

Friday 31st March 2023
St Nicholas CE Primary Academy
Newsletter

Headteacher: Christopher Dale



Dear parents and carers,

What a very busy final week of term we have had. I hope you had the positive feedback from the Parent Teacher Consultations you were looking for. There will be some who will have had difficult conversations during these meetings. I often remember being told when I was young “...*the only place where success comes before work is in the dictionary.*” How we support our children to make the most of their opportunities is what matters most when looking to build their confidence.

Farewell

Today we have reached the point I have been dreading since I announced Mrs Andrews, early retirement at the end of last term.

Mrs Andrews has worked at St Nicholas for over twenty years. Today is the last in her role as Business Manager. I will greatly miss her contribution to the school team, and I would like to wish her all the very best for the future.

Fundraising



Red Nose Day biscuit sale - Thank you to Miss Wilson for arranging our after school biscuit sale as part of the Comic Relief fundraising event the week before last. I am pleased to share with parents that we raised a fantastic £171.15 – Thank you to everyone who supported this event.

PTA Community Breakfast – Last Saturday we raised a fantastic £652.07 as part of our community breakfast event. My huge thanks to the PTA (and families) for their hard work. We were delighted to have so many people from the wider community, as well as our families join us for this event. Thank you.

PTA BINGO Evening

Our next PTA fundraising event is a BINGO evening on Friday 28th April. If you would like to take part and reserve a table on the night please contact the school. See details on the leaflet. > > > > > > > > >
We look forward to you joining us for an evening of “eyes down” and plenty of other fun planned for the evening.

St Nicholas CE Primary Academy PTA
Fundraising Night!

BINGO

On Friday 28th April at 6:45pm, eyes down for 7pm! Adults only.

Come along and enjoy a night of bingo for only £8. Extra games and a raffle can be purchased too.

Bring your own nibbles, drink and glasses.

To reserve a table please call the school office on 01797 361906 or email office@st-nicholas-newromney.kent.sch.uk

And finally...

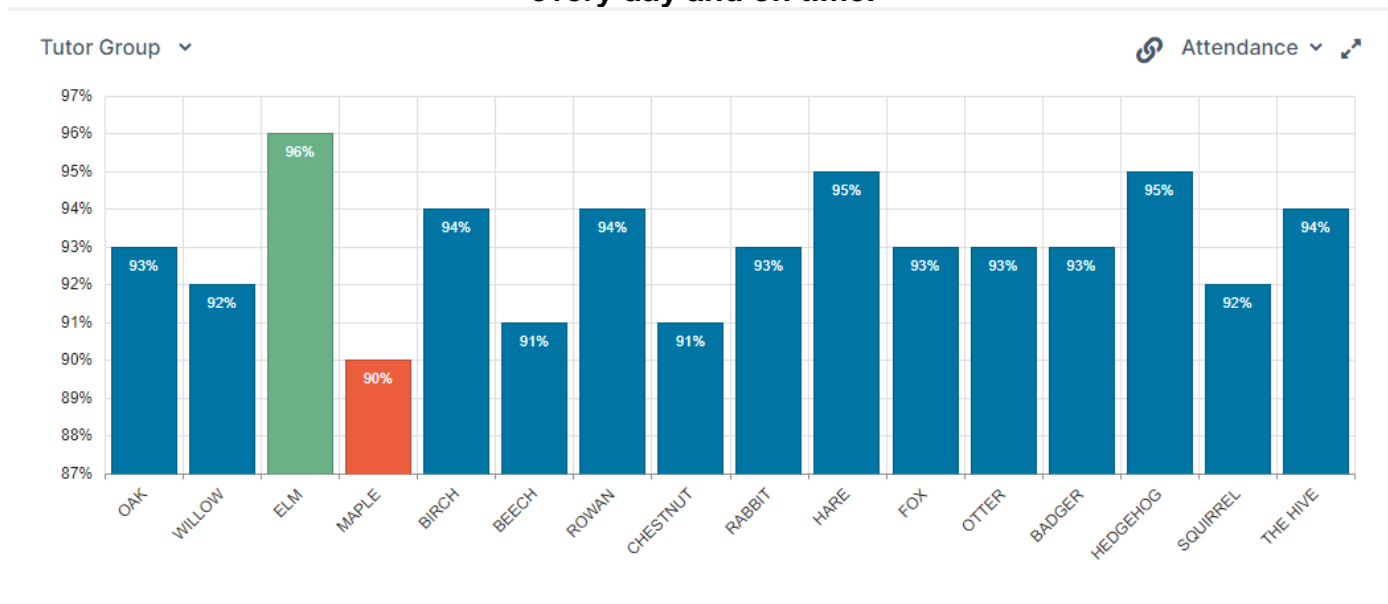
I would like to wish all our families a Happy Easter Holiday and we look forward to welcoming you all back to school on Monday 17th April 2023.

Christopher Dale
Headteacher

Attendance – Every Day Counts

Thank you to everyone who has been sending their children to school every day. We are aiming for **96%** attendance. Our whole school attendance has gone **down** this week to: **93%**.

Thank you to all those families who see the importance of sending their children to school every day and on time.



Congratulations to all the classes who have attendance of 94% or above
Elm – 96%; Hedgehog, Hare & The Hive with 95%; Rowan & Birch with 94%

This week's birthdays:



Summer A, Harrison B, Xinny L, Jack N, Sophia S, Harry C, Betsy P, Summer V – many happy returns to you all!

TSS FOOTBALL

Starting next term we are delighted to be able to welcome TSS – Technique Soccer School to St Nicholas.

Year R to Year 2 will have a club every Tuesday and Year 3 to 6 every Wednesday.

The cost is £32.50 for every 6 weeks. If you would like your child to attend, please book using the details below. The KS1 club starts on Tuesday 25th April & KS2 club starts on Wednesday 26th April.



**TECHNIQUE SOCCER SCHOOL @
St Nicholas CE Primary Academy**

**FOUNDATION - YEAR 2
TUESDAYS
3.15-4.15pm
(25th April – 23rd May 2023)**

**YEAR 3 - YEAR 6
WEDNESDAYS
3.15-4.15pm
(26th April – 24th May 2023)**

For more details and to book your space follow the link below:

<https://technique-soccer-school.class4kids.co.uk/>

TSS: 07960140888
techniquesoccerschool@hotmail.com

£32.50 for Term 5



Headlice

As you may be aware we have had to send out letters throughout this term about headlice. The Easter break would be the perfect opportunity to thoroughly check your child's hair for headlice.

Advanced notice – please put these dates in your diary!

Friday 31st March - End of Term

Monday 17th April – Children return to school

Thursday 20th April – Easter service at St Nicholas Church

Friday 21st April – St Georges House; pupils wear red day

Friday 28th April – PTA BINGO night arrive 6:45pm for “eyes down” at 7:00pm

Monday 1st May – BANK HOLIDAY – School Closed

Friday 5th May – Coronation Dinner Day

Monday 8th May – SCHOOL CLOSED Coronation Bank Holiday

Tuesday 9th May – KS2 SATS all this week

Thursday 18th May – Year 2/3 Assention Day service at St Nicholas Church at 9:15am

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