



THE WEALD NEWSLETTER

22nd May 2026 Summer Issue 2

Headteacher: James Baguley



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this newsletter finds you well and looking forward to the May half term.

It was a delight to welcome some of our existing parents from Scott Broadwood to The Weald yesterday. As part of the tour, they experienced 5 star cuisine in our French style restaurant and saw the totally refurbished forest school area which is looking superb. This includes a bird watching and firepit area. A huge thank you to Victoria Hofgartner for all her efforts in transforming this area for our children.

It was also a pleasure to recently welcome a former golfer professional, Joe Silence to The Weald. Our Year 3 and 4 children have had the opportunity to develop their putting and iron play. A big thank you to Joe and the team.

I also had the privilege of dropping in to see Year 5 and 6 recently. They were busy developing their manifestos to present to the national government with the aim of solving the country's problems! I am hoping that we might have the next Prime Minister in our midst!

Finally, I would like to pass on my sincere thanks to the Year 6 teachers who have gone the extra mile as always in preparing the children for their recent SATs tests. The children did the school proud and we thanked them all by buying them pizzas last Friday to celebrate!

Wishing you all a relaxing half term break and I look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 1st June.

Best wishes
Mr J Baguley
Head teacher



Safeguarding: Change of Collection Arrangements

Please could we remind you to call/email the office if your child is being collected by anyone other than the parent/carer otherwise the child

will not be released. Also please inform the office if your child is not on the bus and who is collecting them. This is a safeguarding issue and we need your permission before we can hand over your child to another person. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parking Please be reminded that only people with a [blue disabled badge](#) can park on the school grounds at pick up and collection times. We are very limited on space in the front car park and this can be dangerous if too many cars are manoeuvring. If you do not have this badge, please park on the Newdigate Road or in Beare Green Village.

Attendance

Well done to Turing for having the best attendance last week. You were the winners of the attendance cup which is given out every Friday in the achievement assembly.

Please can we also remind parents to call or email the office BEFORE 9:00am on each day their child is absent from school.



ATTENDANCE
WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?



EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS!

Children are required by law to attend 190 school days per year. The Government states that every pupil's attendance should be at least 95%.

HOW DO YOU MEASURE UP?

Attendance	Days Absent	Weeks Absent	Lessons Missed
95%	9 Days	2 Weeks	50 Lessons
90%	19 Days	4 Weeks	100 lessons
85%	29 Days	6 Weeks	150 lessons
80%	38 Days	8 Weeks	200 lessons
75%	48 Days	10 Weeks	250 lessons
70%	57 Days	11.5 Weeks	290 lessons
65%	67 Days	13.5 Weeks	340 lessons

89% and below
Drastic effect on academic achievement



95% - 90%
Cause for concern



100% - 96%
Excellent



Young Carers



This week our Young Carers enjoyed a relaxed and friendly session led by our Home School Link Worker, Helen Young, with support from Mrs Hopkins. The children were treated to some sweets and biscuits before taking part in a series of activities designed to help them connect, unwind, and feel supported.

We started by checking in with everyone, asking how they were feeling and inviting them to describe their mood using the weather — a simple but meaningful way to help them express themselves.

The group was reminded why the Young Carers Club exists: every child there shares something important in common, and they all have trusted adults in school they can talk to whenever they need support.

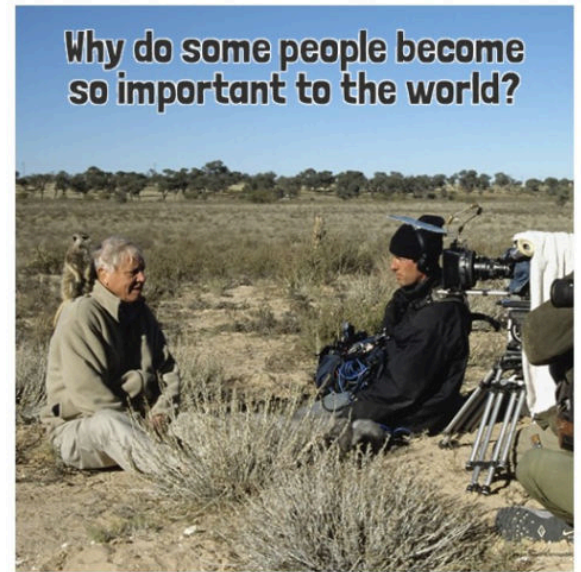
The children then played a “get to know you” bingo game, where the children moved around the room asking each other fun questions. It was a lovely way for them to chat, laugh, and discover what they have in common.

To finish, we played a lively sit-down/stand-up game that brought plenty of smiles and energy to the room.

We're proud of our Young Carers and the way they look out for one another. We look forward to our next session together, the last one of this school year.



Picture News Assembly



In the news this week

Sir David Attenborough, a famous naturalist and broadcaster, is celebrating his 100th birthday. For over 70 years, he has created and presented programmes that help people understand animals, nature, and the planet. His work has inspired millions of people to learn more about the world and take care of it. Many people are celebrating his life and the difference he has made.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Who is someone you think is important? Why are they important?
- What has David Attenborough done to help people understand the world?
- How can we learn about places and animals we can't see ourselves?
- Do you think you have to be famous to make a difference? Why?
- Can you share something you care about and would like others to care about too?

Celebration Assembly - Friday 8th May



Well done to Leo, Bethany, Callum, Ellen, Evie, Amy, Florence, Felix, Ava, Leah, Rosie and Ava for receiving their Golden Ticket. We are very proud of your achievements.



We are Athletes

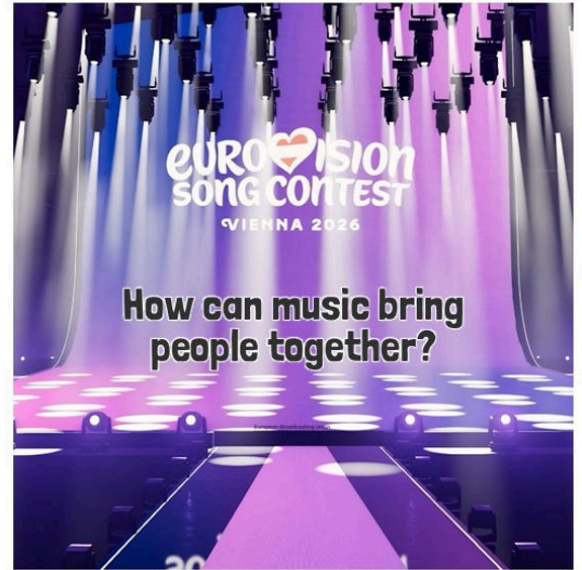
Year 3 and 4 Golf Sessions



Year 3 and 4 have been practising their golf skills with professional PGA, Joe Silence. They have had the opportunity to develop their putting, chip and full swings, target aim, and precision. The children have had an amazing and fun experience during this opportunity.



Picture News Assembly



In the news this week

This week, countries from across Europe and beyond are taking part in the Eurovision Song Contest. Each country performs a song, and millions of people watch and vote for their favourites. The contest celebrates different styles of music, languages, and cultures from around the world.

Things to talk about at home ...

- What kind of music do you enjoy most, and why? Does everyone in your house enjoy the same music?
- Why do you think people from different countries enjoy listening to music together?
- Do you believe competitions like Eurovision are fair? Why?
- In your view, does music bring people together, or can it sometimes divide opinions?

Celebration Assembly - Friday 15th May



Well done to Charlie, Thomas, Maddie, Owen, Oscar, Seb, Myra, Reece, Queenie, Sophia and Amara for receiving their Golden Ticket. We are very proud of your achievements.



We are Authors

Year 5 / 6 Manifesto



This half term, year 5 and 6 have been using their knowledge about democracy to write a manifesto based on the question 'How can we all live together?' We were very impressed with their ideas, such as getting rid of student loans and lowering taxes to abolish the monarchy so that we can spend more money on the NHS! The children presented their manifestos and had the opportunity to take part in a debate about their proposals for the government.



Year 6 SATS and Pizza



Last Friday, our Year 6 pupils approached their SATS with determination, resilience and a wonderfully positive attitude. We could not be prouder of the way they conducted themselves throughout the week. From early mornings to the final papers, they demonstrated focus, maturity and a real sense of perseverance that reflects the very best of our school community. SATS week can be a challenging and sometimes daunting experience, yet our Year 6 children supported one another, stayed calm and gave each test their very best effort. They should feel incredibly proud of all they have achieved—not just academically, but in the confidence and independence they displayed. To recognise their fantastic effort, Mr Baguley treated the whole year group to a well-deserved celebration last Friday, complete with pizzas for everyone. It was a lovely opportunity to relax, reflect and celebrate together after such a busy and important week. The smiles and laughter were a joy to see and a fitting reward for all their dedication. We would also like to thank our staff and families for their ongoing support and encouragement—it really does make a difference.

We are Musicians




This half term, year 3/4 Shackleton enjoyed learning how to play the trumpet, focusing on notes C and B flat. Through fun activities, listening games and simple songs, they developed confidence in creating a clear sound. To celebrate their

hard work, the children performed in a school assembly, proudly showcasing their new skills.



Supporting your child with transitions



Parent/Carer Coffee Morning Supporting children through TRANSITIONS

Join us for a relaxed and friendly forum to talk about how we can support children through change and transition.

★ Led by: ASD Outreach Worker

In partnership with SENCo, Mrs Hopkins

✓ What we'll cover:

- v Supporting children with change and uncertainty
- v Practical tips and strategies for home and school
- v Understanding transition during school changes
- v Opportunities to ask questions and share experiences

**Thursday 11th June
9am
The Weald School Hall**

Enjoy a coffee, a chat, and connect with other parents in a supportive space.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Celebration Assembly - Friday 22nd May



Well done to Lyra, Dexter, Angelina, Elias, Ann, Isla, Ella, Freddie, Evie, James and Aiden for receiving their Golden Ticket. We are very proud of your achievements.

Picture News Assembly



TAKEHOME

18th - 24th May



Do we learn
more from
winning or
losing?

In the news this week

Last weekend, football teams Manchester City and Chelsea competed in the Men's FA Cup Final at Wembley Stadium. The FA (Football Association) Cup is one of the oldest football competitions in the world, with teams from across England and Wales taking part each year. Millions of people watched the match, supporting their teams and hoping to see them win the famous trophy. For the players, reaching the final is a huge achievement after months of hard work.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Can you think of a time when you won something – what did you learn?
- What about a time you didn't win – what did that teach you?
- In your opinion, why do some people keep trying even after losing?
- Talk together about how you believe we should behave when you lose.

Is your child learning an instrument?

We are planning a music showcase concert after half term and are looking for children who would like to perform a piece of music that they have been learning in lessons. This concert is a great opportunity for celebrating the successes of musical instrument lessons and giving the opportunity to perform a complete piece. Please ask your child to come and talk with Mrs Hopkins in the first week back.

Dates for your Diary

Summer Term 2026

25th-29th May - Half term
 1st June - Back to School
 5th June - Sports Day
 8th June - Sports Day - Rain off
 17th June - Year 6 Guildford Cathedral Leavers Service
 24-26th June - Year 6 Thames Young Mariners
 26th June - Y5 Visit to Priory
 1st July - Move up/Transition Day
 2nd July - Pixham Athletics 6-8pm
 3rd July - Y5 Capel
 20th July - Year 6 Leavers Party 6-8pm
 21st July - Leavers Service at St Mary Magdalene
 22nd July - Inset Day

After School Clubs Timetable - Summer Term 2026

Monday:

Running (Kai) - 3.20-4.30pm
 Dance - 3.20pm-4.20pm

Tuesday:

Art - 3.20pm-4.30pm - 5.30pm
 Cookery Club - 3.20pm - 4.35pm
 Dodgeball (Kai) - 3.20-4.30pm

Wednesday:

Art - 3.20pm - 4.30pm - 5.30pm
 Forest School - 3.20-4.30pm
 Karate - 3.20pm - 4.20pm
 Multisports - 3.20pm-4.30pm

Thursday:

Art - 3.20pm - 4.30pm - 5.30pm
 Roller Hockey Club - 3.20-4.20pm
 Rounders (Kai) - 3.20pm - 4.30pm

Friday:

Bowls - 3.20pm - 4.20pm
 Football (Kai) - 3.20-4.30pm

Lunchtime Clubs Timetable

Monday:

Dodgeball - 12.30-1pm - outside
 Gym - 12.30-1pm - Main Hall

Tuesday:

Rock Band - 12.30 - 1pm - Music Room

Wednesday:

Multisports - 12.30-1pm - outside

Thursday:

Multisports - 12.30-1pm - outside

Sing Club - 12.30-1pm - Main hall

Friday:

Multisports - 12.30-1pm



THE PRIORY SCHOOL



Current Year 5 Parent & Pupil Tours

Our Headteacher Mrs Trimnell welcomes all current Year 5 pupils and parents to join her for a tour of The Priory School.

When: Daily from 9.15-10.15am
From Monday 08 to Friday 12 June 2026

Pre Booking Required via QR code opposite or by emailing admissions@priorycofe.com

The Priory School Tours for Admission to Year 7 in 2027/28









We also welcome you to our Open Evening 2026 on Thursday 01 October 5.30-7.30pm. Pre booking is NOT REQUIRED for Open Evening.



May 2026 Timetable

All regular sessions delivered live online via zoom. 90 minutes long

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Recordings available for 48 hours

School Anxiety	4 May 10am
Understanding Anger	4 May 7pm
Facing Defiance	5 May 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	5 May 7pm
Cannabis and Ketamine Awareness	11 May 10am
Anxiety Explained	11 May 7pm
Introduction to OCD	12 May 10am
What is ACT?	12 May 7pm
Decreasing Depression	18 May 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	18 May 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	19 May 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	19 May 7pm
Autism: Improving Communication	25 May 10am
Improving Family Communication	25 May 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	26 May 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	26 May 7pm
FREE Getting a Good Nights Sleep	28 May 7-8pm

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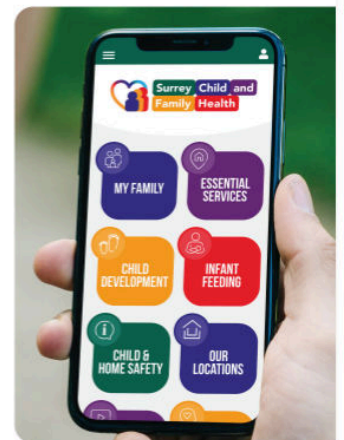
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DATE · WEDNESDAY 3RD JUNE · WEDNESDAY 15TH JULY

TIME · 3:20 PM · 4:30 PM

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