







Alfriston School

Fair, friendly, fulfilling and fun!

Newsletter – Friday 29th June 2018

This Week's Attendance

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| Pearl Class |  |
| Ruby Class |  |
| Sapphire Class |  |
| Emerald Class |  |

Green = 98% to 100%

Amber = 96% to 98%

Red = Below 96%

End of Year Reports

The end of year reports will now be sent out on Wednesday 11th July as we will not be receiving the SATs results until Tuesday 10th July and these are included in the reports for relevant year groups.

The consultations for any parents who have questions or queries following the reports are now being held on Thursday 12th July.

School Games Day and Summer Fair Review

Wow what a fantastic day we had on Tuesday, obviously helped by the beautiful weather! Our school games day was a wonderful event with all the children participating in a carousel of sporting activities for the first part of the morning and then after break we moved over to the Rec for the more traditional races. The teamwork, enthusiasm and determination displayed among the children was lovely to see and each house team supported and encouraged their fellow house members brilliantly. Well done to everyone and congratulations to Exceat which was the winning house for this year. In the afternoon we had the school summer fair organised by the FoAS supported by Emerald Class. The tremendous sum of £1815.60 was raised! Thank you to the FoAS for all of your hard work, to Emerald Class for their help and to everyone who came along and shared any part of the day with us. Your support is very much appreciated.



Hot Weather

As the hot weather continues, may we remind you of the importance of sending your child in to school well prepared to cope with it.

All children must bring a bottle to school. Although we have water fountains, children need to be constantly drinking during this weather.

Children should bring a sunhat with them, please also apply sun cream to your child in the morning before they come to school and send cream with them to school, clearly labelled with their name, to top up if you feel they will be able to do this themselves.

Cakes Required - URGENT APPEAL

On Wednesday 11th July we are holding an afternoon tea for volunteers and community members who have helped and supported the school this year. Over 50 people attended last year so we would be very grateful if any parents/carers would like to make, or buy, a cake for us to serve at the tea as a thank you for the assistance these people have provided to our children. If you are able to make/buy a cake, then please can you let the school office



Ruby Class Trip

On Tuesday Ruby Class have a trip out for the day. Please remember a packed lunch, drink bottle, sun hat and sun cream. They need to wear school uniform.

What's on next week

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| Mon 2nd July | Musical Cabaret evening - 6pm |
| Wed 4th July | Emerald Class end of year play - 7pm |
| Thurs 5th July | Emerald Class end of year play - 1.30pm |
| Fri 6th July | FoAS Meeting - 8.45am |

E Safety tip from the NSPCC: check your connections are safe

It's important that your internet router is secure. Most internet service providers have security features, so you may want to consider switching these to safe mode. If the device has Bluetooth, set it to 'undiscoverable', otherwise you may unintentionally share data or allow hackers to take control of the device.

You'll find lots more information on the NSPCC website – or give the NSPCC a call on **0808 800 5002** to chat to one of their expert advisors.

Congratulations Lola!

Last weekend Lola in Year 5 took part in the National Championship football tournament in Nottingham. This determines the best team in the UK. Lots of amazing teams were there including Liverpool FC and Manchester City, however after playing 9 matches, each 20 minutes long in blistering heat, Lola's team won the entire tournament! Many congratulations to Lola and her team members. We are very proud of your achievements!

100 Club

Congratulations to Mr Windsor, this month's 100 club winner!

Violin Lessons

If you are interested in your child learning to play the violin from September, Mrs Cane-Hardy, the violin teacher, will be holding an information meeting for parents on Monday 2nd July, at 2.30pm at school.

Donations

Mrs Golding is leaving us in July. If you would like to make a donation to her leaving gift please hand this in to the school office by in a sealed envelope Friday 6th July.

Emerald Class Play

We are really looking forward to the Emerald Class play next week which is a musical adaptation of William Shakespeare's 'The Tempest'. Performances will take place on Wednesday 4th July at 7pm and on Thursday 5th July at 1.30pm. Tickets cost £1 each. Please see the letter sent home yesterday for full details or call in to the school office for tickets.

Amazing Honey!

Recently Honey had her hair cut and gave it to The Little Princess Trust charity so that it could be made into a wig for children who have lost their hair through chemotherapy. Last year the charity gave away over 1,200 free real hair wigs to children and young people. Families often tell the charity how grateful they are and the huge difference receiving a wig has made. This is only possible because of the kind support people like Honey give them. Well done Honey!



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Dates for your Diary

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| Mon 9th July | Whole school transition day (Amended Date) |
| | New classroom open session for parents (2.30pm to 3pm) (Amended Date) |
| Tues 10th July | Whole school transition day (Amended Date) |
| Wed 11th July | Volunteers' thank you tea |
| | End of year reports (Amended Date) |
| Thurs 12th July | Parent consultations following end of year reports (Amended Date) |
| Wed 18th July | End of year assembly |
| Thurs 19th July | Year 6 Leavers' assembly |
| | Last day of term |
| Fri 20th July | INSET day |
| Mon 3rd September | INSET day |