St Mildred's Primary Infant School

Newsletter date: Friday 9th October 2026

This Weeks News

This week was a very busy week as it was our Sponsored Scoot week! The children really enjoyed going out on the scooters and trying to see how many times they could scoot round our track! Money is starting to come in now and once it is all in and counted we will let you know the grand total. Thank you very much for your support with this.

A reminder that next week on Monday, it is school photos and Parents Evening on Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th. Don't forget if you haven't signed up for an appointment slot you can still do so by popping in to the office. Also a reminder that school closes at 2.00 on the Wednesday.

This week we are started celebrating Black History Month. We spoke to the children about the importance of celebrating Black History Month in assembly, The children learnt about black people who have spoken out and made a difference for us all.



Superstars of the Week

You can see your child's picture on the school website:

Superstars of the Week | St Mildred's Primary Infant School

Palm Bay - Reception Children will start later in the term

Kingsgate Bay – Reception Children will start later in the term

Louisa Bay— Reception Children will start later in the term

Minnis Bay— Zeeza for using the learning powers 'Have a go Harold' and 'Concentrate Colin Caterpillar'

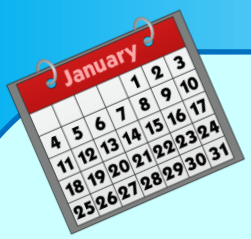
Stone Bay - Vincent for using the learning power 'Don't Give Up Donald Duck' in his learning and sounds.

Pegwell Bay— Louis for using the learning power 'Enjoy Learning Edward Elephant' and being amazing in practice for the harvest festival.

Viking Bay - Nancy for amazing writing and keeping all the school values

Joss Bay - Alfie for making a difference in Joss Bay, being kind and doing lots of work.

Botany Bay— Jack for using the learning power 'Concentrate Colin Caterpillar'



IMPORTANT DATES

All information can be found on our school website:

Letters Home | St Mildred's Primary Infant School

PLEASE NOTE ANY DATES IN RED ARE NEW DATES ADDED THIS WEEK

Monday 12th October—School Photos

Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th October —Parent Consultations.

Friday 16th October—Year 2 Science Trip

Monday 19th October at 9 am - Botany Bay Harvest Assembly

Monday 19th October at 2.00 pm Viking Bay Harvest Assembly

Tuesday 20th October at 9 am—Joss Bay Harvest Assembly

Tuesday 20th October at 2.00 pm—Minnis Bay Harvest Assembly

Thursday 22nd October at 9 am—Pegwell Bay Harvest Assembly

Thursday 22nd October at 2.00 pm—Stone Bay Harvest Assembly

Monday 7th December at 9.15 am—Kingsgate Bay Christmas Production

Monday 7th December at 2.00 pm—Year 1 Christmas Production (Please note due to space , at this performance all of Stone Bay parents are invited and half of Minnis Bay parents whose surname is between A-H)

Tuesday 8th December at 9.15 am—Palm Bay Christmas Production

Tuesday 8th December at 2.00 pm—Year 1 Christmas Production (Please note due to space, at this performance all of Pegwell Bay parents are invited and half of Minnis Bay parents whose surname is between I-Z)

Wednesday 9th December at 9.15 am—Louisa Bay Christmas Production

Thursday 10th December at 9.00 am—Year 2 Christmas Concert (Please note due to space , at this performance all of Botany Bay parents are invited and half of Viking Bay parents whose surname is between A-K)

Friday 11th December at 9.00 am—Year 2 Christmas Concert (Please note due to space , at this performance all of Joss Bay parents are invited and half of Viking Bay parents whose surname is between L-Z)

Monday 14th December—Rocksteady Concert—9:30am

Dream Big, Aim High... Make a Difference



Celebrating Achievements at Home



This week we are celebrating:

Otto, in Joss Bay, who shared his medal for football.

Ollie, in Viking, who achieved Grade 2 in his scooter lessons.

Luca, in Stone, who was 'Squirrel of the Week'.

Well done everyone.



Dream Big, Aim High... Make a Difference

Whole School Noticeboard

Wednesday 14th October—Parents consultation

Please note that due to the early consultation appointments on Wednesday 14th October, school will close at 2pm on this date. After School Club will still run for those children who **usually** attend on a Wednesday. These children will stay in school and be taken across at 3.00 as normal.

Mystery Reader

We are pleased to announce that Mystery Reader will be returning to all year groups starting on Friday 6th November. Please look out for a letter that will be sent out by email. If you would like to sign-up, you can begin to book at the school office on Monday 12th October 2026

School Photo

Reminder that on Monday 12th October the school photographer will be taking the children's photos.



Year R Noticeboard

My Unique story

Please remember to sit down with your child and complete their *Unique Story*, which should have been placed in your child's book bag.

Once completed, please return it to school on **Monday 12th October**.

Thank you for your support!

Days to remember

Outdoor Learning

Thursdays

Year 1 Noticeboard

Days to remember

Outdoor Learning

Monday—Minnis Bay

PE Days

Thursday — Minnis Bay

Tuesday & Friday— Stone Bay

Payment Reminder

This is a reminder that the year 1 Train trip payment is due by **Friday 16th October**. This can now be paid through Arbor.

Year 1 Train Ride

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of the Year 1 Experience Passport, the children will be going on an exciting return train journey from Broadstairs Station to Herne Bay Station.

Once in Herne Bay, the children will explore the local park and nearby sights before returning to the station to head back to school.

Please rest assured that all children will return to school in time for their usual lunch routine.

Below are the dates for each class's train ride:

Tuesday 3rd November – Minnis Bay
Thursday 5th November – Stone Bay
Friday 6th November – Pegwell Bay

To help your child enjoy their day comfortably, please ensure they bring a water bottle and have a water proof jacket with them.

The cost of the return train journey will be £3 per child which we ask to be paid via Arbor by Friday 16th October 2026.

If you are available to be a parent helper any of the trips from 9am-11:45 (Approx time), please fill in the form below:

https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/1RQcDfAN87

Thank you for your continued support.



Year 2 Noticeboard

Days to remember

Outdoor Learning

Friday —Viking Bay

PE Days

Wednesday — Viking Bay

Monday & Wednesday — Joss Bay

Wednesday & Friday —Botany

Coming soon…

Year 2 Disco

Look out for information coming soon about the year 2 disco on Thursday 22nd October.







Attendance

Palm Bay

94.86%

Kingsgate Bay

97.5%

Louisa Bay

94.71%

Minnis Bay

92.5%

Pegwell Bay

95.3

Stone Bay

98.71%

Joss Bay

93.75%

Viking Bay

97.5%

Botany Bay

97%

This week's winners are Stone Bay!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Football Fun Camps
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RSPCA THANET BRANCH INVITES YOU TO THE...

HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR!

FRIDAY OCTOBER 30TH



5.30PM-7.30PM



LOCATION: RSPCA ISLE OF THANET BRANCH, QUEENSDOWN ROAD, CT7 0HG

ADULTS £2
CHILDREN £1
TODDLERS FREE
(EXTRA CHARGES FOR SOME ACTIVITIES)

SPOOKY WALK- FANCY DRESS COMPETITION - GAMES - HOT CHOCOLATE & TASTY TREATS - MEET THE ANIMALS - GLITTER TATTOOS & MORRREEEE

ALL MONEY RAISED GOES TO HELPING THE ANIMALS AT THE RSPCA THANET BRANCH

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Is Your Child Starting Year 3 in 2027?
Come and See Our School!

Our school tours will be available during: Term 1 and Term 2
These tours give you the opportunity to see our wonderful school, meet our staff and find out more about life here.





If you are unable to attend one of our personalised tours during Term 1 and Term 2, you are welcome to join us on Wednesday 2nd December at 9.30am where some of our Year 6 Children will be happy to give you a tour.





To arrange a visit:
Please contact Ms Bridger in the school office on 01843 861393.

We look forward to welcoming you and showing you around!