



# St. George's CEP Newsletter

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*'Bringing faith and education together'*

'Letting our light shine' (Matthew 5:16)

**Our value this term is RESPECT  
Treat others as you want to be treated.**

**[Luke 6:31]**

It's been quite a long week! Starting last Friday afternoon 36 young (Year 3 and 4) children took the bus for their long weekend of outdoor activities at PGL. They made us all so proud with the activities they took part in. They climbed higher than they've climbed before, abseiled down tall structures, zip wired at speed, combatted assault courses, shot arrows in archery .... and much more. They also had great fun with 3 nights staying away from home – some of them for the first time without family – in rooms with friends old and new.

A big thank you to Miss Huggett and Mrs Papi for their support behind the scenes with planning and organizing, Mr Dacey and Mrs Bell for giving up their time to come and support and lovely to see Mrs Demirelli coming down to spend some time with us too!

Before we knew it, we were back into a week seeing our Year 6 Tag Rugby team in action at the Tag Rugby Festival at Sevenoaks Rugby Club and lots of sticky hands through the week as lanterns were made ready for tonight's community event 'The Festival of Light'. We hope to see the children there collecting their lanterns at 5.30pm for the entertainment, parade and fireworks!



## What's coming up?

HALF TERM – Term 1 ends on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October with a PTA Cake Club after school – everyone welcome! Term 2 starts on **TUESDAY 31<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER** with clubs continuing until Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December (please note there is NO Forest Schools Club in Term 2)

**Respect Courage Kindness Forgiveness Hope Honesty**

You can find out about what's going on at St George's in a variety of ways:

Visit the school website: [www.st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk/](http://www.st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk/)

Follow us on twitter: @StGeorgesKent and Instagram: stgeorgesceprimary\_wrotham

Keep up to date with newsletters on our website and keep an eye on the class pages

**Attendance** is important and our aim is to achieve 96%. Last year we fell a bit short at 94.2% so this is a core focus to give our children the best life chances.

Attendance this year so far:

Oak (Year R): 97.0%

Beech (Year 1): 96.9%

Maple (Year 2): 96.4%

Cedar (Year 3): 96.2%

Willow (Year 4): 97.0%

Hazel (Year 5): 95.6%

Sycamore (Year 6): 96.3%

Whole school: 96.5%

**Congratulations to:  
CEDAR CLASS**

**You are the highest attenders  
this week!**

For unexpected absence eg illness for example, please call and speak to the school office before 9.30am so absence can be recorded accurately.

If you have an appointment during the school day, you **MUST** provide evidence of an appointment.

Any other absence must be requested using our absence request form. This can be found through this link

<https://forms.gle/3dVUrxXZt9v5REKR9>

**Times Tables Rockstars** this week:



Maple (Year 2): Tariel

Cedar (Year 3): Roxanna

Willow (Year 4): Millie

Hazel (Year 5): Nate

Sycamore (Year 6): Buddy

Dojo Points Winning House for the year so far:

**St. David's**

**BRING FAITH & EDUCATION TOGETHER**

by  
**'Letting Your Light Shine'**  
(Matthew 5:16)



This corner on our newsletter highlights people connected to our school who fulfill our school vision, this week that honour goes to...

**Year 6 TAG-RUGBY Team!**

Well done to these great players who ran their hearts out until late after school on Monday! They played really well and was so great to see them with BIG smiles as they picked up our school's first trophy of the year!

**You all 'let your light shine!'**



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## Our week in pictures...



**This week  
around school  
there was a lot  
of preparation  
for The Festival  
of Light!  
Hope to see  
you there  
tonight!**

