



Hatfield Peverel St Andrew's Junior School

# NEWSLETTER

## 21st July 2021



Dear Parents,  
So we are finally here!  
In the (slightly tweaked) words of Elton John - 'We're still standing'!!  
It has definitely been the cherry on top of the Year 2020;  
but we have ALL made it.  
Well done!

At the risk of sounding too gushy- I do really want to say an enormous thank you for all of the support and care and kindness that you have shown me and my staff this year. Together, the St Andrew's Family is a strong and amazing power!

But we are all so very tired aren't we?

Stop and enjoy the lie-ins (if possible with pre-teenagers!), the time to listen to each other a little more closely, to have fun together a little less rushed and to just be.

Wishing you all a very restful and happy holiday.  
Take care and see you in September.



B Black



### KEY INFORMATION FOR SEPTEMBER

#### **START OF THE SCHOOL DAY BEGINS**

8:40-8:50 Entry via rec gate or Infant gate ( if arriving with an infant sibling).  
Children to walk straight into class (to begin early morning work) No parents on the playground before school without permission from staff.

#### **PLAY/LUNCH TIMES**

We will be continuing with our staggered playtimes and lunchtimes for Upper school (Yr 5/6) and Lower school (Year 3/ 4). We have noticed a reduction in playground accidents, issues and the children are happy having more space to enjoy.

#### **HOMETIME**

All children will come out at 3:10.

Mr Keenan will open the rec gates at 3:00 and you can come and wait on the playground.

The Infant gate will be open at 3:10 for families with Infant AND Junior children.

#### **UNIFORM**

School uniform to be worn daily please, black trainers may be worn instead of black school shoes if you wish. Hair to be tied up if it is collar length.

#### **PE/ Forest Schools**

We will be continuing to have children come to school in their PE kit on PE and Forest Schools days.

PE Uniform will be worn on these days-

Red t shirt, black shorts/ joggers and school sweatshirt/ cardi please.

Wellies for Forest School, on wet days.

**NO FOOTBALL KIT OR CASUAL CLOTHING please.**

#### **BUBBLES / COVID RESTRICTIONS**

I will await the most up-to-date DfE COVID guidance before I write on September 1<sup>st</sup> to share any changes from current 'no-bubbles' guidance.



A few weeks ago each class had the annual 'run-offs'! This decided which children were going to be running in our races, which took place on Tuesday morning before the sun was too hot! We are all really looking forward to next year when we hope you will be able to join us again. Well done to the children below, the all demonstrated fantastic sportsmanship.

To watch our St Andrew's Races film :

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1OF13aEXpMvjwug46Cl53j9IM\\_rJQ3ANq/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1OF13aEXpMvjwug46Cl53j9IM_rJQ3ANq/view?usp=sharing)

Race	1 <sup>st</sup> place	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	3 <sup>rd</sup> place
Year 3 girls' sprint	Jessica	Jasmine	Mollie C
Year 3 boys' sprint	Dexter	Gabe	Harry
Year 4 girls' sprint	Kitty	Darcy	Miley
Year 4 boys' sprint	Ralphie	Jack	George
Year 5 girls' sprint	Grace	Alice	Freya
Year 5 boys' sprint	Oscar	Hendry	Freddie
Year 6 girls' sprint	Elly	Olivia P	Sophie
Year 6 boys' sprint	Reggie	Ben W	Alf
Year 5 girls' long distance	Isabelle P	Freya	Charlotte
Year 5 boys' long distance	Freddie	Harry B	Louie
Year 6 girls' long distance	Sophie	Elly	Isabel
Year 6 boys' long distance	Alf	Ben W	Reggie



*Mrs Lee*

*Mrs Stephenson*

After many years of very hard work and dedication to St Andrew's we have said goodbye to Mrs Lee (our Lead Midday) and Mrs Stephenson (midday assistant). They have supported hundreds of children throughout the years during lunchtimes and are both much-loved by children and staff alike. We wish them both well in the future and know that they have lots of plans to spend time with their lovely families. Thank you both so much for everything that you have done for us all.

## Goodbye to our Year Six Children and families.



We wish you all well as you leave us at St Andrew's to attend: Anglo European School, Colchester County High school for Girls, Colchester Royal Grammar School, Great Baddow High School, Brentwood School, Maltings Academy, Plume School, New Rickstones Academy, Plume School, The Sandon School, Honywood School, St Helena School and The Boswells School.  
**Keep Shining Brightly!**



## JOYCE FITCH AWARD

The Year Six children  
awarded the Joyce Fitch  
trophy this year for  
consistently  
demonstrating:

Compassion,  
Achievement, Respect  
and

Enjoyment in school are:

Rebecca and  
Elliot



## SPORTS AWARD

The Year Six children  
awarded the Sports award  
this year are:

Sophie, Ben and Olivia







Wishing a very **Happy Birthday** to those who  
have celebrated their birthdays between:  
**July 19th and August 31st**

**Isobelle S, Oliver S, Isaac C,**  
**Krystelle, Olivia P, Albie S, Zack M,**  
**Archie P, Daniel M, Archie S, Sidney T,**  
**Max M, Amelia D, Freddie C, Seren,**  
**Alex B, Jules, Daisy, Elsie, Sam, Ethan P,**  
**Mr Caplan, Mr Keenan, Mrs Baker,**  
**Mrs Larrad,**  
**Mrs Gray, Miss Smith, Mrs Arnold,**



The house that has  
achieved the most  
house points this  
term is:

<b>GREYSTONE</b>	<b>2488</b>
<b>VINEHURST</b>	<b>2062</b>
<b>BERWICKS</b>	<b>1739</b>
<b>PRIORY</b>	<b>1692</b>

The House that is the overall winner from the  
combined scores from our Sports Activity Morning  
and the Races is:

**VINEHURST**  
**Congratulations!**

Mrs Pettifer says that in the 15 years she has been  
a member of Vinehurst house that they have  
NEVER won Sports Day - so well done indeed!

Link address for Year Three Italian Day photos.

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1-8oR3QApDEX3\\_72l6JrwOGRnVckvtPzT](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1-8oR3QApDEX3_72l6JrwOGRnVckvtPzT)



We have two children leaving us from year four.  
We wish Ethan, Jack and their families well in the  
future as they begin new adventures!  
We will miss you.

Reflection for the  
Children and the Families of Year 6  
and for Ethan, Jack, Mrs Jeary,  
Mrs Lee and Mrs Stephenson who will also not be returning  
to St Andrew's in September.  
Old Gaelic Blessing

May the road rise up to meet you;  
May the wind be always at your back;  
May the sun shine warm upon your face;  
The rains fall soft upon your fields;  
And until we meet again;  
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.



Congratulations to  
Olivia P, Sophie R and  
Phoebe whose Dance  
group won a multiple 1<sup>st</sup>  
place awards in the Elite  
Dance Championships UK  
2021.

What amazing hard work  
after 16 months without  
regular lessons or time  
spent practising  
together.



**Calling all  
go-getters.**

**Ready to try  
something  
new?**

<https://bit.ly/3i7D3ZE>

#SkillsForLife #HAF2021

#EssexActivAte

Want to learn new skills and make new friends? Why not come along to one of our summer activity day camps. These days are free for those eligible to free school meals.

**Who**

Young people aged 6 to 14 years old eligible to free school meals

**When**

Mondays & Wednesdays 10am - 2pm

**Where**

Scout Hall, Lawn Lane, CM1 7PP

**Register**

<https://bit.ly/3i7D3ZE>

**Contact**

Kathryn Andrews at  
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07943 828110 to find out more



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## Holiday Activities and Food

Come and Join the MID  
Essex team at one of  
our four centres over  
the summer holidays.

**WEEKDAYS 2-6PM  
MON 26TH JULY -FRIDAY  
27TH AUG  
FOR AGES 11-16**



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CENTRAL PARK CM2 ORW  
FROM 6 SEPTEMBER 2021

**You can't  
miss this!**



**BOOK YOUR  
PLACES**

please use the QR  
code or go to  
[www.eola.co/w/1614/](http://www.eola.co/w/1614/)  
activities

Interactive sessions including, Art, Dance, Mad  
Science, Tie-Dye, Food, Music and so much more.

Sessions will be run from Galleywood Youth  
Centre (Chelmsford), Chapel Hill Youth Centre  
(Braintree), Halstead Resource Centre and Maldon  
Activity Centre

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program Please email either  
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# AUS



## ABILITY USING SPORT

We are a local Disability Sports club that believes in a vision of giving opportunities to all. We are seeking new members to join us to participate in the groups that we currently offer. A.U.S is a local and a non-profit sports club that specialises in disability sports, we cater for many disabilities including Learning Difficulties, Autism Spectrum Disorder, Special Educational Needs, physical disabilities and we also work with people with mental health issues.

**THIS IS WHAT WE ARE CURRENTLY OFFERING  
AND WHERE WE ARE DELIVERING OUR SESSIONS.**

### MONTHLY MALDON MULTI-SPORTS



**SATURDAYS  
11am-12pm**

**(Check for dates)**

\*Sibling Rate  
for more than  
1 child \* £1

**VENUE:  
PLUME ACADEMY  
FAMBRIDGE ROAD  
MALDON CM9 6AB**

**£3  
pay to  
play!**



Our aim is to provide social education and improve social interaction in a sports setting where everyone feels equal and included! All sessions are fun and friendly with no pressure or expectation!

### FOR MORE INFORMATION ...

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