

Miers Court Matters

Issue 20

10.06.26

Upcoming event

12.07.26 - 15.07.26
PGL

14.07.26 - Year 1
and 2 inflatable
afternoon

16.07.26 - Party in
the playground PTFA
Dress down day

17.07.26 - Last Day
of term

Note from Mrs Fordyce

What a wonderfully busy week we have all had. Monday started with a bang with our Colour Run which we all thoroughly enjoyed - although the slime running down my back was not my favourite !! It was a warm week and our children were amazing at looking after each other and making sure that they stayed cool and hydrated. Thursday was our KS2 sports day where we saw great sportsmanship throughout.

Next week our Year 6 children are off to PGL and we look forward to hearing all about it on their return and to then saying goodbye to them on Friday as they go off on their next adventures.



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COUNTS.**

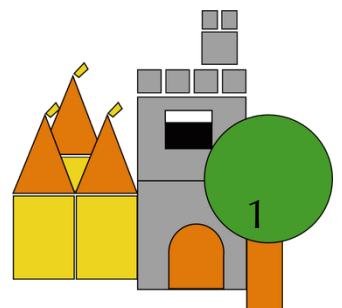
Celebration Corner!

Congratulations to Evelyn and Adem in year 3, for receiving 50 Dojo points

Congratulations to Peyton, Edward, Libby G, Billy, Leo L, Mannat, Ellie-Mae, Florence, Fraya, Sean, George B, Leo T, Oliver H and Mohammed in year R, Jack, Eva, Tom, Gracie May, Arabella in year 1, Adham, Amelie, Arlo, Beau, Harry, Lyla and Louie B in year 2, Olivia S, Darcey F, Bear, Zack, Jamie, Jessica in year 3, Gracie, Grayson, Iulia, Jenna, Mikayla, Riley K and Jack in year 4 for receiving 75 Dojo points.

Congratulations to Oliver, Amelia, Louise, Raegan, Theo, Libby B, Alba and Riley in year R, Charlie, Lola, Theo, Brianne in year 1, Melea, Arthur and Lacey in year 2, Olivia R in year 3, Zach and Finley in year 4, Olivia R, Emma, Ariana, Riley, Siaan in year 3, Sahaj and Frank P, Amelia in year 5, Aviraj, Ethan S, for receiving 100 dojo points

Attendance



Safeguarding Corner

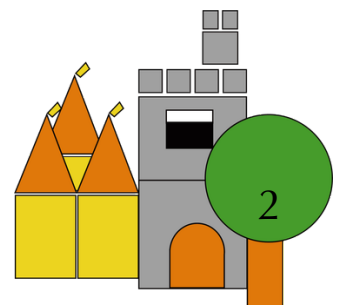


As a reminder, our Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs L Fordyce. Our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads are; Ms Munns, Miss Collings, Mrs Doherty, Miss Bradley and Mrs Kavanagh. If you have any safeguarding concerns, do not hesitate to get in contact.



For Parents - New Videos from Internet matters

Over the last few days Internet Matters have released two new videos onto their YouTube channel which I'm sure will be useful to a lot of parents. They are both very short, the first is 'what to do if a stranger contacts your child online', and the second is what to do if your child is bullied online.



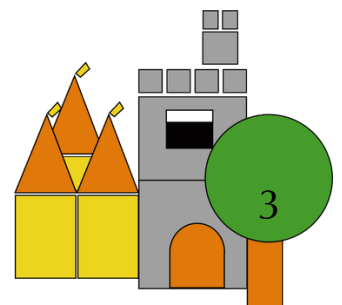
Reading update

Reading celebrations

We are delighted to share with you that we have two more word millionaires in school this week. A huge congratulations to **Jessica** and **Toni**. This is a fantastic achievement and we are really proud of you!



Congratulations also to **Eric** and **Amy** for achieving their year group word count awards this week!



Year 1 Dockside trip

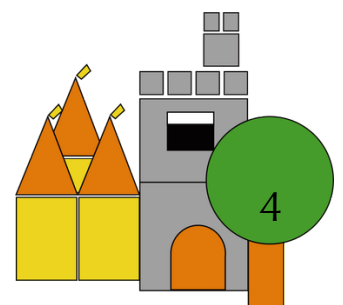


We had a fabulous, but very hot day, at Chatham Dockyard on Thursday. We had a tour of HMS Ocelot (the submarine), the children really liked this. We also had a tour of the Ropery and even got to make our own piece of rope, which we were allowed to bring back to school. We saw lots of different boats and ships and finished with a visit to HMS Gannet. This was a very popular part of the trip, with one child claiming that they would love to live on the boat! We would like to thank the amazing parent helpers. Without them, the trip could not have taken place - we are so very grateful. A big thank you from year 1!



Year 4 Viking Day

Year 4 were amazing Vikings this week! We learnt about runes and wrote our own messages, researched Gods, started constructing our longships and, in the morning, had a Viking raid! Thankyou for all the brilliant costumes.



House points



Emerald

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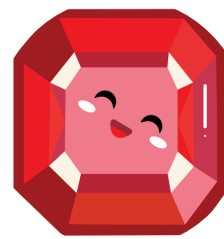
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Ruby

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Staff News

Good
Bye!

At the end of this term, we will be saying a fond farewell to **Mrs Mead**, who is retiring after an incredible 9 years with us.

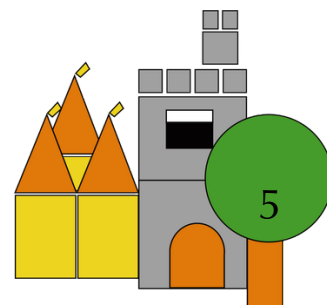
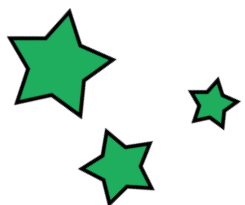
Throughout her time here, she has been a passionate, dedicated, and caring teacher who has made a lasting impact on the children, families, and colleagues she has worked with. She will be greatly missed by everyone in our school community.

We would like to thank Mrs Mead for her years of commitment and wish her a long, happy, and well-deserved retirement. We know she will enjoy this exciting new chapter, and we send her our very best wishes for the future.

We would also like to let you know that, at the end of this term, **Mrs Watson (year 1)** will be starting her maternity leave as she prepares to welcome her third child.

We are so excited for her and her family as they begin this special new chapter together. While she is away, she will be greatly missed by the children, families, and staff, and we look forward to welcoming her back in the future.

We wish her a happy, healthy, and enjoyable maternity leave and send our very best wishes to her and her growing family.

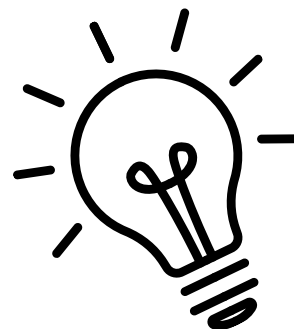




ECO

Battery Recycling - This week we have **178** batteries, thank you. We submit our total to the Duracell website each week. We also collect empty, clean bread wrappers and used ink cartridges (domestic only, please), which we give to Gillingham Street Angels, who receive a small amount of money for them. This money is used to help fund the projects that they run, for example, the soup kitchen and food bank.

A few weeks ago, members of the Eco Council went to St Margaret's Church to attend their first Eco Conference. The children found out what St Margaret's is doing to be an 'Eco Church'; eg, using LED lightbulbs, recycling books, encouraging bees and birds into the grounds



The children listened to, and joined in with, stories retold by Bernadette and they made wishes, including wishes for our world, which they told to the 'wishing tree'. There was also an opportunity to chat to a representative from Medway Climate Change team; the children have lots of ideas for new Eco projects ... watch this space!

Dates for your Diary

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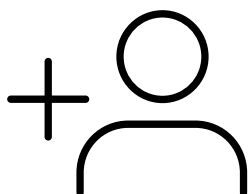
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27.08.26 - INSET DAY

28.08.26 - INSET DAY

01.09.26 - First day back to school



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