



SWALECLIFFE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter

Week Beginning: 18.05.26

This Week's Dates for your Diary

Week Beginning 18.05 Year 5 CATs
18.05 Yr R Dance Workshop (PE Kits)
18.05 Whitstable Carnival Workshop -
4H
20.05 Numeracy Day (dress up)
22.05 2P Swimming
Last day of term



Term 6 Dates for your Diary

Week Beginning 08.06 Year 1
Phonics screening
Year 4 MTC check
18.06 Year 3 Roman Day
19.06 PFA Summer Disco
19.06-22.06 Year 6 PGL
26.06 Sports Day
05.07 PFA Summer Event



P.E Days - Reminder

Yr R Thurs
Yr 1 Tues & Wed
Yr 2 Mon & Fri
Yr 3 Wed & Fri
Yr 4 Thurs & Fri
Yr 5 Mon & Tues (note change for Term 5)
Yr 6 Mon & Wed

Term Dates

Term 5 20th April - 22nd May
Term 6 1st June - 17th July
Term 1 3rd September - 23rd October
Term 2 2nd November - 18th December



THANK YOU

We would like to say a huge thank you to our PFA for funding the Year 6 Key Stage Two SATs breakfast and to our families for supporting PFA events. This is just a glimpse at what that support can mean to our school.

Also, we are so grateful to Mrs Clarke and Mrs Jordan for coming in early every day to prep the children's sausage baps. Thank you.

The SATs breakfast is one those memorable events for our Year 6 children and it has been lovely to open our doors to see their camaraderie.



YEAR R FAMILIES

Year R children have a treat booked with a company called Boogie on the morning of Monday 18th May. This is a dance session for each Reception class. Please can the children come into school with their PE kits on.



- These fun, engaging dance classes will help:
- Improve physical fitness and overall wellbeing
 - Build confidence, enhance gross motor skills and allow the children to express themselves freely.

We are very excited about this opportunity!

The Year R Team

OPAL PLAY BINGO

A reminder that our Term 5 OPAL Bingo Donation morning is on Monday (18th May). We will be on the junior playground collecting or in the junior hall in the event of rain.

Please give anything from the Bingo card you can.
Thank you.



| Get ready to play OPAL BINGO 18.05.26 | | | | |
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| crates  | funnels and tubes  | bungee cords  | cable spools  | tarpaulin  |
| large clips  | suitcases  | wooden cooking spoons  | scarves hats and shirts for dress up  | bags of soil  |
| old bicycle wheels  | children's buggies or strollers  | plastic sledges  | ribbon or scraps of material  | Anything weird and wonderful that needs a new home!  |

NATIONAL NUMERACY DAY

Wednesday 20th May is National Numeracy Day!

We invite the children to come to school wearing something number-themed. For example, this could be a top/ t-shirt that is made by themselves with a number/s on it or something that already has a number on it.

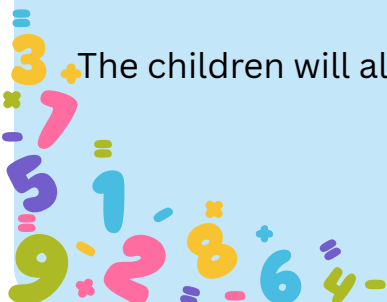
On the day, there will be a competition to design their ultimate Timetable Rockstar character, with a winner per year group, chosen by the Maths Subject Champions.

The children will also be celebrating with maths fluency challenges during the day.

We can't wait for some fluency fun!

Thanks for your support,

Mrs McLean
(Maths Team)



ONLINE SAFETY - ROBLOX: WHAT'S BEHIND THE GAMES?

Roblox is hugely popular with primary-aged children, but almost all of its content is user-generated. Anyone can build a game or chat space. That brings two real concerns: predators have used Roblox to make contact with children, and some user-made games have been used to expose young people to extremist ideas. Moderation struggles to keep up.

What you can do:

- Use Roblox's age-based content settings – under-13 accounts get the strictest filters by default.
- Switch on a parent PIN so settings can't be changed without you.
- Watch what your child is playing for ten minutes – the easiest way to spot anything off.
- Talk about reporting: any game, chat or user can be flagged via the three-dot menu.

Click on this link for more on Roblox parental controls: [link](#)



Mr Nogueira
(Computing Lead)

LAUNCH YOUTH GROUP

A new group for young people
in year 6 or above

Food &
Friends

Discussions
& Games



Tuck
Shop

Challenges

£2 Next meeting Friday 15th May
then June 19th & July 17th

6 – 7.30pm

St John's Centre, 11 St John's Road,

Contact Jane for more info 07761 963971

WHITSTABLE RUGBY CLUB

A vertical poster for 'SUMMER TAG RUGBY SESSIONS' at Whitstable Rugby Club. The top left features the club's logo: a yellow gear with a white sailboat in the center, surrounded by the text 'WHITSTABLE R.F.C.'. To the right, the title 'SUMMER TAG RUGBY SESSIONS' is written in large, bold, black letters. Below the title, it says 'AT WHITSTABLE RUGBY CLUB'. A calendar icon is followed by the text 'STARTING SUNDAY 14TH JUNE EVERY SUNDAY THROUGH THE SUMMER'. A clock icon indicates the time '6:30 - 7:30PM'. Underneath, 'AGE GROUPS' is written in bold, followed by 'ANYONE CURRENTLY IN SCHOOL YEARS: 3, 4 AND 5'. A large, stylized rugby ball is on the right with the text 'FUN. FRIENDSHIP. RUGBY.' written on it. At the bottom, a dark blue banner contains the text: 'AN HOUR OF FUN GAMES AND TOUCH RUGBY. PROVIDING A CHANCE FOR ANYONE WHO'S NOT PLAYED BEFORE TO GET AN INTRODUCTION TO THE GAME, OR CURRENT PLAYERS LOOKING TO SHARPEN THEIR SKILLS AND HAVE FUN OVER THE SUMMER.' Below this banner are four icons in a row: a smiley face (HAVE FUN), a running person (STAY ACTIVE), a group of people (MAKE FRIENDS), and a rugby ball (PLAY RUGBY).

ATTENDANCE

For the week beginning 11th May...



House Winners were:

Gulls with 93.95%

The class winners were:

1M with 98.9%

EMAILS SENT OUT THIS WEEK



Year 2 Scooterbility Survey
Year 5 Curriculum Update
1KG - Letter re: Mrs Clayton

CONTACT INFORMATION

Should you need to contact the school, you can do so by emailing office@swalecliffe.kent.sch.uk or using the link on our website:

swalecliffeprimary.org/contact-details/

If you wish to contact a teacher then use the office@swalecliffe.kent.sch.uk and write in the subject line who you wish it to go to e.g. FAO - Miss....

To report an absence, please email absence@swalecliffe.kent.sch.uk, giving your child's name and class and reason for absence.

For SEN matters, please email sen@swalecliffe.kent.sch.uk

If you need to contact a DSL (Designated Safeguarding Lead), you can do so directly using the following email-

DSL@swalecliffe.kent.sch.uk

Other contacts

Executive Headteacher: Mr Ben Cooper
Head of School: Miss Leah Garton
Deputy Head (Acting): Mrs Kate Roy
Inclusion Lead & Lead DSL: Mrs Julie Deeks
Wellbeing Lead: Ms Carrie Hill

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