

Friday Flier



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We waved **Year 2** off this morning in the sunshine on their visit to **Minnis Bay in Kent**. Children were happily boarding the coach with their bucket and spades, looking forward to a day on the beach. We are sure they will have a fantastic time! We will let you have photos of the day next week.

Looking forward to their day at the beach, and in culmination of their time at Deansfield, **Year 6 are off to Joss Bay** on Friday 20th July. More news to follow by separate letter.

It's a busy time for Year 6. They are making their **secondary school visits** at the moment—if your child's visit is yet to come, please let the school office know.

They are also practising hard for the **End of Year Performance** which they will make to parents on Tuesday 17th July (you will already have a letter concerning this).

Also taking place is the **Mini Enterprise Day on 11th July**, when Year 6 children working in small groups, put together their enterprising ideas to our very own 'Alan Sugar' aka Mr Wilson to determine whether their ideas are worthy enough for the school's financial backing. If agreement is reached, their backing is secured, and their scheme put in place to sell to the remainder of the school. If your child would like to make a purchase on the day, please send them into school with no more than £3, in an envelope with their name on it. Many thanks!

Graduoke Day for those Year 6 members pre-booked will take place on Friday 13th July. This is a fun event organised independently to the school, where a company film Year 6 children to a music track pre-chosen and it is then edited to a DVD—a permanent reminder of their days at Deansfield and their classmates. Thanks to Mrs Kemble-Smith for organising this.

Year 6 children are also looking forward to their **Leavers Party on 13th July**—invitations will be in book bags today.

Thank you to **Year 5 parents** for attending the meeting to discuss how sex education is taught to Year 5. If you couldn't attend the meeting and have borrowed the school's DVD please return it without delay as we need it to support our teaching.

Year 5 visited Eltham Palace this week to complete our work on 'contrasting locations'. They had a wonderful day in the sunshine, taking in the historical locations on their walk there. Children also visited the famous **Courtaulds 1930's Annexe**, and took the opportunity of dressing up 1930's style.



We also had some reviews from 6W from their visit last Friday to the **Science Museum**. Apparently the Science Show in particular was a real success!



Key dates for your diary

9th July: **Compass Sports Day @ Sutcliffe Park**—selected children

12th July: **Parents Open Evening**—meet new teachers from 4-5pm

13th July: **Graduoke for those Yr 6 who have pre-booked**

13th July: **Yr 6 Leavers Party**

17th July: **Yr 6 Leavers production to parents**

20th July: **Nursery closed—Teddy Bears Picnic Oxleas Woods**

20th July: **Break up from school.**

5th September: **Children return to school**

Value of the Month:

NEXT WEEK AT DEANSFIELD:

Monday: Swimming for Class 4PW

Monday: Compass Sports Day @ Sutcliffe Park—selected children

Monday: Reception class Hearing test retakes

Tuesday: Reception & Yr 1— visit by Andrew Smith Mini-Beast Workshop

Wednesday: Mini Enterprise Day

Thursday: Summer Open Evening—come along and meet your child's new Class Teacher from 4-5pm

Thursday: Class 5H visit Eltham Palace (packed lunch and drink please)

Friday: Year 6 Graduoke Day

Friday: Year 6 Leavers Party 7-9pm

Friday: Class 5L Assembly: Please look out for letters on Monday.

Maths Challenge! Our last puzzle was: An old Mathematics book contained this addition sum which had been marked correct by the teacher:

$$\begin{array}{r} \square \ 7 \ 2 \\ 3 \ \square \ 8 \\ \hline 4 \ 7 \ \square \end{array}$$

The three squares in the diagram are where the paper was so bad I couldn't read them. What were the three missing numbers?

Our solution is: The most obvious place to start was the 0 on the bottom (don't forget to carry the 1!).

Working towards the left, the next one has to be 9 to make the total 16 (+1 = 17) so we carry another 1.

$$\begin{array}{r} \underline{0} \ \underline{7} \ \underline{2} \\ \underline{3} \ \underline{9} \ \underline{8} \\ \hline \underline{4} \ \underline{7} \ \underline{0} \end{array}$$

That means the top left digit must be empty (or a zero):

B	R	A	V	E
E	B	R		
		V		B
	B	R		
		E	B	

This week's challenge is: Only for the brave, this one!

This square has eleven letters missing, which you have to replace:

Every row, column AND the main diagonals contain all the letters in the word "BRAVE".



Attendance: Star Attendance Award this week has been won by Class 2T with an attendance of 99.7% Well done Class 2T. This week's overall attendance is 96.6% and the attendance so far this year is running at 96.1%. Thank you for recognising the importance of sending your child into school everyday and if they have been ill, to return them to school as soon as they are able.

Music: The Eisteddfod Choir children did amazingly



well on Wednesday, coming third! Mr Moore, and accompanying parents, told us how fantastic the



children were, not only did they amaze with their singing, but their behaviour throughout the long day was impeccable, with complete strangers mentioning to our staff how wonderful they were. A real credit to the school and their parents. We must thank the children and Mr Moore for their hard work and commitment to produce such an fantastic display.



Class Assembly: Class 1W gave us a wonderful Assembly this morning full of reminiscences over their year in Year 1 including their visit to the Heritage Centre, talking about toys old and new, and their visit to the Eltham Environmental Curriculum Centre to support their topic of

Habitats. They are also looking forward to their visit by Andrew Smith and his Minibeast Workshop next week. This was a fantastic Assembly; the children spoke knowledgeably and clearly, obviously having thoroughly enjoyed their school trips.

Next week we look forward to Class5L's Assembly. Please look out for letters on Monday.

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Please see this tweet from Eltham North Police:

"Astonished with the amount of parents not using the bridge to cross ROCHESTER WAY by Deansfield School, some crossed whilst talking on their mobiles. The Bridge is there for you to cross the road safely. Set an example to our kids"

Child Care problems? Don't forget to give Alpha Club a call on 07939 917090.

School Lunches: Please remember that **the cost of lunches is £2.40 per day/£12 per week.** Please also note that the price of school meals will increase to £2.59 per day (£12.95 per week) from the beginning of September, in line with the price currently charged to Deansfield by its catering provider.