



Brabourne

CofE Primary School

12th June 2026

Year 6 Residential Trip

Year 6 pupils had a fantastic time on their residential trip to PGL. Throughout the visit, they challenged themselves with a range of exciting outdoor activities, developed their teamwork and problem-solving skills, and created many happy memories with their friends. The children represented the school exceptionally well and should be proud of their achievements.



Dance Festival

Pupils were delighted to take part in the Dance Festival at Ashford School. They performed with enthusiasm, confidence, and creativity, showcasing the hard work and dedication they had put into rehearsals. The event provided a wonderful opportunity to celebrate dance, perform alongside pupils from other schools.

Outdoor Learning

Last term, pupils in Mars class enjoyed an intensive programme of Outdoor Learning and Sports Giant activities. They developed a wide range of bushcraft skills, including shelter building, fire safety, knot tying, and teamwork challenges. These hands-on experiences encouraged resilience, problem-solving, and confidence and appreciation of the natural outdoors.



Eco Team News

The Eco Team has been working hard to raise awareness about reducing plastic waste and the importance of recycling. As part of their campaign, they are organising an eco-sale featuring reusable wax wraps and eco hand wash to raise awareness of plastic waste. They will also be promoting the use of organic washes and encouraging the school community to think carefully about what we throw away. This will take place after school on **Monday 22nd June**.

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Responsibility

Courage

Hope

Sow the Seeds, Nurture, Watch Them Grow

Upcoming events

We are looking forward to Sports Day on **Friday 26th June**, which promises to be a fun-filled event celebrating teamwork, determination, and sporting achievement.

The PTA is also working hard behind the scenes to prepare for the Summer Fair after Sports Day. We are extremely grateful for their continued support and look forward to an enjoyable afternoon for the whole school community.



We are also excited to be holding a **Colour Fun Run** around the school grounds on **Wednesday 24th June**. Pupils may come to school in non-uniform and are encouraged to wear an old white T-shirt if possible, as they are likely to get covered in colourful powder during the event! We will provide the children with sunglasses to help protect their eyes. Donations are warmly welcomed, with all proceeds going towards purchasing new PE equipment for the school. The event will also be Coach Hayley's final project with us before she moves on to new and exciting opportunities, making it a fittingly colourful way to celebrate her time at the school. We look forward to a fun-filled and memorable day for everyone involved!



We will be holding a tuck shop in aid of the Make-A-Wish Foundation in memory of Sasha Ghosh on **Thursday 18th June**. Pupils are invited to bring in some pennies to spend at break time, with all proceeds going towards this special cause. Thank you for your support in helping us raise money while remembering Sasha.

Prayer of the week:

*Dear Lord
Let us show humanity and kindness in all we do.
Amen*

Brigade Uniform

KEY SUMMER DEADLINE DATES - Order early to avoid the Back to School rush!

Direct to School (Delivery to School) – Order by Friday 12th June for free delivery to school before the summer holidays*

*From Saturday 13th June, all orders will switch to Parents Direct (Home Delivery).

Parents Direct (Home Delivery) – Order by Friday 17th July for delivery before the new September term.

Charity Sweet Stall

Well done to Mai for organising a wonderful sweet sale after school in aid of Race for Life. Your hard work and dedication helped raise money for a fantastic cause!



Dates for your diary



Tuesday 16th June		Year 6 Safety in Action trip
Thursday 18th June		Charity Tuck Shop at breaktime
Friday 19th June		Non-uniform day—for donation of a bottle for the tombola
Friday 19th June		Jupiter Kent Life trip
Monday 22nd June	After school	Eco Team sale
Wednesday 24th June		Colour Fun Run
Friday 26th June		Sports Day followed by Summer Fair



Summer Holiday Club

Following on from a very successful half-term Holiday Club, we are delighted to share with you that we will be running further sessions during the summer break. Please see below:

CHILDREN'S ARTS & CRAFTS HOLIDAY CLUB

AGES: 5 - 11

NATURE | ECO INSPIRED

MON 20TH - WED 22ND JULY

&

MON 27TH - WED 29TH JULY

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

@BRABOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE -

PRE BOOKING ESSENTIAL

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@POPUPPLAY.KENT



Class News



We have had a wonderful start to our new topic, "Commotion in the Ocean". Our learning has been inspired by our new story, Billy's Bucket. The children loved using their imaginations to predict what might be hiding inside Billy's bucket and had great fun pretending to be different sea creatures, swimming through bubbles and exploring life under the sea.

We have been drawing and labelling a variety of sea animals and learning new vocabulary linked to ocean habitats. The children have also enjoyed creating fact files about their favourite sea creatures, researching interesting facts and sharing their knowledge with their friends.



There is lots of excitement in Venus Class as our duck eggs are due to hatch very soon. The children have been carefully

observing the eggs and are eagerly awaiting the arrival of the ducklings. We are looking forward to watching them grow and learning more about the life cycle of a duck over the coming



Mars class are enjoying the summer term. We have started reading 'The Tin Forest' and have found it fascinating thinking about the old man living in the tin forest and imagining what our world would be like without any nature. In Maths, we have been busy studying time. We have made clocks in COOL time and have been learning how to tell the time to o'clock, half past and quarter past so far on analogue clocks. Any practice at home telling the time on real-life clocks would be hugely beneficial. We are continuing to look at plants for Science and we will be investigating seeds and planting them, to observe what is needed to make plants grow healthily. We have made a dreidel in R.E to enrich are learning about the Jewish festival of Hannukah and some children have even chosen to learnt how to play and spin the dreidel during COOL time. We have also been decorating Menorahs using collage. A busy and fun start to the term!



Last week, our amazing Year 6 went on their residential to PGL at Grosvenor Hall. Despite the torrential weather, they had an incredible time challenging themselves through a variety of activities, including: abseiling, rafting, climbing, giant swing, disc golf, survival, challenge course, sensory trail and sleeping!

We are immensely proud of the way our pupils supported each other and demonstrated their Brabourne Values.



See more photos on the next page!



Neptune class have been very musical this week! We have listened to different genres of music and thought about what we like and why. We talked about people having different tastes in music and that was one of the things that made us diverse and interesting. In our French lesson this week we thought about our preferences again and expressed them in French.

"J'aime la musique pop."

"Je n'aime pas la musique folklorique."

"Et toi?"





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Tuesday 2nd June

Non-Uniform Day

**In exchange for a
Jazzy Jar**



**FRIDAY 12TH
JUNE**

NON-UNIFORM DAY

*In exchange for an unwanted
Children's toy or Soft Toy*



Friday 19th June

Non-Uniform Day

*In exchange for an
Unopened Bottle of something
for the Bottle Tombola*



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The PTA really appreciates your support for the Summer Fair through donations in exchange for Non Uniform days.

Every contribution helps make the event a success for the children and school community.

Thank you in advance for your generosity and support.

BRABOURNE SCHOOL

SUMMER

FAIR

FRIDAY 26TH JUNE, 3PM
(AFTER SPORTS DAY)

please bring
family and friends!

BBQ'S AND
REFRESHMENTS

BOUNCY
CASTLE

CAKES

GAMES

ICE CREAM

RAFFLE

DONKEYS

TOMBOLA

FUN
FOR ALL
AGES!

AND MUCH MORE!

Mr Hyde's Holiday Football Club, July



£30
Per Person per day

Per Person per week
£100

**Years
2-8 welcome**

20th - 23rd July 2026: 10:00-15:00

Ashford Prep School, Great Chart, TN23 3DJ

Club Features:

- Football Training
- Skill Development
- Movement Development
- Mini Matches
- Specialised goalkeeping classes
- Coached by professional players
- Limited spaces

Paul Hyde:

is an ex-professional player and goalkeeper. Paul has played for Wycombe Wanderers, Leyton Orient, Leicester City and played over 350 games for Dover. He has appeared twice at Wembley for Wycombe Wanderers and represented England in the C team. He is a qualified UEFA coach who has coached at Gillingham, Leyton Orient and currently coaches at Dover AFC.



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If you loved our
'Community Day' event
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COMMUNITY CONNECT

FREE!

Saturday 4th July
12noon - 3pm
At New Wells Brabourne

- Fun Bus
- BBQ
- Craft
- Games
- & more!



New Wells

MORE INFO

www.newwells.church/events