



# Pilgrims' Way Newsletter



Friday 23rd June 2023 Term 6

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Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back everyone to Term 6 which already promises to be a very busy one!

Since we returned:

- Year 6 have enjoyed their Enrichment week, visiting Kidzania in London, participating in sports and climbing activities at Chimera Climbing, enjoying fish and chips by the river Stour and enjoying a relaxing day in their PJ's and eating their baking
- Year 5 Classes have both spent the day at Nonnington Farm learning all about 'seed to loaf'.
- 40 children from Years 4 & 5 have spent the day at Canterbury Cricket Club
- A small group of children from Year 3 and 4 represented Pilgrims' Way at a 'Minilympics' Event
- Mrs Webb took the school choir to Warden House to meet the other children in the 'Veritas Children's Choir' (from Warden House and Mundella Schools).
- Year 3 spent the day at 'Go Ape' at Leeds Castle
- Year 1 are spending the day at Kent Life Farm today.

My huge thanks to all the staff – teachers, teaching assistants, office and site staff who have made all these wonderful opportunities possible for our children.

In the next couple of weeks, we will see more children out of school experiencing a variety of opportunities as we continue in our drive to ensure all children have an array of experiences to support their irresistible curriculum.

Please read any letters carefully to ensure your child does not miss out. If you have any questions, please contact your child's class teacher or the school office.

Dates for your diary:

Monday 3 July	I will write to you with details of your child's September class teacher and class
Tuesday 4 July	Exhibition Evening 3 - 5pm - More information to follow.
Wednesday 5 July	Proposed NEU teachers strike (I will write to you with further details of any class closures)
Thursday 6 July	Transition Day where your child will spend the morning with their new 'September' class teacher in their new classroom
Friday 7 July	Proposed NEU teachers strike (I will write to you with further details of any class closures)
Friday 14 July	Sports' Day for children in Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 (more information below)
Monday 17 July	Reports to be sent home with your child
Wednesday 19 July	Last day of term (school finishes at 3pm as usual). <b>Please note that there will be no Teatime Club on this day.</b>

Warm regards

Miss AM Middleton - Headteacher

**Reception and Nursery** - We are very proud of how beautifully our nursery children are playing in their outside area (with a thanks to Mr Walsh who has been helping us to develop our wonderful outside area).

Pandas have also completed fantastic number work based on Handa's Surprise.

In Reception, well done to Hares and Rabbits for their lovely labelling of the parts of a duck and their growing vocabulary around our learning about farms.



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## Sports' Day for Years 1 - 6 - Friday 14 July



Please come and join us on Friday 14 July at 9am (until approx. 11:30am) to watch your children complete their Sport's Day activities!

All children will be competing in running activities. Please can all children wear their PE kits to school on this day including their Team Colour PE shirt. They will also need a hat, sun cream and their water bottles.

During the week, all children will also have the opportunity to participate in a variety of activities such as : archery, speed cage and hardest shot. Classroom teachers will also be arranging competitions between year group classes.

## Canterbury Food Bank

Would a food parcel help you make ends meet or relieve some of the financial pressure?

Please click the link below for more Information.

<https://canterburyfoodbank.org/need-food/>



## Exhibition Evening - Tuesday 4 July from 3:00pm - 5:00pm

You are all warmly invited into school on Tuesday 4 July from 3pm to 5pm to see the amazing work your children have completed this year in their classrooms (Grandparents and extended family welcome too).

You can then have a look at your child's new 'September' class to see what they will be learning next year.

## Upcoming Trips

Year/Class	Date	Trip and additional notes
Hornbill	26 June	Canoe Wild
Rabbit & Hare	26, 27, 28 June	Spring lane College (your child's Class Teacher will let you know which date your child is going)
Jaguar	29 June	Canoe Wild
Eagle	30 June	Canterbury Cathedral
Penguin & Seal	11 July	Whitstable - If you have not yet given consent and/or made payment, please login to your child's account at <a href="http://www.ParentPay.com">www.ParentPay.com</a> to do this by Friday 30 June 2023
Rabbit & Hare	14 July	Wildwood - If you have not yet given consent and/or made payment, please login to your child's account at <a href="http://www.ParentPay.com">www.ParentPay.com</a> to do this by Friday 30 June 2023

### Collection of children at the end of the day.

Reminder that all children need to be collected from their classrooms.

We are unable to arrange for children to be collected from the school office.

Thank you

### No Teatime Club on Wednesday 19 July

Please note that the last session for Teatime Club will be Tuesday 18 July.

There will be no Teatime Club on the last day of term (Wednesday 19 July)

