

Thames View Primary School Newsletter



Responsibility

Resilience

Respect

Mrs Rogers Message

This week has seen our year 6 children venture on their House Trip to the Wizarding World of Harry Potter at Warner Bros Studios. A very enjoyable trip for all children involved, including trying the Butter Beer, meeting the staff who create some of the costumery for the film, flying on a broomstick to play quidditch and carrying out random spells. Meanwhile Reception have been to Wingham Wildlife Park to look at the animals and learn about them!

Years 3 and 4 have been having their Art week this week and have been assisting in the production of our BFG life size sculpture and our 3 R's sculpture of our school values. These will be displayed in the school for years to come! We will be building two more sculptures to celebrate our new houses, a life size Gruffalo and Willy Wonka which will take place in September with two other year groups. This really bring the school houses to life in the school and adds to the decoration around the school buildings that reflect the houses; Dahl, Donaldson, Rowling, Walliams. Mrs Rogers has been booking the house trips for next year and they will be as follows;

Year R- TBC

Year 1- Odeon Cinema to see Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory

Year 2- Hazlitt Theatre to see Tales of Acorn Wood

Year 3- Odeon Cinema to see the BFG

Year 4- Warner Bros Studios: The making of the wizarding world of Harry Potter

Year 5- Warner Bros Studios: The making of the wizarding world of Harry Potter

Year 6- The Cambridge Theatre London: Matilda

Every year group also goes on two curriculum trips as well as their House Trips. These will be chosen by their new teachers. Parents will find out their child's new class and teacher in the coming weeks. Then more information on curriculum and trips will be given to parents. Trips have been a big success this year and we look forward to this continuing!

Our next Hook Day is Tuesday 6th June, please have a look at the details for your child's class in this newsletter!

We return to school on Monday 5th June. I hope you all have a lovely half term week and stay safe, Mrs Rogers.

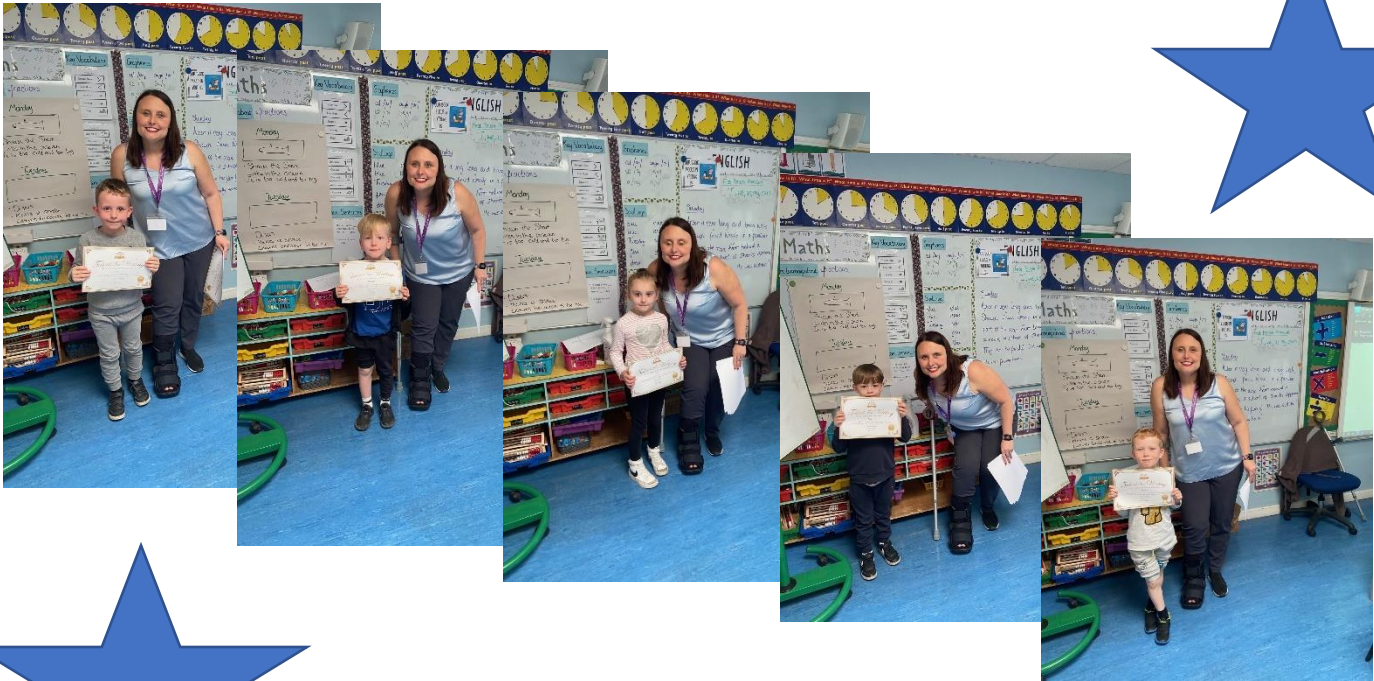
Special events coming soon

- 26th May- Last day of term 5
- 5th June- Back to School
- 6th June- Hook Days
- 7th June- Coffee Afternoon with the Head of School (2.15pm)
- 8th June- MYG Football Yr 6
- 8th June – Yr 4 Shorne Country Park
- 12th-16th June- Year 1 Phonics Screening Checks
- 16th June- PTA Father's Day BBQ
- 19th June-
AM- N/R Sports Day
PM- 1 /2 Sports Day
- 20th June-
AM- 3 /4 Sports Day
PM- 5 /6 Sports Day
- 22nd June- Year 5 Trip
- 30th June- PSG Dance Festival
- 6th July- Transition Day
- 7th July- Trust Training Day
- 10th July- Reports Home
- 11th July- Parents Evening
- 13th July- MYG Infant Games (Year 2)
- 14th, 17th, 18th July-
Celebration Days

Quote of the week

"They may have only had one pence to spend, but their hearts beamed with gold"
David Walliams

Harry Potter Trip/Year 1 Poetry



A big congratulations to Elstar Class and Mr Wykes for winning the poetry competition. Their poems will be in a published book called Safari Poetry which parents can purchase very soon. They have been presented their certificates by Mrs Rogers this morning and congratulated on their huge success.



..... Year 6 trip to Harry Potter World ...



Will return next term

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



PE Champions:
Will return next term

Attendance Stars:

KS1 Liberty

KS2: Windsor

Nursery Stars:

AM: Ho-Shun

PM: Tillie

Year 4 Timetable Stars:

Emily-Rose, Cooper

Class	Star of the week	Star Reader	Star Writer	Maths Champion
Pippin	Ava	Carter	Teddi	Evie
Sunrise	Teddy	Arabella	Salina	Meghan
Elstar	Freddie / Elise	Luna	Elena	Phoebe
Kanzi	Logan	Albey	Alfie	Mila
Fortune	James	Violet	Olive	Madison/Jude
Liberty	Sienna	Lacey	Rose	Sophie
Opal	Harriet	Hollie	Bethany	Charlie
Topaz	April	Oliver	Teddie K	Polly
Enterprise	Lily-Mae	Cooper	Matei	Chloe
Victory	Ronnie	James	Heidi	Tyas
Blenheim	Frankie	Isla	Erin	Nuha
Windsor	Alice	Harry	Ruby	Jake
Discovery	Jacob B	Harrison	Ethan	Maxwell
Pioneer	Summer	Dollie-J	Aston	-

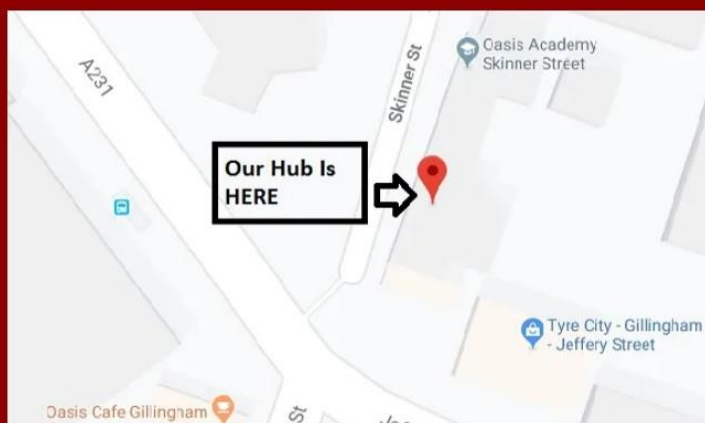
Safeguarding Corner

If you have concerns about your child, please come in and discuss these with Mrs Flynn or Mrs Stevens. Each week there will be safeguarding tips here, let us know if we can help! Today's focus is on support given by Street Angels Gillingham! This service can be accessed by any of our families who are finding the cost of living crisis tough and might need a little help. Just nip in during the morning, Monday to Saturday!



Our Hub/Foodbank can be located in the below maps and pictures, here you can, collect free food parcels. We are open for food supplies 6 days a week from our hub. Due to Covid-19 Strict provisions are in place as per government guidelines.

We are open from 9am - 1pm Mon to Fri - 9am - 12 midday Saturday



Street Angels mission is to help vulnerable people of all ages and walks of life in the Medway towns community, no matter what the circumstances may be, they do not ask embarrassing questions nor do they require any proof of circumstances or vouchers, all you need to do is go along to their food bank:

They are open 9am until 1pm Monday to Friday & 9am until 12pm on Saturdays. Closed on bank holidays.

Their Food bank distribution hub is located at: 43 Skinner Street, Gillingham, ME7 1LG. They stock fresh fruit, veg, dairy products, bread, cupboard items, and much more refreshed daily. For non urgent enquiries you can email

Tracy: tracy@thestreet-angels.org

If you would Like to volunteer with Street Angels? just Email them on: volunteer@thestreet-angels.org

Hook Day - Tuesday 6th June 2023

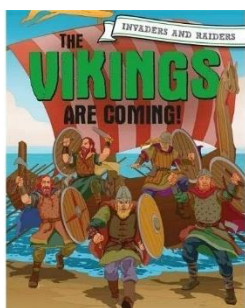


Year R We are introducing our new topic '**Around the World.**' Children will be tasting food from the continent of Asia. Children may wear their own clothes for the day.



Year 1 will be going "**on holiday**". The children can come to school dressed as if they are going on holiday. We will spend the day becoming immersed in seaside activities from both the past and present.

Year 2 as part of our focus curriculum question is **What's so cool about Rio?** we are inviting children to wear bright, colourful clothing to celebrate Rio's Carnival.



Year 3 we are learning: "**Invaders and Raiders - Were the Vikings always vicious and victorious?**"

Children should dress up in Viking costumes OR in their own clothes. They will be joining in with some Viking themed art and music activities, timeline challenges and other Viking themed learning fun.

Year 4 will become **Anglo Saxon** Artisans (craftspeople) for our Hook Day in Term 6 for a creative start to our History and Art/DT topics. We will be using Anglo Saxon techniques to create our masterpieces, some of which can be added to Anglo Saxon clothing, and children are encouraged to wear a simple costume (see attached ideas sheet - no need for buying or sewing) to help create the right atmosphere in our workshops.



Year 5 will be focussing on **Maritime Medway**. The children should come to school dressed as sailors, pirates or wearing nautical colours (blue and white).

Year 6's topic is **plastic pollution**. On our hook day we would like children to come in wearing blue and green and where possible bring in one carrier bag of plastic waste collected over the half term break.



... other Thames View news ...



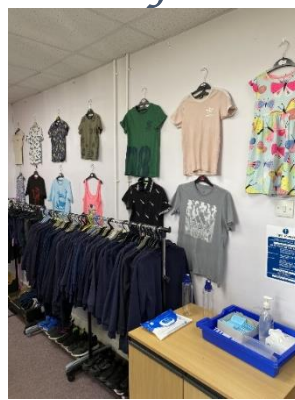
Miss Hall from the office, enjoyed a little chat with Bandit, the Creepy Crawl Club milk snake this week !!

... Thames View Secondhand Shop ...

We are currently looking for :

- boys and girls school shoes,
- backpacks and lunch bags,
- PE kits,
- summer dresses,
- boys shorts,
- swimwear
- logo jumpers.

We will of course always accept donations of any uniform items.



UK POWER NETWORK

We have been informed that emergency works will be taking place in the alleyway between

**The Willows and Pembury Way from
5th – 9th June 2023**

Please use an alternative route during this time as the alley will be closed

PSA Football Club



Just to let you know that the PSA after school club will not be running in Term 6 for any of the year groups.

Welcome to the newest member
of Thames View Primary

... the art sculptures the KS2
children helped create this week
and having great fun working
together...

