# NEWSLETTER



19th July 2018

#### A FEW WORDS FROM MRS HORN

This will be the last newsletter of the academic year.

Reflecting on the last 12 months I realise just how much the teachers have packed into the year and what wonderful learning experiences the children have had. I am very grateful to the committed team of teachers, teaching assistants and support staff here at our wonderful school who have worked so hard to create a learning environment in which the children flourish.

We would like to further increase the children's learning opportunities and as previously reported we will be opening the gates 5 minutes early from September at **8.50am**. This is to allow the children to come into school and settle to an independent morning job. We will close the gates at **9.05am**. Some of you will be coming straight from Westgate and we have asked that they open their gates promptly at 8.45am to allow parents to drop off and walk to Mount Street by 9.05am latest.

As a result of this change assembly can be held in the mornings most days allowing us to teach an additional lesson in the afternoon therefore maximising children's learning opportunities. Year group superstars will still happen on a Friday afternoon.

I know that you will strive to support us by ensuring your children arrive on time for school and enable them to fully participate in the school curriculum.

Lastly I would like to wish all of our Year 2 children the very best of luck as they leave us and move on to Junior school.

Have a wonderful summer break and we will see you at 8.50am on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September!

Mrs Horn

### NEW TERM DATES CORRECTION

Please see a corrected term dates letter that was also sent today. This supersedes any previous term dates. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

#### YEAR 1 NEWS

Wow, this year has flown by! What a year we have had. We are so proud of the children in Year 1 and the way they have matured and flourished this year. As we hand over to the year 2 teachers we are confident that the children are ready for this next step, and we are look forward to hearing how they continue to develop in their last year with us. Thank you parents and carers for all your support this year, for help with trips and for those that have volunteered in school. It has been lovely to see how so many of you have worked with your children helping with spellings and hearing them read. We hope you have a lovely summer filled with fun and adventure and remember when you are all tired out from days in the park or at the beach nothing is as calming as listening to a good book. Have a lovely summer and we look forward to seeing you all in September.

The Year 1 team.

#### ACCESS TO SCHOOL PREMISES

Parents who drop their children off late for whatever reason will no longer be able to walk to the class rooms with their child and will need to say their goodbyes at the door as our safeguarding sweep will have already taken place.

Many thanks for your cooperation with this safeguarding matter.

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#### LAST DAY OF TERM 6

Please may we remind parents that school finishes at 1.15 on the last day of term, lunch will **not** be provided on this day. Children in Year 2 are able to leave with their parents after Graduation if they wish and take any siblings home with them.

#### **KEY DATES**

DATE AND TIME	EVENT AND OTHER INFORMATION
Friday, 7th September 2018	INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
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## SUPERSTAR ASSEMBLIES

YEAR GROUP	DATE AND TIME

Last Day of Term 6 - Friday, 20th July 2018 - school closes at 1.15pm

First Day of Term 1 – Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 Inset Day – Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018 (school closed) Last Day of Term 1 – Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018

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Catherine



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## **WONDERFUL 100**



Joseph

## **250 BOOKS**



Evelyn

## 300 BOOKS



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