

**Father Christmas** will be visiting Thames View week beginning Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December – *ticket information will be available soon*



**Christmas Wreath making** “A new event for this Christmas” -- *further details to follow*