



Mrs Phillips' Highlights of the Week 13/7/18

<i>Lunchtime Superstars</i>	<i>Stars of the Week</i>
Sapphire: Freddie Topaz: Freya Crystal: James Opal: Joshua Diamond: Tori Emerald: Olivia Amethyst: Jess H	Sapphire: Vinnie Topaz: Amelia Crystal: Oliver Opal: Tommy Diamond: Sophia Emerald: Ivy Amethyst: Honey
Class	Attendance this week
Sapphire	74%
Topaz	97.4%
Crystal	88.9%
Opal	92.4%
Diamond	94.5%
Emerald	93.2%
Amethyst	78%
<p>Well done to Opal Class who has the highest attendance this week. Whole school attendance this week is 89.9% ☺</p> <p>ATTEND TODAY, ACHIEVE TOMMOROW!</p>	
<p>100 Club Winner last week Clive Carter</p>	

- What a very busy week we have had! Before I talk about this week, just to say a HUGE thank you for supporting the Summer Fair so well. **We raised £2000!** It was a lovely atmosphere watching the dancing, then seeing everyone enjoying the cool refreshments on such a hot afternoon. Miss Walledge and I certainly were cooled down with the wet sponges! A massive thanks to Karoline, Steve and everyone else who gave up their time to make it so successful!
- There has been so much going on and lots of physical activity as part of Health Week.
- Sapphire Class had a fantastic day on Monday on their "Water Day". They spent time in the paddling pool, discussing water safety and also washed Mr Brockwell's car, discussion road safety.
- Sports Day on Tuesday was a great success and thankfully the weather wasn't too hot. Thanks to Mrs Hart for doing a wonderful job organising everything so efficiently. It was great to hear from parents and grandparents how much they enjoyed it! Well done to Dover for winning the cup!
- Everyone took part in the Race for Life event on Wednesday, running round the school field. The sponsorship money has started to come in and once all in, I will give you a total next week. Don't forget you can sponsor online at <https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/west-kingsdown-ce-primary-school> Thank you to those parents/staff who have done so already.

- We all took part in a Zumba session yesterday to get those heart rates up! A big thank you to Valerie Benfield for coming in and giving up her time free of charge to work with staff and pupils. The children loved it! You can look Valerie up on Facebook as Resurgent Fitness.
- There has been lots of healthy food being made in classes this week too. Y5 made smoothies and granola bars incorporating Maths skills converting metric and imperial measures. In Y2 they made tropical fruit salad along with strawberry and banana milkshakes. Perhaps pupils could be encouraged to make healthy drinks/snacks at home?
- The Wildlife Area has had lots of use this week! Pupils in Y1 and Y2 have made terrariums out there and one afternoon there were four classes in there all investigating the tadpoles and making bug hotels from pallets. The children love spending time out there!
- Y6 split into 2 teams and put their skills into two business enterprises; Milkshake making and glitter tattoos/face-painting. The girls beat the boys by making £10 more profit. Well done girls!
- The meeting concerning the class structure for September took place yesterday afternoon. Thank you to those parents who attended and asked questions. The feedback I have had was that it was helpful. The meeting will be repeated next Tuesday at 7pm.
- I hope that you all received a copy of our results yesterday. I have included them here in case anyone missed them. **I am so proud of all of the staff and pupils for yet again, a wonderful achievement.** Please spread the word to all your friends!
- Please make sure that you get your child's end of year report at the end of the day today. There is a slip inside which I would ask you to complete and return to the office next week.
- I have had some children from Y1 come and show me some superb writing this morning. The progress that is evident in their books since September is amazing! Miss Walledge is very proud of them!
- **NEXT WEEK : Normal school uniform to be worn!**
- On Monday morning, we shall be welcoming our new intake of pupils for September and all of the children will move to their new classroom and spend the morning with their new teacher(s). The meeting for the parents of the new pupils will be at 7pm on Monday evening.
- A repeat of the meeting about the class structure in September will be in KS1 hall at 7pm. Information from these meetings will be sent to all parents of pupils currently in Sapphire and Topaz Classes.
- The 2018 Spelling Bee finals take place on Wednesday morning, with parents of the finalists invited.
- On Wednesday afternoon, Y5 pupils will be showcasing their clarinet skills in a short music celebration. They will also be joined by Mrs Gee's guitar group and Rock Choir. Parents of those pupils taking part are invited to attend at 2.35pm.
- Staff will be available to discuss reports after school on Wednesday. Please make an appointment beforehand so teachers know who will be coming.
- Y6 pupils will be performing The Wizard of Oz on Wednesday evening at 7pm. Pupils are asked to be back in school by 6.30pm.
- The BBQ for Y6 pupil and parents will be on Thursday at 12.30pm, followed by the Y6 Leavers' Service at St Edmund's Church at 2pm. It would be lovely to see parents or grandparents there for every pupil in Y6.
- In preparation for the Summer Reading Challenge, take a look at the following clip
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=18LIsnh9CNE>

INSET DAYS:
MONDAY 3RD + TUESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER
THURSDAY 3RD + FRIDAY 4TH JANUARY

Have a lovely weekend!
Mrs Phillips

RESULTS 2018

	WEST KINGSDOWN 2018	WEST KINGSDOWN 2017	NATIONAL (2017)
EYFS reaching Good Level of Development	80%	73%	71%
Y1 phonics screening reaching required standard	85%	72%	81%
Y2 Phonics	93%	88%	92%
KS1 Reading reaching expected +	82% 32% GDS	63% 17% GDS	76%
KS1 Writing reaching expected	78% 25 % GDS	63% 21% GDS	68%
KS1 Maths reaching expected	82% 25% GDS	83% 17% GDS	75%
KS2 Reading Reaching expected	90% 30% GDS	81% 19% GDS	71%
KS2 TA Writing reaching expected	80% 40% GDS	81% 24% GDS	76%
KS2 SATS Maths Reaching expected	100% 20% GDS	86% 14% GDS	75%
KS2 SATS SPAG reaching expected	100% 50% GDS	81% 33%GDS	77%
KS2 combined R/W/M	80%	71%	61%