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Yr 2



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Yr 1



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Yr 5 & 6

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

31st March – LAST DAY OF TERM 4

18th April – FIRST DAY OF TERM 5 (This is a TUESDAY. Monday 17th April is Easter Monday)

21st April – Non-school uniform for St George's Day (wear RED and WHITE, £1 donation please)

21st April – Head of School's Tea Party (invites posted during Easter half-term)

1st May – BANK HOLIDAY (This is a MONDAY. Return to school on Tuesday 2nd May)

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

HEALTHY PACKED LUNCHES: As we have all seen on the news recently, there is a renewed focus on healthy eating which includes packed lunches in schools. Please ensure that your children are sent to school with a nutritious, healthy packed lunch – suggested items include: sandwiches, fresh fruit, water to drink and a small treat (such as a cupcake). Research shows that children who eat fruit instead of crisps, have less sugary foods and drink water are able to concentrate for longer periods of time.

NEW SCHOOL WEBSITE:

www.southboroughprimary.org.uk (same address, completely new design!)

COLLECTING CHILDREN FROM SCHOOL: Please try not to collect children early from the office at the end of the day, unless you have a definite, pre-arranged appointment.

A Learning Ladder for Life

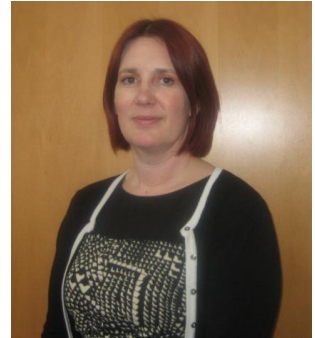


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Head of School's Report

"We have come to the end of another action packed term and once again the children have shown a great attitude towards their learning. The children have enjoyed a variety of activities both in and out of school, enjoying a variety of educational trips to the cinema, Wingham Wildlife Park and Dover Castle, just to mention a few. I'm sure you would agree they deserve a well-earned rest during this Easter Holiday. With the weather looking set to improve I want to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Happy Easter and hope that you have a restful and enjoyable break. We look forward to seeing you all back in Term 5 for another action packed term. Kind regards to you all!" - Mrs Oakley



Year 5 Film-Making!



Since the children in Year 5 chose 'Film-making and Media Studies' as their termly topic, they have been working extremely hard – learning about the industry, behind-the-scenes preparations and camera angles, to name just a few areas!

Term 5 has seen our very own class film begin to take shape too: the children have learned how to write a playscript, how to classify a film with an age-rating and have even been auditioning/filming the opening sequence!

All very exciting; their engagement levels have peaked because it involves the class leading and shaping their own topic learning.

Year 1 and 2 trip to Wingham Wildlife Park!

On Tuesday 28th, all our Key Stage 1 classes went on a topic-related trip to Wingham Wildlife Park.

The children were fascinated to see the amazing tortoises, mesmerising meerkets and diving penguins up close!

Miss Underdown told our reporters,

"What a fantastic place to visit! We ALL loved it – including the members of staff! We recommend others come here too!"



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AMAZING GESTURE!

We are immensely proud to announce that Ellie Mulvey, in Year 6 at South Borough Primary School, has decided to make a phenomenal gesture in aid of the Little Prince's Trust.

She will be having her beautiful, long hair cut off into a bob before donating it to other children who are facing tougher times.



If parents would like to make a donation, please use the following link:

<http://www.justgiving.com/Ellie-Mulvey/1>

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Winners (awarded on Monday 31st March 2017):

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| Year R (Red class) – Paige F | Year R – Inaiden R |
| Year R (Green class) – Whole Class! | |
| Year 1 (Red class) – Poppy E | Year 1 – Imogen O |
| Year 1 (Green class) – Duncan E | Year 1 – Darcy C-M |
| Year 2 (Miss Ballard) – Evana G | Year 2 – Hollie A |
| Year 3 (Miss Foster) – Blanka B | Year 3 – WHOLE CLASS! |
| Year 4 (Mrs Watts) – Tyler F | Year 4 – Heela H |
| Year 5 (Mr Knell) – Umar N | Year 5 – Lily R |
| Year 6 (Mrs Paterson) – Ted A | Year 6 – Elle C |



Best Attendance: **Reception Green (99.4%)**
(100%)
Year 3 (99.4%)

(Week ending 24th March 2017)

Best Attendance: **Year 1 Red**

(Week ending 31st March 2017)

Thank you for your continued support.

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