



Weekly Newsletter – Friday, 17th January 2020

Art Exhibition



When?
Wednesday, 22nd January
9:15am to 2:30pm
Where?
Pines Calyx, Pines Gardens,
St. Margaret's Bay,
Entry Fee?
None!

Children and staff will be visiting the exhibition according to the following timetable. If you would like to coincide your visit with the relevant class please note these times are approximate and do include walking to and from the Pines Calyx. You are, of course, welcome at any time between 9.15am and 2.30pm.

9.15 – 10am – Classes R, 3 and 4
10.30 – 11.30am – Classes 5 and 6
1.30 – 2.30pm – Classes 1 and 2

Message from the Headteacher

Class 4 Family Assembly - Two sides to every story

Class 4 shared their learning from PSHE lessons in which they have been discussing how they should appreciate different points of view and opinions. This was explored through drama culminating in their assembly this morning. Families were shown a range of fairy tales by the children (Goldilocks, Peter Pan, Hansel and Gretel, Billy Goats Gruff and Jack and the Beanstalk) viewed from a different perspective. To introduce the assembly children entered to the music of Chris De Burgh 'Two Sides to Every Story' and our pupils sang 'We Can Work It Out' by the Beatles to conclude. Well done to Class 4.

Student Teachers

We have welcomed student teachers – Miss Selina Crumbie and Miss Elouise Sharp to Classes 3 and 1 respectively this week. We are always very pleased to be helping to train the next generation of teachers – an ever increasingly important role for us to play.

Reception Class Admissions – September 2020

We have been advised by Kent County Council that they are extending the online admissions system (www.kent.gov.uk/ola) which means that if you have not already done so, you may still apply for a place at St. Margaret's-at-Cliffe Primary School online until the 10th February 2020.

Attendance

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Class R – 98.8%
Class 1 – 99.2%
Class 2 – 99.3%
Class 3 – 97.3%
Class 4 – 97.5%
Class 5 – 97%
Class 6 – 99%
Whole school – 98.3%



PTFA

We are very grateful to our PTFA for all their hard work in raising funds which pay for the 'extras' to enhance your children's school experience here at St. Margaret's. Our PTFA met this week to talk about forthcoming events. If you are willing to help the PTFA run future events, please let the school office know or for more information email the PTFA on stmacptfa@gmail.com. They would very much welcome any time/help you can offer.

Art Exhibition

We have all been incredibly impressed with the high standard and variety of artwork produced by our pupils and look forward to seeing as many of you as possible next week at the exhibition at The Pines Calyx - see details on this newsletter.

Have a good weekend.

Helen Comfort

Star Awards



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Due to the Class 4 family assembly this morning Star Awards will be given out next week and children's names will appear in next week's newsletter.

Name on school uniform please.

Please make sure that all school uniform, coats, etc. are clearly marked with your child's name. Thank you very much.



The Week Ahead!

Lunch Menu: Week 3

Week commencing 20th January 2020

Tuesday, 21st January – Deadline to respond to parentmail ref. My Mum 2020

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