



NEWSLETTER

Term 6, Week 3 2019

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This Week...

Last week, children in Year 6 applied their maths skills by measuring and then calculating the volume of the boxes we prepared to send to our link school Chilwa 2 in Malawi. This week, Austin Grout and his daughter Lily delivered the boxes of books and football kits to Maidstone to be loaded onto the container. Austin met Chris Knott who is the Founder and Chairman of Starfish Malawi. We are hugely grateful to Austin for taking time on his 'day off' to deliver the books (which children donated on World Book Day) and the football kits that were kindly donated by All Stars Eastbourne Football Club. If you would like to find out more about the work of the Starfish Malawi team please follow this link: <http://starfishmalawi.com/>



In our Family Communion this week Ben reminded us of 'Creation' and that God gave his best for us – everything he created was good. Ben challenged us to always give our best effort in everything we do.

We currently have six Swiss teachers visiting us in school and we look forward to the children being able to ask questions to compare what life and schooling is like for children in Switzerland compared to the UK. In assembly, we congratulated Lexie McLean for being awarded a gold medal for running 5k in the 'Race for Life' and raising money for Cancer Research UK. At the end of the day Year 6 enjoyed sharing their recent experiences of PGL with their parents and children in Year 5. All 32 members of the class went on the residential. I hope year 5 were entertained and are looking forward to having the opportunity to take part next year.

After quite a challenging week with bees on the field and thunderstorms causing a power cut and then flooding in some parts of the school, it was light relief to see the children's fantastically creative hairstyles for Fun Hair Day on Friday. Well done to parents and thank you for the donations for the Summer Fair.

In response to parent feedback at this week's meeting, there will be a further opportunity to ask questions about the academy consultation on Thursday morning and a dedicated page has been created on our website with all recent communication and some additional downloads and links.

<https://www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk/academy-consultation-information/>

Thank you to those parents who have approached me directly with both questions and positive feedback in the playground.

Katherin Weeks

Term Dates and Coming Events

<https://www.meads.e-sussex.sch.uk/coming-events/>

Monday 24 th June	YR/1/2 Tennis sessions
Monday 24 th June	Reception Class Fireman Visit
Wednesday 26 th June	Y6 Diocesan Leavers' Service St Andrew's Church Seaside
Thursday 27 th June	8.40am Coffee Morning: DCAT

July

Tuesday 2 nd July	Transition/Move Up Day--All classes	
		New Reception, Teddy Bears' Picnic
Thursday 4 th July	Y4/5 Herstmonceux Science Centre Visit	
		
Friday 5 th July	SPANISH DAY	
	All children invited to dress in the colours of the Spanish flag	
Saturday 6 th July	2pm Summer Fair	
Tuesday 9 th July	Sports Day: KS2 9.30am KS1 1.15pm	
Thursday 18 th July	Y5 Hands on History	
Tuesday 23 rd July	Last Day for children 2.30pm Leavers Service at St John's Church	

Faith in the Family

Last term we invited children to join a Pupil Prayer Team to pray for the school, their classes and families. We meet alternate Tuesdays just before lunch to give God thanks for what he is doing and bring our prayer requests to Him. It's a real privilege to stand with the children in their prayers and wonderful to watch them become more confident in praying. Jesus encourages us to become more like children and I like to think that's in our prayers as well as our faith. This week why not encourage your children to be the ones who pray for your family each day.

Kim Leach

Rainbow Awards

Reception Class:	Elizabeth Bykova
Year 1:	Tristan Pilliner
Year 2:	Kai Lang
Year 3:	Oliver Barber
Year 4:	Alexa Stanger
Year 5:	Thomas Clarke
Year 6:	Reuben Butler



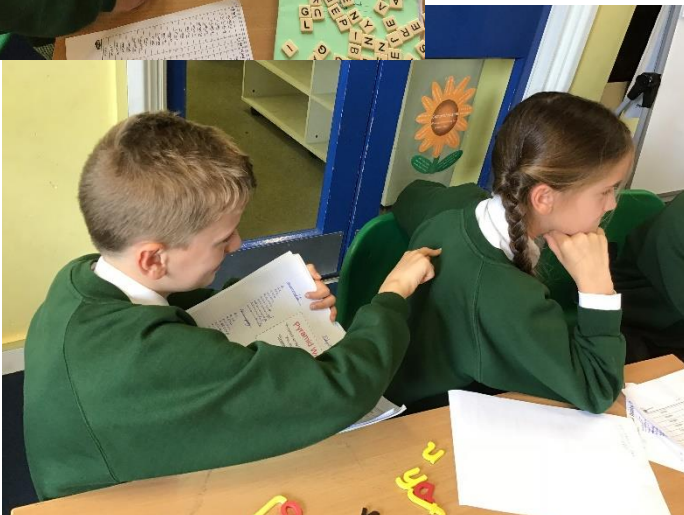
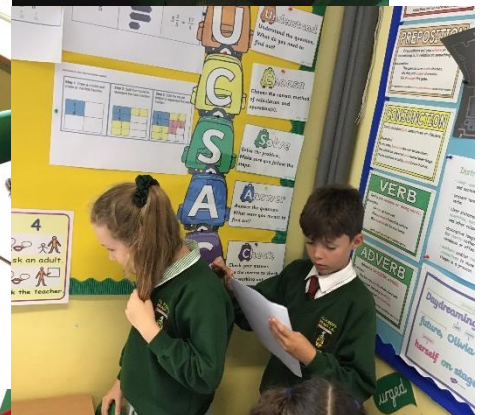
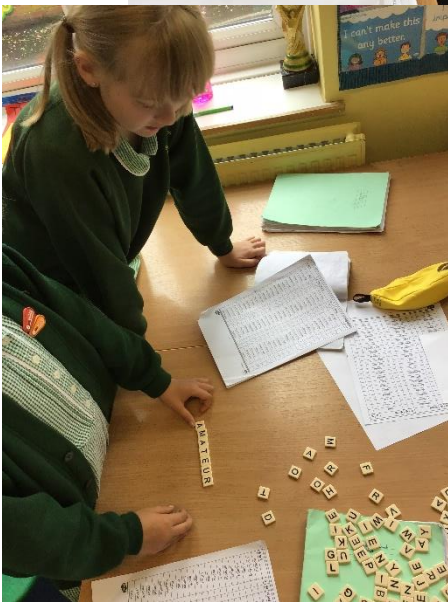
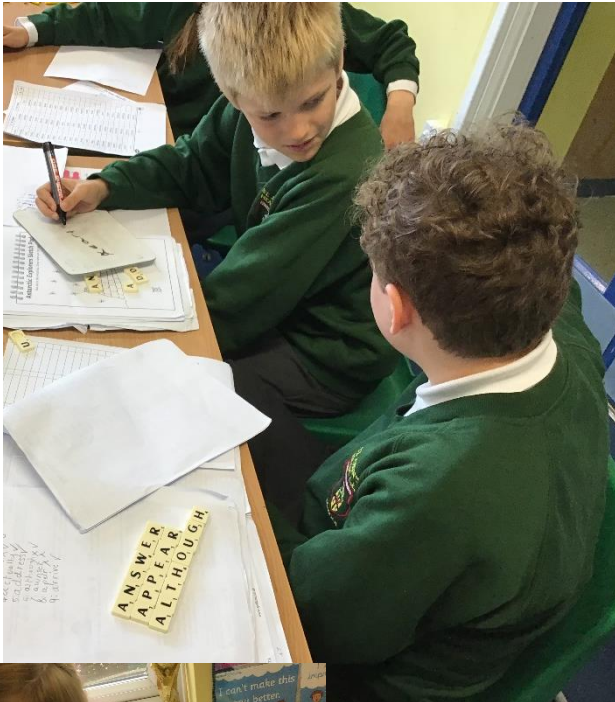
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Year 5 – strategies for learning spellings





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Friends News

This week, the Friends have partnered with @gohenry - an easy and fun way to pay your kids pocket money and teach them good money habits. Follow our link to find out more or look on our Facebook page for more information and on how to register:

<https://www.gohenry.com/uk/pta-referrals/?promotion=STMEADSPS&ght=STMEADSPS>

"The Friends are delighted to announce that there will be a private showing of the exciting new

Toy Story 4 movie on Saturday 20th July at 10.30am (seating from 10am) at The Curzon Cinema in Langney Road, Eastbourne Town Centre. Tickets are £3.50 per person and as this is a non-school activity all children must be accompanied by an adult. Tickets are now available via <https://pmx.parentmail.co.uk> or through your Class Reps. We do hope you enjoy this lovely family event and celebrate together towards the end of the school year. Please do feel free to invite family and friends to support our school and lovely local cinema."



Live music from Pete James aka 'Throwback Kid' and the School Choir!