



# St Mark's C E Primary School

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Dear Parents/Guardians

## Newsletter 27

### Attendance 9<sup>th</sup> May – 13<sup>th</sup> May

Group	Presents	AEA	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	Possible	% Attend
EY Camber	95.8	0.0	4.2	0.0	100.0	95.8
EY Windsor	98.1	0.0	0.8	1.2	100.0	98.1
<b>Year 1 Arundel</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Year 1 Bodiam	91.8	0.0	2.7	5.5	100.0	91.8
Y2 Leeds	96.9	0.0	3.1	0.0	100.0	96.9
Y2 Pevensey	99.6	0.0	0.4	0.0	100.0	99.6
Y3 Lewes	89.9	0.0	3.6	6.5	100.0	89.9
Y4 Dover	96.1	0.0	3.9	0.0	100.0	96.1
Y5 Hever	95.3	0.0	4.7	0.0	100.0	95.3
Y6 Rochester	98.3	0.0	1.4	0.3	100.0	98.3
Totals	96.2	0.0	2.5	1.4	100.0	96.2

Wow 100% well done Arundel 😊

### Attendance 16<sup>th</sup> May – 20<sup>th</sup> May

Group	Presents	AEA	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	Possible	% Attend
EY Camber	97.4	0.0	2.6	0.0	100.0	97.4
EY Windsor	96.9	0.0	2.3	0.8	100.0	96.9
Year 1 Arundel	97.1	0.0	2.9	0.0	100.0	97.1
Year 1 Bodiam	95.5	0.0	0.0	4.5	100.0	95.5
Y2 Leeds	96.2	0.0	3.8	0.0	100.0	96.2
Y2 Pevensey	91.9	0.0	7.4	0.7	100.0	91.9
Y3 Lewes	89.6	0.0	3.0	7.5	100.0	89.6
Y4 Dover	96.4	0.0	3.6	0.0	100.0	96.4
Y5 Hever	95.2	0.0	0.8	4.0	100.0	95.2
<b>Y6 Rochester</b>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>98.6</b>
Totals	95.4	0.0	2.8	1.9	100.0	95.4

Congratulations to Rochester for having the highest attendance this week



### **Power up To Recycling – Battery recycling challenge September 2015- January 2016**

Thank you to everyone who brought batteries into school for this challenge, Kent schools collected more than 3 tonnes of batteries.

We collected between 51 – 100 kgs of batteries for which KCS (who are our main supplier of school stationary) have rewarded us with a £20 voucher. Please do keep bringing your old batteries to the office, the scheme is continuing and 'every little helps'!

### **RHS Gardening Award**

I'm delighted to tell you that the Nurture Club garden has been awarded their Level Three School Gardening Award by the RHS. The prize for this is a voucher from Rocket Gardens who will grow and send them a series of, in their words 'boxes brimming with young vegetable and fruit plants during school term times ready to help their veg patch burst into life. Well Done!

### **Year 5 – Secondary School Choices**

There were a good number of parents at my meeting on Wednesday which was all about the procedure for entry into Secondary Education for September 2017.

For those who were not able to attend I have given out the information to the children to bring home in their book bags.

Please remember that if you have any questions about this process do not hesitate to ask myself, Mr Fenton or Mr Bird.

### **Queen's Birthday at Showfields**

Showfields library will be celebrating the Queen's 90th birthday from Tuesday 7th June to Saturday 11th June with fun activities for children including colouring and making crowns.

The activities are free, no need to book. Just drop in.

For more details contact the library on 03000 413131 or email [showfieldslibrary@kent.gov.uk](mailto:showfieldslibrary@kent.gov.uk)

### **Where are all the potato badges?**

The system of allocating a potato badge to each child who wants a jacket potato for lunch has been working beautifully until all the badges (20 of them) disappeared!!

If you have one or more at home please return them. Thank you very much

### **Cross Country Club**

Please note that this club has now finished. Mr Dungate will be running athletics club for Year 6.

### **Athletics Club – Year 6 only**

Mr Dungate will be running the Amateur Athletics Association Awards Scheme for Year 6 pupils on Thursdays after school from 3.15 – 4.15 on the back field. If your year 6 pupil would like to join in please collect a clubs letter from the office, fill in and return. Thanks!

And finally have a good break. Children are back on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June

Yours sincerely

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