

Sedlescombe Newsletter No. 07

WORSHIP THEME Achieving our God given Potential

This week in worship we were visited by the CEO of DCAT Mr. Mark Talbot who led our school worship on Monday morning. He explained to the children how our school fits into the family of schools within DCAT and how his job is to make sure that all the children in the schools do their very best.

He then introduced the children to DCAT's vision that, 'Every child achieves their God given potential.' Sometimes there may be barriers or fears that get in our way that make it harder and sometimes we will flourish and fly. Whatever happens God is there to guide us and support us alongside our friends, teachers and family. We were all encouraged to work hard to overcome our fears and to always try our best and fulfil the potential that we have all been given.

THOMAS TAYLOR AUTHOR VISIT

We were so excited to be able to invite an author of one of our top 100 books to read in Year 6 into school this week to speak to our Key Stage 2 children about his series of books 'Eerie-on-Sea'. Thomas Taylor's books have been inspired by his experiences of living in Hastings. He not only wrote but also illustrated his books. Thomas Taylor was impressed with the children's engagement, behaviour and the quality of the writing they produced inspired by his books. Thank you to Hastings Bookshop for providing us with this great opportunity and a free set of books for our library.

POLICE VISIT



This week Reception were visited by 2 PCSO's and their police car as part of their learning about people who help us. The children learnt lots and had great fun going in the police car and hearing its siren and seeing its flashing lights. Thank you to the PCSO's for coming to visit us.

PTA AGM UPDATE

Thank you to everyone that came to support our PTA AGM and Macmillan Coffee Afternoon today. It was lovely to see so many of you. For those of you who were unable to attend I can confirm that Ruth Burgess our previous treasurer stepped down from her role as she no longer has any children at the school. I would like to take this

opportunity to formally thank her wonderful support and dedication to this role through a difficult time. She did a magnificent job and we are going to miss her professionalism, dedication and enthusiasm for the role. Thank you Ruth—please come back and visit because we are going to miss you lots.

Alex Gadsby-Houlton also stepped down from his role as Chair as did Sarah Gadsby-Houlton from her role as secretary. Both have been great supporters of the PTA throughout their time as parents at the school. They will now be able to enjoy their last year as parents supporting events rather than organising them. I would like to say thank you for your support and commitment to the PTA throughout your time at the school.

The new committee were also elected and I am pleased to say that Vicky Cornelius who has three children at the school has been elected as the PTA Chairperson, Beverley Coupar, who has two children at the school, has been elected as the Treasurer and Rebecca Ostach who has one child at the school has been elected as secretary. Their first job will be to start organising the Christmas Fair on Saturday 4th December. Please make sure that you have this marked on your calendar at home.

PTA DONATION DAY

With planning starting with immediate effect for the Christmas Fair we have our first PTA Donation Day on the last day of term (Friday 22nd October). On this day children can come to school wearing their own clothes in exchange for a donation towards one of the hampers that will be created for the raffle at the Christmas Fair.

PARENT GOVERNOR ELECTIONS

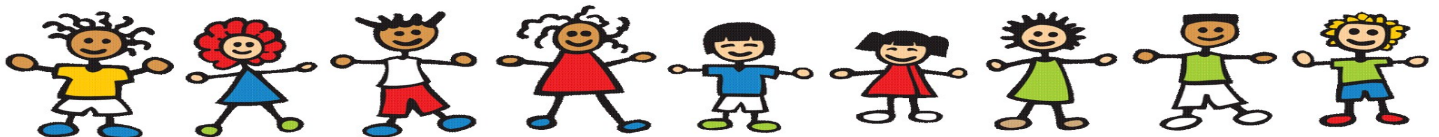
A reminder that if you are interested in becoming a parent governor to support our school in being the best that it can be please ask for an application form and return it by 12:00 noon on Friday 22nd October.

GARDEN AWARDS



Good luck to Mrs. Clode who is attending the SGO Garden Design Awards this evening where our beautiful Sensory Garden designed by Mrs. Clode is nominated for an award. Whatever the outcome we love the garden that you have designed for us and it will always be a winner in our eyes. Good luck from all of us at Sedlescombe. Fingers crossed!



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS


A reminder that the children will be having their photos taken on Thursday morning. Please make sure that all children are looking smart in their school jumpers, shirt and tie and have brushed their hair. We know that parents are often keen to use the photos as Christmas presents so we want to make sure all the children are looking their best.



Wonderful Weekly News

 Star Learners 
Reception: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Savannah Harry
Year 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Darcey Villy
Year 2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ava William
Year 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hector Brooke
Year 4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> George Maisy-Mai
Year 5: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joseph Tilly
Year 6: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Max Matthew

 Star Writers 
Reception: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arthur W
Year 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teddy
Year 2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Freddie
Year 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yalda
Year 4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Samuel
Year 5: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thomas
Year 6: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jaye

 Maths Wizards 
Reception: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noah
Year 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Izzy
Year 2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bella
Year 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grace
Year 4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Caleb
Year 5: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alice
Year 6: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evie W

Party Point Champions	
Year 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rosie 	Year 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tilly
Year 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Erin M 	Year 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Max
Year 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lily 	Year 6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dixie
Congratulations	

Gold Book Awards for Outstanding Work


Attendance Award

Reception




Congratulations Everyone

