



# Clarendon Primary School Newsletter

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026

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2025/26 Term Dates

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/schools/term-dates>

INSET dates, children  
are not expected to  
attend school on these  
days;

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July  
2026

## Diary Dates

New dates added in red

Date	Event
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 3 trip Eton College
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	World Cup event (see below)
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day
Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA Summer Fair 12pm – 3pm
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Sky Up Trip
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 1 Class Assembly
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	District Sports - AM
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year R trip to Chobham Farm
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 1 trip to Marwell Zoo
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Wildwood Trip

## Weekly Update

### Sports Day – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Reception and Key Stage 1 – 09:30 - 10:45

Key Stage 2 (Years 3-6) – 13.30 - 15.00

We look forward to welcoming you to our annual sports day event next Friday. Alongside this newsletter, we are sending a programme of events for the day.



Although the long-range weather forecasts have been somewhat changeable over the past few days, it is looking like the event may be a particularly warm one. We will advise you if we need to make any changes to the planned running order as a result of the weather!

Please ensure that your child comes prepared for the weather by wearing appropriate clothing and bringing a named refillable water bottle and hat. Please apply sun cream in the morning too.

For those of you feeling competitive, there will be a chance to get involved in parent races!

## Reception Class Assembly

On Wednesday, Reception children took to the stage for their very first-class assembly and what a brilliant performance it was! The hall was packed with proud parents and the children rose to the occasion and delivered a fantastic presentation all about plants and how they grow.

We were so impressed with the confidence and enthusiasm shown by every child as we were taken on a journey through the life cycle of a plant, explaining what plants need to grow and even introducing us to the idea of photosynthesis! We also particularly loved the moment when the “plants” seemed to grow at super speed right before our eyes!

We are incredibly proud of all the children for their hard work – you all truly blossomed on stage!



## Maths Problem Solving Event



This week in school we were visited by The Problem-Solving Company. Each class spent time with them using their maths skills to solve several different problems. The problems were tricky! The children worked in teams practising their team work and putting their resilience to the test. It was certainly a fun way to practise maths!

**We want to say a huge thank you to the PTA for funding this and making it possible.**



## World Cup Event - Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

Following the excitement of England's first World Cup win on Wednesday, we are looking forward to hosting our own World Cup event in school on **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** in advance of the next group stage match. A letter with further details has been sent home but, as a reminder, to celebrate this, children are invited to come to school wearing:

- Their favourite football kit, **or**
- The colours of the country their class has been allocated (see details below)

### **Class World Cup Teams**

<b>Year Group</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Colours</b>
Reception	Brazil/Morocco	Green, Yellow, Red
Year 1	Germany / Netherlands	Black, Red, Yellow, Blue
Year 2	Argentina/Uruguay	Light Blue, White, Yellow
Year 3	Portugal/USA	Green, Red, Blue, White
Year 4	Spain / Senegal	Red, Yellow, Green
Year 5	England / Japan	Red, White
Year 6	France/Turkey	Blue, White, Red

## Book Review



### Dragon Runner by Kieran Larwood

Dragon Runner is a fast-paced and exciting fantasy adventure from Kieran Larwood. The story follows a group of young competitors who must face dangerous challenges, fierce creatures and high-stakes races involving dragons. Packed with action, humour and bold characters, the book keeps readers hooked from start to finish. Themes of teamwork, bravery and determination run throughout, making it an engaging and positive read. This book is well suited to Key Stage 2 pupils, particularly those who enjoy adventure stories, fantasy worlds and quest-style challenges.

## Online Safety News Update

This week, the Prime Minister announced a social media ban for under 16s. We will be reflecting more on this in future newsletters but here is an overview of what this will entail.



### New UK online safety measures - What's covered?

	<b>Social media</b>	Restrictions on access to major social media platforms for under-16s. Platforms named by the Government which may be included are TikTok, Instagram, Snapchat, Facebook, X and YouTube.  ✔ YouTube Kids is not currently included in the ban.	
	<b>Communicating with strangers</b>	Features that allow under-16s to communicate with strangers would be restricted across relevant online services, including gaming platforms.	
	<b>Livestreaming</b>	Under-16s would not be able to create or host livestreams.	
	<b>AI chatbots</b>	Romantic or sexual AI chatbots will be banned for under-18s. All AI tools must also switch off similar features for anyone under 18.	
	<b>16-17-year-olds</b>	Livestreaming and stranger-contact protections would be switched on by default. Additional protections are under consideration.	
	<b>Platform design</b>	The Government is considering measures such as overnight curfews, breaks in infinite scrolling and other design changes to support children's wellbeing online.	
	<b>Age verification</b>	Simply asking children to enter their date of birth will no longer be enough. Platforms will need to introduce robust checks, the exact methods are still being decided.	

## PTA News

### **Y4 Treat Sale**

Treats available after school today in the main playground. Please pop along and support the parents and carers of Y4 and don't forget to bring change.

### **Summer Fair – Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June 12-3pm**

Our main fundraiser is just one week away and we're excited to welcome you all. Please come along and support if you can, whether volunteering on a stall or by taking part.

We have some amazing food vendors this year bringing samosas, chocolate brownies, candy-floss and other sweet treats to the fair; we also have a bouncy castle, a dance display from Mrs Keenan's dance club, a live 10-piece band, animals and educational talks from Walk on the Wild Side and their resident lizard, a BBQ and Bar, a Pimm's Station, plus all your favourite stalls such as Tombola, Angry Birds, Guess the Balloons & more. We hope to see you all there.

Thank you for supporting our fundraising!



The poster features a vibrant illustration of a fairground with three stalls: 'CAKES', a target game, and 'CANDYFLOSS'. A sun is in the top right corner. A purple banner across the middle reads 'Tickets on sale now £1 each' and '30+ family friendly prizes to be won'. A yellow circle on the right says 'Draw takes place on Sat 27 June at 6pm. £1 per ticket!'. At the bottom, a dark blue bar contains the text 'Buy your tickets now: [www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/clarendonsummerraffle2026](http://www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/clarendonsummerraffle2026)' flanked by two yellow stars. The PTA logo is in the top left corner.

### **Summer Raffle**

Our wonderful Raffle takes place on Saturday 27 June at 6pm after the Summer Fair. There are more than 35+ family friendly prizes up for grabs from Hobbledown Heath, RH Wisley, Hounslow Urban Farm, Brentford FC and much more.

This is a great way to support the PTA and bag yourselves some fantastic prizes at the same time. Good luck!

Buy your tickets online here -

<http://www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/clarendonsummerraffle2026>

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## Attendance Reminder

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (**which do not have to be consecutive**), then the following will apply:

If you have not incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children in a rolling 3 year period since 19 August 2024, then the penalty notice will be charged at the rate of **£160.00, per parent/carer per child, if paid within 28 days**. This will be reduced to £80.00 if paid within 21 days of receipt of the notice. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.

If you have incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children since 19 August 2024, the rolling 3 year period will be activated from the date of the first penalty notice and the second penalty notice will be charged at the flat rate of **£160.00, per parent/carer per child, if paid within 28 days. There will be no reduction for payment within 21 days**. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.

If you have incurred 2 penalty notices relating to this child/children in the rolling 3 year period since the first penalty notice was issued, then **you will NOT receive a third penalty notice – Surrey County Council will have no option but to consider a prosecution, per parent/carer per child, in the Magistrates Court under s 444 Education Act 1996**.

Surrey County Council is not responsible for authorising pupil absence and therefore cannot withdraw any Penalty Notice requests without the written permission of the Head teacher.

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## Weekly Attendance - Week ending 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Year 6 with 97.1%  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Year 1 with 96.3%  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Year 3 with 95.7%
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## Reading Raffle - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026

The Winning Class with the greatest number of children being entered into the draw was Year 6  
The lucky winners were;

1. Isabelle T – YR
2. Ethan F – Y4
3. Sebastian R – Y5

They all won a choice of reading book...well done to them and to everyone who was awarded a raffle ticket this week.

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## Weekly Achievers - 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Class	Names
Year R	Harshabad S & Miles G
Year 1	All of Year 1
Year 2	Navisha C & Isabella B
Year 3	Eric H & Mya S
Year 4	Ellie W & Tomas G
Year 5	Ollie C & Sabeen K
Year 6	Veronika K & Luca C

# Community News

**SURREY ARTS**



**GET PLAYING Music**

AVAILABLE FOR SEPTEMBER!

GROUP GUITAR LESSONS

- Lessons in the school day
- From £10.40 per lesson
- Financial assistance subject to meeting eligibility criteria
- Affordable instrument hire

 **FIND OUT MORE HERE**



**GO PADDLEBOARDING ADVENTURES**

**Summer holiday paddleboarding camp**

Silverwing Lake, Wraysbury, TW19 5BY

**£45** per session 9am - 3pm



**2026 dates**  
20<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> July  
10<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> August

**For age 8-16 years**

Learn to paddleboard ★ Team challenges ★ Fun and games  
★ Run by Paul Davies BCAB Paddle UK Coach ★



**BOOKING NOW OPEN!**

[www.gopaddleboardingadventures.com](http://www.gopaddleboardingadventures.com)

**STAINES & LALEHAM JUNIORS FC** EST. 2019

**OPEN TRIAL DAY FOR GIRLS**

**SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2026**

**FREE**

★ **TIME: FROM 11AM** ★

COME ALONG, SHOW YOUR SKILLS & BE PART OF OUR TEAM!

AGE GROUPS: U7 - U13  
ALL ABILITIES WELCOME  
VENUE: LALEHAM COFE SCHOOL  
BRING A FRIEND!

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# MULTI-SPORTS CAMP

**Sports Plus**  
Scheme

## Ashford Youth Club

August 17<sup>th</sup> - August 21<sup>st</sup>

August 24<sup>th</sup> - August 28<sup>th</sup>

9:00am to 3:15pm

£20/Day

Multi Day and Sibling discounts available



### SPORTS INCLUDE

- ✓ Football
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Gymnastics
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Hockey



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