



# St Peter's News

## 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020

**Doing all the good we can through faith, love and excellence**

- The School Council visited the Guildhall and met the Lord Mayor of Canterbury. They were able to see the Lord Mayor's and Sherrif's ceremonial robes up close as well as other civic regalia - the Lord Mayor's chain of office, the Sword and the Mace. They were also given the opportunity to blow the Burghmote Horn which dates back to 1155! Thank you to Mrs Pearson for organising this.
- Rainbow Class went Gruffalo hunting on Tuesday in Blean Woods. After all the stormy weather luckily the sun shone for us and the children really enjoyed being outside and splashing through muddy puddles! We even found the Gruffalo and some of his friends along the way. A very big thank you to all the adults that came with us; Mrs Edwards, Mr Phillips, Mrs Pickles, Miss Ryan, Mrs Gooderham and Miss Fairley and an extra thank you to Mr Donoghue for lending us a camping toilet! We would also like to thank Kent College who supported us with some minibuses for the trip.
- Class 4 did an exceptional job in their class celebration of learning worship last Friday. The children throughout the school thoroughly enjoyed it, along with the teachers. Miss Webb was extremely proud of how well they did and was so pleased to chat with so many parents after the performance.
- Class 1 have been amazing this week. Our dress up day was a huge success and thoroughly enjoyed by all. Our DT day on Thursday saw some exceptional castles built from junk. The class demonstrated great resilience and teamwork. We have had our final session in forest school where we made bread and ate sausages. The perfect end to term 3.
- We would like to say a big 'thank you' to Mrs Collaton for giving the children in Classes 3, 4 and 5 a fantastic Arabic Workshop to support our Language of the Term.

### Diary Dates



#### February-

Friday 14<sup>th</sup>-Last Day of Term 3

Monday 24<sup>th</sup>- First Day of Term 4

#### March-

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 'World Book Day@

### Coffee mornings

Every Friday in the church hall, after drop off, parents meet for a coffee and a chat. This is an ideal opportunity to meet other parents. Please come along as you will be most welcome.



### Film night

A big thank you to our wonderful PTFA for organising and running the film night last Friday. A wonderful @£175 was raised to be spent on the children. Watch out for the next PTFA event: KS2 Disco next term.

### Lego looking for a new home?

'We would like to start doing some lego therapy with children, as a way of building their social skills and ability to work as a team. To do this, we need complete sets of lego, including the instruction manual. If you have any lego which is no longer played with at home, we would love to use it in school. Please drop off to the school office. Many thanks, Mrs Duffy'

### Class 4

Miss Webb would like to request your help in providing the children with any old newspapers you may have laying around at home as the children will be doing Paper Mache on their Art Day next term! Class 4 will be starting their forest school sessions in Term 4, so wellies and waterproof clothes would be highly recommended thank you.

### 'World Book Day Dress Up Day'

This will be held on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March. Children can dress up as their favourite book character.

## Collecting children

Please make sure that you contact the office to give permission for someone different to collect your child. If we have not been informed then we will not release your child until we have your permission. This is to safeguard your child.

## Early Arrival Club

As it is not safe for the children to be waiting for the school gates to open in the mornings without adult supervision we would like Breakfast Club to offer Early Arrival sessions for children to attend each morning. This is to allow for children to be dropped off at school as early as 8:20 and it will run until the school gates open. Please see the separate letter sent today for further information.

In our collective worship this week we have been thinking about Love and Compassion. Collective worship has been led by Mrs Dyer and Reverend Tim. Key Stage worship was led by Miss Bergin and Miss Mills. Celebration worship was led by Mrs Walters.



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## Our School Council meets the Lord Mayor



## Rainbows trip to Blean Woods

