



# Dallington CEP School

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*Providing children with Christian values that will give them confidence in school and the wider world*

## Comic relief

We raised £105 for this wonderful cause, a massive thank you to everyone for their support.

## Hair loss!

In the last newsletter I wrote to tell you that Becky Phillips and Lucy Andrew were braving the shave. Alongside Freddie (yr 4), Dexter (Y1) and Freddie (yr 2) they had their heads shaved to raise money for a cancer charity. Some of you will be aware that Becky, has been battling cancer. **It is not too late** if you feel you would like to donate, there is a Just Giving page set up to support Restore who are, in Becky's words "A tiny charity giving invaluable support"

[https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/becky-phillips77?fbclid=IwAR2Hcgh4ZX5XIPd4T3Pyw13t5kVj2I5XP7V68v40yTRwFVw50bKhzMe-H6o&utm\\_campaign=pfp-share&utm\\_content=Becky-Phillips77&utm\\_medium=fundraisingpage&utm\\_source=Facebook&utm\\_term=g8En4prXB](https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/becky-phillips77?fbclid=IwAR2Hcgh4ZX5XIPd4T3Pyw13t5kVj2I5XP7V68v40yTRwFVw50bKhzMe-H6o&utm_campaign=pfp-share&utm_content=Becky-Phillips77&utm_medium=fundraisingpage&utm_source=Facebook&utm_term=g8En4prXB)

There is also a donation box outside the office.

## Residential

Last week our year 4 children travelled to Ashford, Kent, for their annual residential. We met up with the year 4's from Punnetts Town and Broad Oak. It was a wonderful trip- everyone challenged themselves in some way or another whether it was climbing, balancing on top of a pole, making their own bed or staying away from home for the first time. Everybody who went should be very proud of themselves.



## Artists in the making

We have been very fortunate to have been offered the opportunity to work with Battle Abbey School on some art projects. Our year 5 children travelled to Battle Abbey this week and had what was described by one child as "an awesome lesson!" A huge thank you to Patrick Tucker- Wall for organising this- it is another opportunity for our children to learn in a different way and find hidden skills they never knew they had!

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## East Sussex Health Service

You will be Parent mailed a flyer from the health service about the services they are offering. In this modern world they also have a Facebook page. They are very keen to let people know they are there and are asking schools to share their details. There is lots of information on their page about what they offer, support that is available and other useful links. The school have liked their page so you can access it through the school page.

## Prayer meeting

Our hard working ethos committee met last week. They continue to work tirelessly to drive forward and improve the schools Christian distinctiveness. They will be holding a prayer meeting in May. They will be praying for the year 6 children who will be sitting their SATS, the health and well being of our staff, parents and children. *You are invited to pray for the school and members of the school community at the school, Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2:45pm - 3:15pm. Led by Marc the Rector.*

*All welcome. Cake provided! You can email prayer requests to [marc\\_loyd@hotmail.com](mailto:marc_loyd@hotmail.com).*

## Operation Encompass

There will be a parent mail coming home today about Operation Encompass. This scheme will ensure that if the police are called to an 'incident' at home the school will be informed. Previously the school would not have been informed and this could have led to the child being vulnerable. This new approach will ensure that schools have all the information needed to best protect ALL children in their care.

## So long, farewell....

As this will be the last newsletter of this term I wanted on behalf of everyone, to say

goodbye, good luck and thank you to Mrs Dipple. Mrs Dipple leaves us next Friday to begin her maternity leave. She is expecting her second child and will be looking forward to putting her feet up and taking it easy before the real hard work starts! Mrs Dipple is a brilliant teacher and has been a wonderful addition to our staff. We all wish her and her gorgeous family the best. We will all miss her and look forward to her popping back with her new baby very soon.

## Dates for your diary ...

### April

2<sup>nd</sup> Big Dance at Tunbridge Wells –  
Brightling class  
5<sup>th</sup> Easter egg hunt  
5<sup>th</sup> Last day of term 4  
23<sup>rd</sup> Term 5 starts

## TERM DATES

Term 3	Thur 3 <sup>rd</sup> Jan to Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Feb Half term	Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Feb to Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb
Term 4	Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb to Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> April
Easter break	Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> Apr to Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Apr
Term 5	Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> Apr to Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> May
May Half term	Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> May to Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> May
Term 6	Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> June to Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> July

## TERM DATES 2019/20

Term 1	4 Sept 2019	-	25 Oct 2019
Autumn term	28 Oct 2019	-	1 Nov 2019
break			
Term 2	4 Nov 2019	-	20 Dec 2019
Christmas break	23 Dec 2019	-	3 Jan 2020
Term 3	6 Jan 2020	-	14 Feb 2020
February break	17 Feb 2020	-	21 Feb 2020
Term 4	24 Feb 2020	-	3 April 2020
April break	6 April 2020	-	17 April 2020
Term 5	20 April 2020	-	22 May 2020
May break	25 May 2020	-	29 May 2020
Term 6	1 June 2020	-	22 July 2020

