

The Endowed

Newsletter



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HELLO



Dear Families and Friends of The Endowed,

It has been a busy week in school, including our SIAMs Inspection, of which we will find out the results soon and will of course share them with you.

The weather is set to get a bit colder next week, so do please make sure your child has a warm, waterproof coat, especially those children taking part in beach school.

Have a lovely weekend,
Kind regards,

Ellen Taylor

Headteacher

Headteacher@whitstable-endowed.kent.sch.uk

This Year to mark 2025 BBC Children in Need have asked the public to get involved with Challenge Yourself 25

We have been taking part in school with classes taking on their own Challenge Yourself 25 organised by Mrs Stanley as follows:



- Cygnus - 25 moments of kindness
- Draco - 25 goal challenge
- Orion - solve 25 times tables in a scavenger hunt
- Pegasus - 25 minutes of doodling/ comic strip making.
- Cassiopeia - 25 class compliments for a compliments wall
- Andromeda - Staying quiet for 25 minutes in each lesson
- Aquila - 25 minutes script writing for a play performance
- Phoenix - 25 minutes of mindfulness

Miss Taylor and Mr Bowles also challenged themselves to run 25k by midday on Friday morning which they both did. Mr Bowles finished his by running 9k this morning!

Well done everyone. If you would like to donate please go to their fundraising page [here](#).




BOYS FOOTBALL V EASTLING



The boys backed up last week's win with an 11-3 win over Eastling on Thursday. In a game that resembled basketball at times, the boys did well to win a game that looked like it could have gone either way in the first half. The goals were spread throughout the team but Louis did particularly well, contributing 5 of the goals. Well done to all involved.

Mr Baker

DON'T FORGET 
INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL
PHOTOS NEXT WEEK ON
TUESDAY 18 NOVEMBER
YEARS 3 AND 5 - AS YOU
NORMALLY HAVE PE, PLEASE
WEAR UNIFORM TO SCHOOL
AND BRING YOUR PE KITS
WITH YOU.

Year 3 will be heading over to Whitstable Junior School on Wednesday 26 November at break for a playdate with their Year 3 children.
We hope they have fun catching up with some of their Infant school friends.

Please can you make sure you email homecontact@ or ring the school office and leave a message when your child is absent either due to illness or an appointment.

We are pleased to be able support one of our families who are helping to rebuild and provide aid to communities in Jamaica that have been severely affected by Hurricane Melissa.

Please see the email sent via MCAS for details of goods they are in need of. We have a box in the school office for donations, which you can add to before the deadline of **Wednesday 18 November**.

THE ORIGINAL PATTY COMPANY & WHITE YARDIE
40FT CONTAINER FOR
JAMAICA
WHITE YARDIE
THE ORIGINAL PATTY COMPANY

- RICE-FLOUR-SUGAR-CORNMEAL--COOKING OIL-CANNED FOOD
- (TUNA, MACKEREL, CORNED BEEF, SARDINE, BAKED BEANS) - BABY FOOD / FORMULA - DIAPERS / BABY WIPES - FEMINE HYGIENE PRODUCTS
- SOAP / TOOTHPASTE / TOOTHBRUSH- WATER-BISCUITS - INSTANT NOODLES - MOSQUITO SPRAY- SLEEPING BAG - PORTABLE WATER FILTERS - FLASHLIGHTS - BANDAGES - TARPULIN

We would be grateful of any donations of buckets and spades and any waterproof coats for Beach School please.

YEAR 3 BEACH SCHOOL



Year 3 had the perfect day for beach school on Tuesday morning. They had a great time playing find, search and match with seashells and making art with them.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Year 6 represented the school at the Whitstable Memorial Remembrance Service on 11/11. Tilly laid our school wreath whilst Reverend Rachel led the service. The children were very respectful and a credit to the school.



HEADTEACHER CHALLENGE

ADVENT CALENDAR COMPETITION

It's time again for our Endowed traditional Endowed Advent Calendar competition. Every year you astound us with your creativity; there are no limits so use your imagination! Entries into school on Monday 1st December.

Some examples of previous entries from last year.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to the following children who have their birthday this week and over the holiday

AMIE in Cygnus Class
XANTHE & ALFIE in Draco Class
HARLEY in Orion Class
LEXI & HARRY in Andromeda Class
RENI in Aquila Class
OSCAR in Phoenix Class

We hope you all have a lovely day!

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Dear God,
 Thank You for making each one of us special and loved
 Help us to remember that everyone is important, and that our words and actions can make a big difference.
 When we see someone being hurt or left out, give us the courage to stand up and be kind
 Help us to include others, to listen, and to care.
 Teach us to treat everyone the way we'd like to be treated, with respect, friendship, and love.
 Together, may we make our school a place where everyone feels safe and happy.
 Amen

ANTI-BULLYING ALLIANCE



We have been talking about bullying in school this week for Anti-Bullying Week and PCSO Matt Hall came in to speak to Year 5 and 6 on Monday in a special assembly. Please follow this link for a [parent/carers pack](#).

DON'T FORGET
MONDAY 24
NOVEMBER IS A
STAFF
DEVELOPMENT
DAY
NO PUPILS IN SCHOOL

QUOTE OF THE WEEK
'Life is not about giving up or giving in. Life is about giving.'
Anthony Douglas Williams

FREE FESTIVE PARKING IN WHITSTABLE
 All day in Middle Wall/Gorrell Tank Car Park on:
 Thursday 4 December
 Thursday 11 December
 Thursday 18 December

SIAMS INSPECTION

We welcomed SIAMs Inspector Howard Fisher to school on Thursday. This is an inspection for our Christian values and RE teaching in school. We will find out the results soon and will share them with you.

Thank you to the parents who gave up their time to speak to the Inspector as part of a parent group.

SCHOOL FLO - Rachael Parker

We are pleased to be able to offer families the chance to be involved with the Riverside Church **All Wrapped Up** project again this year. The project helps provide Christmas presents, food vouchers and treat bags to families in need.

You can help by donating a gift, financial donation or sponsoring a family. Please see the flyer here for how to do this .

If you would like to talk to me in confidence about referring your family to the **All Wrapped Up** project, please email me via:
flo@whitstable-endowed.kent.sch.uk

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Don't forget all families are invited to come to St Alphege Church every Wednesday at 9.00am for our Collective Worship.

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| Tuesday 18 November | Individual school photos with Vancol |
| Monday 24 November | INSET DAY - no children in school |
| Wednesday 26 November | Pictures n' Popcorn Movie Night <i>info to follow</i> |
| Wednesday 10 December | Christmas Disco <i>info to follow</i> |
| Thursday 11 December | Christmas jumper day |
| Monday 15 December | Whole school trip to Panto - Aladdin |
| Tuesday 16 December | School Christmas Dinner Carol Service, St Alphege Church 16.15-18.00 |
| Friday 19 December | End of Term 2 |
| Wednesday 7 January 2026 | School tour 9.15-11.15am |

LET YOUR LIGHT Shine
 Matthew 5:14-16

Love ★ Joy ★ Goodness ★ Resilience ★ Trust