

Thames View Primary School Newsletter



Responsibility

Resilience

Respect

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week has been an especially important one for our Year 6 pupils as they completed their SATs assessments. We are incredibly proud of the way they approached the week with such maturity, determination, and resilience. They have worked tremendously hard throughout the year and have given their very best effort, which is all we could ever ask of them. Their positive attitude and perseverance have been wonderful to see, and they thoroughly deserve to feel proud of themselves.

A huge thank you also goes to our staff and families for the encouragement and support you have provided to the children during this time. Everyone really pulled together to make the week as smooth as it could be

Next week will be our whole-school progress review week, where teachers will be meeting to review and discuss each child's progress and achievements across the curriculum. These discussions are an important part of ensuring that every child continues to be supported and challenged appropriately. We look forward to sharing information about your child's progress with you at the end of term.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support with the school.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Symons

Special events coming soon

May

20th - Yr6 to Chessington
21st - MYG - Tag Rugby
22nd - ECO Day
22nd - Last day of term

June

1st - Staff Development day
2nd - return to school
2nd - Elstar to Margate Beach
3rd - Hook Day
4th - MYG - Football
4th - Kanzi to Margate Beach
4th - Yr 5 - Chatham Dockyard
8th-12th - Phonics Check
8th-12th - Yr4 - MTC Check
9th - Yr 3 - Stone Age w/shop
16th-18th - PTA - Fathers Day Gift shop
22nd - Sports Day - N, Yr R AM
22ND - Sports Day - Yr1 & 2 - PM
23rd - Sports Day - Yr 3&4 AM
23rd - Sports Day - Yr5&6 PM
24th - MYG - Cricket
25th - PTA - Discos
26th - Yr6 Road Safety

July

1st - YrR Hearing & Vision NHS
1st - Rock Steady Concert
3rd - Yr 6 Prom
7th - Yr1 to Synagogue
8th - Open Classroom
11th - PTA View Fest!
13th - PTA AGM (*further info to follow*)
17th - last day of term

September

1st - Children return to school

**** Congratulations ****
to our Golden Ticket winners this week

Noah, Zayaan, Catherine, Igor, Lahna, Farah, Lola & Luna

- Amazing progress in timetables,
- Being enthusiastic
- Being positive
- Excellent behaviour
- Showing kindness to others
- For taking responsibility in their learning for SATs
- For showing the 3Rs
- For putting full effort into their presentation and learning



These are just some of the things that the children have been awarded their Golden Ticket for.

Well done for all your hard work



Attendance Stars:

KS1: Fortune
KS2: Discovery



ECO Stars



PE

Champion: Bonnie
Class Trophy: Enterprise



Class	Star of the week	Star Reader	Star Writer	Maths
Sparkles Nursery	Oakley			
Pippin	Harper	Lyra	Lucas	Lila
Sunrise	Henry	Stanley	Zara	Lyla
Elstar	Neve	Grayson	Lily	Finn
Kanzi	Teddy	Henley	Isla	Evie
Fortune	Chloe	Caden	Layla	Noah
Liberty	Emily	Navy	Callie	Olivia
Opal	Amelia	Olivia	Oscar	Jamie C
Topaz	Andrea H	Erin	Rose P	Nathan H
Enterprise	Patrick	Isla C	Mason	Lily-Mae
Victory	Oscar	Whole class 😊	Rosie	Shanie
Blenheim	Freddie	William	Betsie-Mae	Grace
Windsor	Amelia	George	Olive	Violet
Discovery	Whole class 😊			
Pioneer	Whole Class 😊			

**** Coming Thursday next week ****



**** Competition Time! ****

The closing date for your entries is: Monday 18th May 2026

pick up your pencils, crayons, paint brushes, lolly sticks, materials, - the list is endless of what you can use to create your artwork....

One more weekend to enter!

- Make sure your name and class is on the back so we know who created it
- Pass it to your class teacher



PTA NEWS



The PTA would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the following companies for their incredibly generous donations towards Miss Brobbey's memorial garden:

- John O'Connor
- D2 Facilities
- Harbour Rock Capital

A very special thank you also goes to our wonderful Carol, one of our lovely cleaners, who has kindly taken on the challenge of creating Rita's Garden. Carol has dedicated so much of her own time and care to ensure it will be a peaceful and beautiful space for both children and staff to visit.

We truly cannot thank you all enough for your kindness, generosity, and support. We have no doubt that Rita will be smiling down on you all.

Further updates to follow.

Father's Day Gift Shop in school - Tuesday 16th June - Thursday 18th June



[Buy tickets – Fathers Day gift shop – Thames View Primary School](#)

School Discos - Thursday 25th June



[Buy tickets – Disco – KS2 Hall](#)

Medway Test - September 2026

Key dates

Registration for the Medway Test opens on Monday 18 May 2026 and the deadline to apply for the test is Friday 12 June 2026.

Submission of special arrangement requests is from 18 May 2026 until 22 June 2026 inclusively.

(PLEASE NOTE THAT IF YOU MISS THIS DEADLINE YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO APPLY AFTER THIS DATE)

Key dates for September 2027 admissions

Remember these key dates in the transfer to secondary school admission process for September 2027 entry.

Wed, 13 May 2026	Digital information guide published, visit: medway.gov.uk/admissions
Mon, 18 May 2026	Registration for the Medway Test opens, visit: medway.gov.uk/onlineadmissions
Fri, 12 June 2026	Registration for the Medway Test closes
Mon, 22 June 2026	Deadline for schools to request Medway Test special arrangements
Tues, 1 Sept 2026	Secondary school applications open, visit: medway.gov.uk/onlineadmissions
Mon, 14 - Sun, 20 Sept 2026	Medway Test week Visit our website for more information about test dates
Wed, 14 Oct 2026	Medway Test results day
Sat, 31 Oct 2026	Secondary school applications close
Mon, 1 March 2027	National offer day

For further information please read the digital information guide available at: medway.gov.uk/admissions
Alternatively email: admissions@medway.gov.uk

Secondary school 2027 admissions

For children born between 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016

Admissions digital information guide:
medway.gov.uk/admissions

Our online guide will help you through the process including information on:

- The Medway Test and how to register your child.
- How to apply for secondary school places and how offers are made.
- Key dates you need to know.
- Medway secondary schools and academies.

If you require a paper version of the information guide, you can collect a copy from one of the Medway Council community hubs after 13 May 2026.

Apply online:
medway.gov.uk/onlineadmissions

For 2026 admissions 99% of families applied online and received their school offer by email on offer day

For further information, please see our email of 13th May or you can log onto Medway Council website for Admissions.

Community News ...



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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For those with no experience to the more advanced young musicians

AGES 5 - 18



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SOCCER SCHOOLS

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MAY 26th

MAY 27th

MAY 28th



Football Fun and Games

**Official GFC First Team
Training Ground**

Win Tickets

9:00am - 3:00pm

5-14 Year Olds

Boys & Girls



PRICING:

£25 PER DAY

£66 FOR 3 DAYS