



# Sibertswold Church of England Primary School

Friday  
12<sup>th</sup> May 2023

## This Week in School Year 6 SATs

Well done to all our Year 6 children who have been real troopers this week as they had their Key Stage 2 SATs.

They have enjoyed a breakfast treat each morning: croissants, crumpets, pain au chocolat or pancakes, and then today, after their last test, they were treated to a bacon roll!!

With all the pressure off, the children in Asia class can now enjoy their final few weeks together at Sibertswold.

## National Numeracy Day

Next Wednesday, is National Numeracy day and we will be highlighting Numeracy across the school on that day. As part of this special date, Nick Austin will be joining us for the whole day, to work with all Key Stage 2 classes.

We will let you know more about the things we have been up to next week.

## New School Uniform

The decision has been made for the design of our new school logo, and have contacted a local firm about supplying this ready for September, when the school name changes from Sibertswold to Shepherdswell.

In future, school uniform will no longer be supplied through school; parents will order direct from the company and it will be delivered to school, free of charge for collection by parents.

We have requested samples of the new uniform and will let you see it when we have them in school – we have also requested new badges which can be attached to our existing uniform, on top of the current logo, so that parents will not feel any pressure to rush to order the new uniform.

We hope that you will be able to order new uniform from early July, ready for September, but as you are aware, the new uniform is NOT to be worn in school until September.

## Award Winners this Week

### Reader of the week

KS1: Olivia (Y1)                      KS2: Alec (Y3)

### Writer of the week

KS1: Kane (YR)                      KS2: Finn (Y4)

### Mathematician of the week

KS1: Reuben (Y2)                      KS2: Amber (Y5)

### Citizen of the week

KS1: Henry (Y1)                      KS2: All Year 6 – SATs Stars!

### Foundation Subject Star of the Week

KS1: Bailey (YR)                      KS2: Zach (Y4)



## Happy Birthday

12<sup>th</sup>- 18<sup>th</sup> May

- ♦ Olivia (Y3) ♦ Callie (Y5) ♦
- ♦ Joseph (Y6) ♦

## Diary Dates for Term 5

Monday 15 May – 6pm Y5 Meeting (PESE + residential)  
 Wednesday 24 May – Induction Meeting for 2023 intake  
 Friday 26 May – Break the School Rules Day  
 - End of Term 5

## Mrs Wilkinson-Tough's Return

Great News! Mrs W-T is returning to us following her Maternity Leave! She will be back in school on Thursdays and Fridays, starting next week, working on various projects throughout the school on a Thursday and with class responsibility in South America Class (Year 2) on Fridays. We look forward to welcoming her back.

## Music Concert - Advance Notice

Mrs Barton Hodges will be organising a Music Concert on Wednesday 14 June, straight after school, at 3:20 in the school hall. We would love to showcase all our children's musical talent at this time, with performances by individual musicians and singers, as well as by our choirs. If anyone has music lessons outside of school and would like to take part, please let the school office or Mrs BH know.

## Reminders

### Year 5 Parents Meeting

This will be at 6pm on Monday 15 May, in Africa Classroom. All Year 5 parents are welcome to come along to learn about the Secondary School application process and more information about the residential visit to Bawdsey Manor, in September.

### Year 4 visit to Folkestone

As part of their History learning about the Victorians, Europe Class (Year 4) will be visiting Folkestone Museum on Thursday 25 May.

If any parent has not yet signed up their consent for this on the School Comms App, please do so as soon as possible.



## Dover Foodbank

Items most wanted this week:

*Instant Mash    Instant Noodles    Rice*  
*Sponge Pudding    Cup-a-Soup    Vegetarian meals*  
*Pasta meals/sauce    Tinned mince/curry*