



# Hatfield Peverel St Andrew's Junior School NEWSLETTER – Coronation Special!



12<sup>th</sup> May 2023



Dear Parents and Carers.

SATs week is always a big week in school. In order to best support our year six children we borrow learning spaces from across the school, the timetable changes (no collective worship) and there is a need for silence in near the year six bases. I have been so pleased with how the whole school supported our year six children by making good behaviour choices!

The children in year six have been absolutely amazing; their calm, positive attitude towards their end of key stage tests has been wonderful to see. Huge thanks to the year six team and whole staff team as the SATs breakfast arrangements, room and hall preparation and general support across the school kicked in! It has been wonderful to see your children shine so brightly in their resilience and effort whilst completing tests that many adults would find tricky!

No bank-holiday Monday next week, this might be a shock to the system!!

With our very best wishes from

Mrs Black and the St Andrew's team



## URGENT: ACTIVATION REMINDER

Thank you to those families who have activated their ParentPay accounts. Whilst we are slowly getting closer to a 100% sign-up, unfortunately there are still **14** pupil accounts that have yet to be activated - reminder emails were again sent to families this week - can we ask that you *please* action this without any further delay. **ParentPay is intended to be used as a communication tool as well as an online payment provider and it is therefore vital that you sign up to avoid school communications being missed.** Please contact the school office if you are experiencing any difficulties with activation (if you would like some help activating your account, please pop into the office with your phone and we can help guide you through). Thank you.



## Summer Term 2023 - dates for your diary:-

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May: Trip to Walton-on-the-Naze (Year 3)  
Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June: Half Term Holiday  
Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June: Inset Day  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June: Sports day (Parents welcome 9:15-11:00)  
Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June: Cricket Experience Day - Chelmsford Cricket Ground  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June: Reserve Sports day (Parents welcome 9:15-11:00)  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June: Crucial Crew (Year 6 - details to follow)  
Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June: Hilltop Residential Trip (Year 6)  
Monday 26<sup>th</sup> to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June: Year 6 Secondary School Transition Week  
Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June: Inset Day  
Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July: GBHS Taster Day (Year 5)  
Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July: District Sports (Parents welcome -Melbourne stadium 10-2ish)  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July: year 6 production 1:30 (year 6 parents welcome)  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July: year 6 production 1:30 (year 6 parents welcome)  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July: JSA Disco (Years 3, 4 & 5 - details to follow)  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July: Year 6 Leavers Party  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July: Year 6 Leavers Picnic 1:30-2:30 (year 6 parents welcome)  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July: Last Day of Term

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023: Inset Day  
Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023: Children return to school

Year Group	Trip or Event	Deadline for response
All Years	ParentPay Activation Letters and Reminders	Please activate your ParentPay account without delay - thank you.
Year 3	Trip to Walton-on-the-Naze	ASAP please (via Parentpay)
Year 4		
Year 5		
Year 6	Secondary School Offers - please complete the Google form in the link below <a href="https://forms.gle/x6tBZU6WJb+8T4YL8">https://forms.gle/x6tBZU6WJb+8T4YL8</a>	ASAP please
	Hilltop Letter	Final payment by Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> April

**St Andrew's  
TIDIEST BASE- Rowan**



Our wonderful, hard-working cleaners are choosing the base who has been the tidiest each week.

**SPRING/SUMMER TERM 2023 MENU**  
**Week 2 - week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

Thank you for helping to support our school by choosing a school meal for your child/ren.  
 Meals are **£2.50** daily and can be ordered by your child in class during registration each morning.  
 Our preferred payment method is via **PARENTPAY** - please contact the office if you have yet to receive your activation letter or need help activating your account.



**Week Two Menu**

24<sup>th</sup> April, 15<sup>th</sup> May, 12<sup>th</sup> June, 3<sup>rd</sup> July



**SPRING/SUMMER 2023 - LUNCH MENU**

Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Fish Fillet  or  Crispy Fingers (v)  Chips Peas Baked Beans  School's Choice of Biscuit (v)	Sweet & Sour Chicken or Ratatouille (v) or Jacket Potato with Cheese/Beans/Tuna Mayonnaise  50/50 Rice Broccoli  Yogurt or Fruit (v)	Fish Finger Wrap  or  Crispy Dipper served in a Tortilla Wrap (v)  Pasta Salad Coleslaw Mayonnaise (Optional)  Fruit Lolly (v)	Roast Gammon  or  Garlic & Herb Quorn Fillet (v)  Roast Potatoes Yorkshire Pudding Seasonal Vegetables Gravy  Fruit Salad (v)	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce served with Pasta  or  Plant Powered Balls in Tomato Sauce served with Pasta (v)  Mixed Salad  School's Choice of Cake (v)
Thank you for supporting us by having a school meal. Please be assured for your peace of mind - all allergens are catered for.				



### Points for this week!

Berwicks	317
Greystones	477
Priory	344
Vinehurst	402



Wishing a very **Happy Birthday**  
to those who have celebrated  
their birthdays between:  
**8<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

**Olivia, Frank, Leo L,  
Thomas P, Drei, Isabel, Stanley, William,  
Evie-Mai**

**Miss Ginn, Mr James,**



### MOST PLAYED

<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Logan E</b>	<b>48,193</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Joshua H</b>	<b>26,166</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Gabriel C</b>	<b>22,739</b>



These are the children who have been spotted shining in school this week. We could have chosen so many children- the decisions were hard to make!

Well done for demonstrating our CARE values.

Apple - Ben M  
Birch - Jack  
Cherry - Tom  
Fir - Zach  
Maple - Mollie C  
Oak - Jessica  
Rowan - Everyone!  
Sycamore - Everyone!

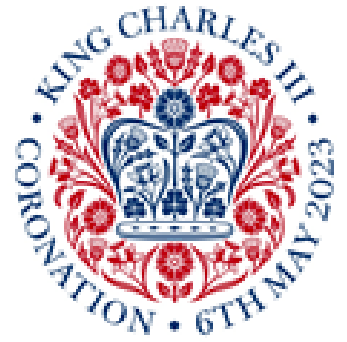
Compassion Achievement Respect  
Enjoyment

Every child is loved and known.  
Every child shines.





# Spotlight on **CORONATION** **CELEBRATIONS**



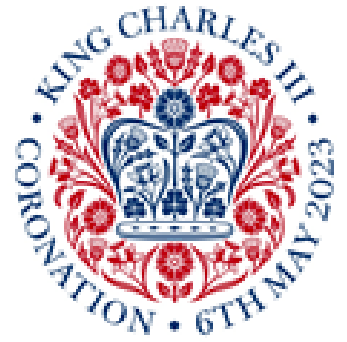
We all enjoyed a coronation cake made by Mrs Robinson our amazing catering manager.







# Spotlight on **CORONATION** **CELEBRATIONS**



The children in years three, four and five recreated an enormous version of the coronation emblem. They learnt about the four different flowers and drew them freehand! Can you spot the shamrock, thistles, daffodils and roses?



# Spotlight on CORONATION CELEBRATIONS



Ten children from St Andrew's were invited to the EMC coronation afternoon tea that was held at the village hall on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> of May. Mrs Black used a random names picker and the children above were the lucky ten who attended the tea. It was a lovely event and the children enjoyed spending time with members of the EMC and children from the shining stars nursery and Hatfield Peverel Infant school.

Thank you to Charlotte Greaves who organised the event; it was a lovely occasion!







# Spotlight on Year 6 SATs Week 2023



This week, Year 6 have been working incredibly hard and completed their SATs feeling calm and happy.



This afternoon, they were treated to an Ice Cream Factory where they celebrated their achievements after a long, hard week.

All the staff are incredibly proud of how the children have conducted themselves this week.





Timothy's family were really proud of him this weekend as he played the drums in his first gig at Danbury Coronation fete. He was part of the Rock Project band and they all did amazingly well. Great job Timothy - well done!

Florence has been playing football for a few months now and gaining confidence each week - her family have never seen her so happy! She got player of the match this week and wanted to share a picture with us all. Well done Florence, it's lovely to see you shining!







Alexander's family were proud of him this week at his Uncle's Wedding in Devon. He took on a special role as part of the Grooms party and was solely responsible for walking the bride and grooms dog, Pluto, down the aisle - they even had matching waistcoats and bow ties!





# CURRICULUM

## Spotlight on Outdoor Learning

Year 3 have been spending Wednesday afternoons in our Outdoor Classroom with Mrs Dutaut and our gardening volunteer John Clemo. They have been learning all about weaving.



John brought in some Willow whips (thin shoots) for the children to learn the traditional art of Willow weaving. The children have been working on a Willow obelisk which will be used to grow climbing plants, and a Willow fence.



With Mrs Dutaut, the children have been learning about the practical uses of Willow (it's a natural pain killer!), about traditional weaving techniques and the objects that are made by weaving (including Coracle woven boats), and superstitions and myths related to Willow. The children learned the Japanese fable of Green Willow and made model Japanese gardens.



The children have also been trying out weaving in a range of materials (natural materials, wool and paper), as well as the usual forest favourites: mud kitchen and bug hunting!

Mrs Dutaut has been studying Outdoor Learning over the past year, and was pleased to hear that she has passed the Level 3 Learning Beyond the Classroom qualification this week!

