

St. George's CEP Newsletter

Issue 39: Friday 19th July 2024

'Bringing faith and education together'

'Letting your light shine' (Matthew 5:16)

Our value this term is HOPE No-one who ever hopes inyou will ever feel shame. [Psalm 25:31

The Last Newsletter of the Year!

As ever it is a busy run in to the end of the year. It is a time where we reflect on achievements in school and where we can improve. Your say is important to the future decision making and I would encourage you to respond to the google form.

We've had our final Celebration Worship of the year – announcing our final term of Achievement Award winners (many congratulations to Polly, Georgie, Oliver, Charlotte, Molly, Esme and Eliza!), the house with the most dojos for the year went to **St Andrew** making their year 6 house captains Lilah and Tianna very proud! A reminder of another year for **St Patrick's** winning the Sports Day Trophy. I've no doubt this will inspire the other houses to try and win next year!

There is no doubt there will be some tired children and teachers going into the summer break – with so much going on through the year, finally getting some sun and finishing this week with a Year 2 Sleepover last night, but so much of this couldn't be done without your help.

Thank you to all of you for the support you've given this year. This has come in many forms – coming to see your children at events (It was also great to see so many of you at Open Afternoon this week), cheering at sports day and matches, driving to visits, supporting home learning with daily reading and homework, keeping attendance as an important focus. Every day really does matter!

I really want to extend my thanks to our PTA who work so hard to put on events for the children to enjoy while raising valuable funding for the school that benefit every child! Watch out for their plans for next year!

BUT how could we possibly do a final newsletter without mentioning our Year 6 children?! This week they did two GREAT performances (in front of two very interactive audiences!) of their end of year production 'Sycamore Has Talent'. They've spent time with their buddies from Oak Class and today have gone off to Wild Times Woods for as forest school day and overnight camping!

Our hope is that in the time these children have been with us it has prepared them to have courage in meeting new people and having a go at something they've never tried before; to be resilient so they have grit and determination to succeed and overcome difficult obstacles, they will inevitably come across and positivity in moving towards the next part of the journey - strive towards your dreams and ambitions!



Respect Courage Kindness Forgiveness Hope Honesty

You can find out about what's going on at St George's in a variety of ways: Visit the school website: <u>www.st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk/</u> Follow us on twitter: @StGeorgesKent and Instagram: stgeorgesceprimary_wrotham Keep up to date with newsletters on our website and keep an eye on the class pages

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St. George's CEP School TERM DATES September 2024 to July 2025

Term 1	Start: Finish:	Tuesday 3rd September 2024 Thursday 24th October 2024
Term 2	Start: Finish:	<mark>Monday 4th November 2024</mark> Friday 20th December 2024
Term 3	Start: Finish:	<mark>Monday 6th January 2025</mark> Friday 14th February 2025
Term 4	Start: Finish:	<mark>Tuesday 25th February 2025</mark> Friday 4th April 2025
Term 5	Start: Finish:	<mark>Tuesday 22nd April 2025</mark> Friday 23rd May 2025
Term 6	Start: Finish:	<mark>Monday 2nd June 2025</mark> Friday 18 th July 2025
May Day: Monday 5th May 2025		
Additional days when school is closed to children:		
Monday 2nd September 2024 Friday 25th October 2024 Monday 24th February 2025 Monday 21st July 2025 Tuesday 22nd July 2025		
KS2 SATS (Year 6 children) will be week commencing Monday 12th May 2025		
** <u>No</u> Term Time absence will be <u>authorised**</u> unless exceptional circumstances are agreed with the Headteacher		