

# Thames View Primary School Newsletter



*Responsibility*

*Resilience*

*Respect*

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has certainly felt like a change in seasons this week, with the sunshine of recent weeks giving way to much wetter weather. Despite the rain, the children have continued to approach their learning with enthusiasm and positivity, and it has been wonderful to see classrooms buzzing with activity across the school even if we have had to spend more time in them!

I would like to say a special well done to our Year 4 pupils, who have been working incredibly hard completing for their Multiplication Tables Check (MTC). They have shown great commitment and determination, and we are very proud of the effort they have put into practising and developing their recall of multiplication facts.

We would also like to congratulate our Year 1 children, who have completed their Phonics Screening Check (PSC) this week. The children approached the assessments with confidence and we are delighted with the way they have applied all of their phonics learning. Thank you to the staff and families who have supported them throughout the year for both year groups.

A reminder that Sports Day is fast approaching and will take place on Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd June. We are looking forward to two exciting days of sporting activities, teamwork, and friendly competition!

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to another successful week ahead.

Warm regards,

Mr Symons

## Special events coming soon

### June

- 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> - PTA - Fathers Day Gift shop
- 17<sup>th</sup> - Elstar - Margate trip
- 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sports Day - N, Yr R AM
- 22<sup>ND</sup> - Sports Day - Yr1 & 2 - PM
- 23<sup>rd</sup> - Sports Day - Yr 3&4 AM
- 23<sup>rd</sup> - Sports Day - Yr5&6 PM
- 24<sup>th</sup> - Kanzi - Margate trip
- 25<sup>th</sup> - MYG - Cricket
- 25<sup>th</sup> - PTA - Discos
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Yr6 Road Safety

### July

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Yr R Hearing & Vision NHS
- 1<sup>st</sup> - Rock Steady Concert
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Yr 6 Prom
- 7<sup>th</sup> - Yr1 to Synagogue
- 7<sup>th</sup> - Yr2 to Rochester Castle
- 8<sup>th</sup> - Open Classroom
- 11<sup>th</sup> - PTA View Fest!
- 13<sup>th</sup> - PTA AGM (*further info to follow*)
- 14<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 Production 1.45pm & 7pm
- 17<sup>th</sup> - last day of term

### September

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Tuesday - Children in years 1-6 return to school



Congratulations to our Golden Ticket winners this week in KS2 !

**Jack, Isobel, Thomas, Amelia, Rose, Patrick, Florence & Dexter**

Some of the reasons they gained the award are:

- Giving support and encouraging
- Being patient and showing empathy
- Good teamwork skills

*Congratulations everyone !*



**Attendance Stars:**

**KS1:** Elstar

**KS2:** Opal



**ECO Stars**



**PE**

**Champion:** Ava  
**Class Trophy:** Blenheim



Class	Star of the week	Star Reader	Star Writer	Maths
Sparkles Nursery	Kai & Rosie J			
Pippin	Santiago	Bonnie	Freya-Mae	Brooklyn
Sunrise	Niamh	Mahi	Harry	Maths
Elstar	Delilah	Whole Class 😊	Max	Lily
Kanzi	Isla	Arthur	Henley	Rae
Fortune	Harvey	Archie	Lucas	Maximus
Liberty	Willow	Rose	Sarah	Lenny
Opal	Alana	Jakob	Oscar	Manshi
Topaz	Theo	Tristan	Meghan	Logan
Enterprise	Ashanis	Tommy G	Isabella	Luther
Victory	Shanie	Austin	Grace	Whole Class 😊
Blenheim	Ralph	Nieve	Kathya	Lennon
Windsor	Raven	Violet	Sebastian	Samuel
Discovery	Katie	Teddy M	Evie	Oliver
Pioneer	Owen	Elyas	Aya	Peyton

# .... PTA News ....



Father's Day (Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June)

*Gift Shop - Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June - Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June*

<https://buytickets.at/thamesviewpta/1709525>



*School Discos - Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June*

[Buy tickets – Disco – KS2 Hall](#)

*View Fest - Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July from 2pm*

Use the QR code to book your tickets



# \*\* Competition time \*\*



## VIEW FROM YOUR WINDOW = COMPETITION! =

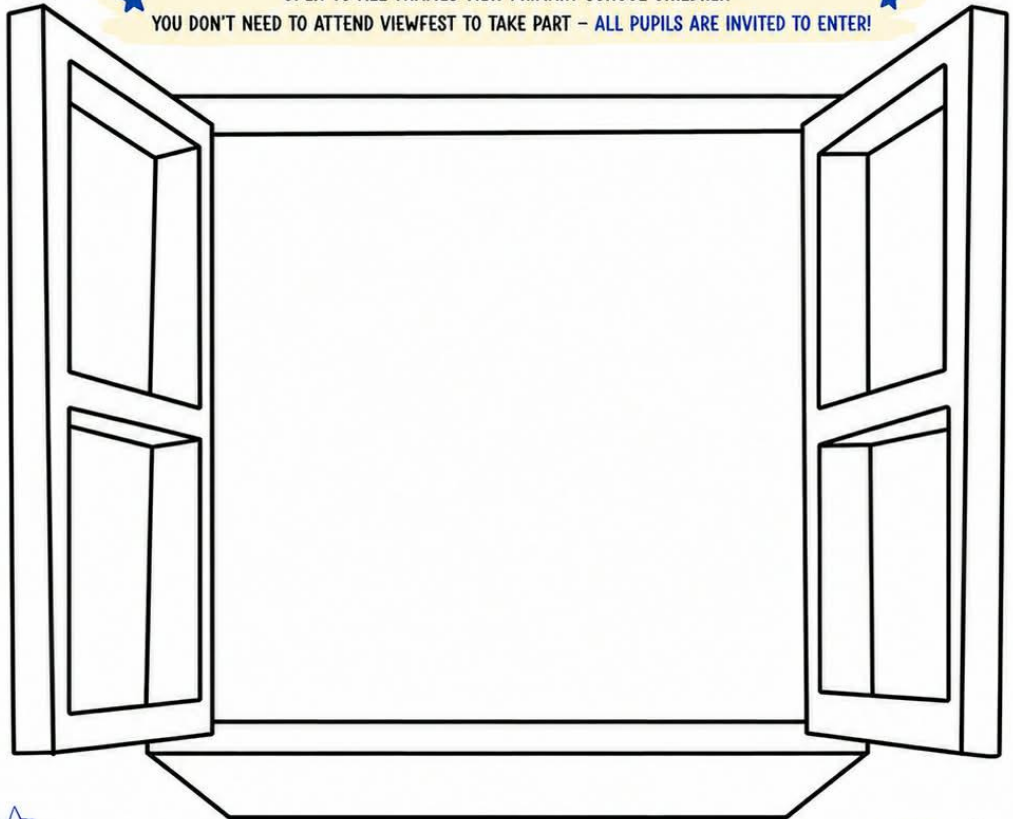


**DRAW, COLOUR OR PAINT THE VIEW YOU'D MOST LIKE TO SEE THROUGH YOUR WINDOW!**

It could be real, magical, futuristic, underwater, in space, or anywhere your imagination takes you!



**★ OPEN TO ALL THAMES VIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL CHILDREN – ★  
YOU DON'T NEED TO ATTEND VIEWFEST TO TAKE PART – ALL PUPILS ARE INVITED TO ENTER!**



Our View Fest sponsors, **Bell's Glass**, have opened a competition for any child at Thames View to enter, you don't need to attend the event, but the winner will be announced at the View Fest on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2026.

**Closing date for entries is Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2026**

**We have paper copies in the school office**

### ★ AGE CATEGORIES

- Reception – Year 2
- Year 3 – Year 4
- Year 5 – Year 6

### ★ PRIZES



Winner of each category:  
**£25 SMYTHS VOUCHER**

### ★ JUDGING CRITERIA

- Creativity
- Use of colour
- Originality
- Overall presentation



PLEASE COMPLETE YOUR DETAILS CLEARLY BELOW

Name: .....  
Age: .....  
Year Group: .....

Class: .....  
Phone Number: .....  
(Optional)

Please return your entry to the school office by **FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> JULY**.



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2026

We are looking forward to our Sports Days, and the fun and excitement that it brings. Here's hoping for good weather too!!

## Timings for Sports Day

### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2026

#### **Sparkles\*\* & Year R**

Sports events 9.30am – 11.30am

Picnic Lunch 12.00pm – 1.00pm

\*\* **Sparkles** parents can collect and take their child home after their sports day/picnic

#### **Year 1 and 2**

Picnic lunch 12pm – 1.00pm

Sports events 1.00pm – 3.30pm

### Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2026

#### **Years 3 & 4**

Sports events 9.00am – 11.30am

Picnic Lunch 12.00pm – 1.00pm

#### **Years 5 & 6**

Picnic Lunch 12.00pm – 1.00pm

Sports events 1.00pm – 3.30pm

## PE kit for Sports Day

Please can your children come dressed in their PE kit on their Sports Day:

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June** – Sparkles Nursery, Year R, Year 1 and Year 2

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** – Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6

They need to wear a plain t-shirt in their house colour, or a plain white t-shirt if they do not have a house t-shirt. (Our school shop may have some PE shirts available)

Please see your class teacher if you are not sure of your house colour

The school lunch menu will be sent to parents next week for the change for Sports Days.



## Our ECO Shop & Sports Day t-shirts

Our ECO Shop has **ALL** the house colour t-shirts in stock, all new, ready for sports day. A £2 donation is asked for the new t-shirts.



## Hand painted rocks for Miss Brobbey's garden



We have received some beautiful painted rocks for Miss Brobbey's Memorial Garden from the children.

Just a reminder that you can still send them in to the school office.

We would love the rocks to be beautiful, bold, and bright, with lots of colour and creativity.

*Please ensure that:*

- Each child submits only one painted rock.
- The rock is no bigger than an adult's palm.
- Completed rocks are handed in to the school office.

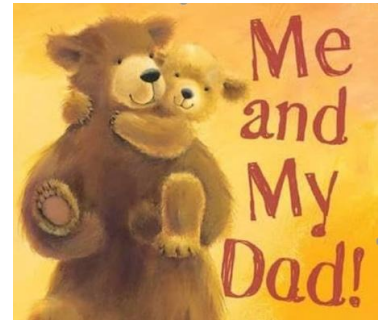
*We look forward to seeing the children's wonderful creations and adding them to the garden.*

# .... Community News ...

## 'My Dad' supplement to celebrate Father's Day 2026.

The pictures will be printed in a special supplement to be carried in your local KM Media Group newspaper **next week on June 18, 2026**. You can purchase the newspaper from any local newsagent or supermarket.

You can also get a digital copy of the supplement and all pictures inside, plus My Mum and My Dad supplements from previous years. To celebrate the supplement, parents of children taking part in My Dad can take advantage of an exclusive offer. You get a full year's worth of access to KentOnline premium, the app, and all of the digital newspapers and supplements for just £20, that's better than half price, by using the offer code **MYDAD** at [www.kentonline.co.uk/subscribe/](http://www.kentonline.co.uk/subscribe/)



**School Time**  
UNIFORMS

**ARE YOU JOINING YEAR 7  
IN SEPTEMBER?**

GOING TO ONE OF THE BELOW  
SCHOOLS AND NEED THE UNIFORM?

RAINHAM MARK GRAMMAR  
THE HOWARD SCHOOL  
FORT PITT GRAMMAR SCHOOL  
THE ROBERT NAPIER SCHOOL  
THE VICTORY ACADEMY  
ST JOHN FISHER SCHOOL  
THOMAS AVELING SCHOOL  
RAYNHAM SCHOOL FOR GIRLS  
AYLESFORD SCHOOL  
HOLCOMBE GRAMMAR SCHOOL  
WALDESLADE & GREENACRE SCHOOLS  
MARITIME ACADEMY

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FIND THE PERFECT UNIFORM

Our school uniform provider wanted us to share this flyer for those who are moving to Secondary in September.

## SUMMER MUSIC COURSES 2026 - APPLY NOW!

There is something for everyone from those that are going into Year 1 in September to those currently in Year 13. No experience needed to the more advanced young musicians.

All the information about all courses including downloadable application forms can be found on our Summer Webpage

<https://www.medwaymusicassociation.co.uk/summer-music-courses>

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AGES 5 - 18

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