



South Borough Primary School

NEWSLETTER

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A Learning Ladder for Life

Friday 3rd November 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to welcome you all back for another action packed term full of learning and a range of experiences. Term 2 is always an exciting term with the lead up to Christmas. I'm sure we will have another fantastic term where many children will receive awards in assembly throughout the term for demonstrating our core values. Thank you to those parents who ensured that their child had good attendance in Term 1, I know this will continue in Term 2. It is great to see so many children wearing the correct uniform—children looking smart and taking pride in their appearance. Don't forget as the weather turns colder, children will need appropriate clothing and please don't forget to name all your items.

Phil The Bag

Please donate your old and unwanted clothing. This turns into cash for the school which we use for school resources. Please bring your bags into the school office by Wednesday 8th November.



Head of School's Tea Party—3rd November

Mrs Oakley will be hosting her tea party on Friday 3rd November—2pm for Reception and Key Stage 1 children and 2.30pm for Key Stage 2 children. At the tea party children will enjoy some games and party food. Teachers have nominated 2 children from each class who have stood out to them by either demonstrating the core values or by being a good member of the school community by showing values such as bravery, thoughtfulness, honesty or patience. The nominations could be academic, social or might be based on a specific example of something amazing a child has done. Over the half term break the nominated children will have received an invitation through the post.

Poppies

Thank you so much for all your kind and generous donations to the poppy appeal. We will let you know the total collected in due course.

Friends of South Borough

Thank you for donating towards the Christmas crackers for the children to have during their Christmas lunch on Wednesday 13th December. We are happy to let you know we raised £269.77.



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Diary Dates



3rd November 2017

Head Teacher's Tea Party
School Reports Home

7th November 2017

Open morning for prospective parents in
Nursery and Reception.

9th November 2017

Phil the bag

10th November 2017

Parent consultations

12th November 2017

Remembrance Parade 10AM

13th November 2017

Flu Vaccinations Years R—4

20th—24th November 2017

Book Fair

24th November 2017

Year 3 trip to Maidstone Museum

30th November 2017

Year 6 Health Check

8th December 2017

Christingle Service

6PM Starburst Club Salvation Army

11th December 2017

Nursery Christmas Production am & pm

12th December 2017

Reception Christmas Production 2pm

13th December 2017

Reception Christmas Production 9.30am

13th December 2017

Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day -
donation to "Save the Children"

YEAR 1 Curriculum News

To finish our Farm Topic we visited Kent Life in the last week of term.

We learned about the animals that live on the farm and we got to stroke lots of them including the ferrets, rabbits, sheep and guinea pigs.

We thought they were very soft and fluffy.



One of our favourite parts of the trip was the very bumpy tractor ride. Some of us were worried we would fall out!

The weather was lovely so we ate our lunch outside and afterwards we played on the equipment. It was much bigger than the equipment at school.



Before we got back on the bus we visited the gift shop and some of us bought a souvenir.

The next day at school we wrote a recount about our trip. We had to use time adverbials and

adjectives. We worked really hard and our writing is amazing!

We learned so much over the term and during our visit to Kent Life.



Core Values

Congratulations to winners from 16-20 October



Reception Red	Bonnie M—Bravery, Chonatay G—Bravery
Reception Blue	Ayisha—Perseverance, Alice—Perseverance
Reception Green	Frankie—Bravery, William—Support
Year 1 Red	Whole Class—Sincerity
Year 1 Green	Gabriella—Support, Noel—Perseverance
Year 2 Red	Ralph—Perseverance, Robin—Perseverance
Year 2 Green	Fatehme—Sincerity, Asma—Perseverance
Year 3 Red	Karina—Perseverance, Mathew—Sincerity
Year 4 Red	Narges—Sincerity, Zouhair—Bravery
Year 5 Red	Whole Class—Sincerity
Year 6 Red	Umar—Bravery, Levi—Support

Attendance Winners Week 16—20 October



Year 2 Green with 99.3%

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