

Friday 17th July 2026



## OUR CHRISTIAN VALUES

Generosity

Compassion

Honesty

Forgiveness

Respect

Perseverance



**This Week's  
Top Attendance  
Class 4 - 97.4%**



# St Eanswythe's News

As this school year comes to an end we want to take this opportunity to celebrate you and your amazing children.

We are so lucky to have such wonderful families at St Eanswythe's who support everything we do and make our jobs worth getting out of bed for each day. From being considerate with parking, even when the rain sets in, to attending our PTFA events with money to spend to enrich the schools offer, you do it all with smiles on your faces.

A huge thank you to your wonderful children too who light up the corridors and fill the classrooms with creativity, enthusiasm and interest. They have had such an incredible year, enjoying trips galore, participating in many, many beach school visits and learning lots of knowledge to take with them into the next steps of their school journey.

A special mention to our fabulous Year 6s who leave us to go onto the next phase of school life at Secondary School. Where they will put our school values into practice, making new friends, helping others and tackling new experiences and challenges. We have absolutely loved watching them grow from when they first started to strong, confident and knowledgeable young people. We are so proud of everything they have achieved during their time with us and wish them all the best in their new adventures. We hope lots of them will still pop in and see us to keep us up-to-date on their continued success. Good luck Year 6!

We hope you all have a fantastic Summer holiday. Please remember to keep each other safe - bright visible swimwear for the water, helmets for bike and scooter rides and of course plenty of sun cream and even more ice-cream to combat the hot weather (if it stays around!!). We look forward to welcoming you all back in September ready to start a new school year and share all your exciting experiences.



# St Eanswythe's CE Primary School

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## DIARY DATES

Tuesday 1st September - Staff INSET (No school)

Wednesday 2nd September - First Day of Term 1

Tuesday 8th September - Ducklings first day

## PTFA NEWS

As we come to the end of another wonderful year, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to all of our parents and teachers for your time, dedication, and support. With your help we have been able to achieve everything in the posters below.

Thinking ahead for next year, at each start of the academic year, we elect the Trustees. If anyone would like to stand for a role, please contact us before the AGM. We will send out dates in September, so you have time to think about it, but if you have skills and (a bit of) time, please do consider joining the team. In the past couple of years, we have had co-Secretaries and Co-Treasurers, but one Chair and one Vice-Chair. A Co-Chair would be greatly appreciated, unless you would like to stand for Chair.

Have a wonderful summer and we look forward to seeing you again in September.

The PTFA Team x

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Myriam (Y4), Kim (FLO), Louise (Y3), Brenley (YR & Y4), Victoria (Y2&Y6) and Chloë (Y1&Y3)

St Eanswythe's PTFA



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## GOLD BOOK

Ducklings - Orla, Jasmine, Julia

Year 1 - Sole, Mia, Clara

Year 2 - Natalie, Daniel, Niki, Oscar

Year 3 - Luna, Arya, Grayson, Lucian, Lilly, Sophia

Year 4 - Noah, Michael, Freyja

Year 5 - All of Year 5

Year 6 - Amelia, Aurora, Cayden, Caleb, Indiah, Ottoline, Julliette, Pritisha, George, Peter

### CHARIVARI

A big thank you to the staff and parents that participated in the Charivari Festival that took place on Saturday. The children looked fantastic - well done to you all.



### A HUGE WELL DONE!

We are so proud to share with you that Mrs Giles was not only nominated for Trainee Teacher of the Year but went on to win this award last night! The comments made were truly special including, highlighting her grit, motivation and poise and citing her ability to radiate positivity wherever she goes. We are immensely thankful to have her join our teaching team in September.



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### Fine art FOR YOUR KIDS

#### Term Time Classes & Holiday Workshops

At Cygnets our focus is on traditional drawing, painting, and sculpture, combined with unique projects, all taught by experienced teachers using professional quality materials.

#### Grace Taylor Hall

AGES 5-12 | (ALL ABILITIES)

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£216/ Term (12 Classes)

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£216/ Term (12 Classes)



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or more children?

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for a discount code to  
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Saturdays:



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### Great British Summer Savings

Rising prices can make life's little treats harder to afford, especially during the school holidays when costs build up for families. This Government is determined to help, and that is why last month the Chancellor announced the *Great British Summer Savings* scheme.

From 25 June to 1 September 2026, the Government is temporarily cutting VAT from 20% to 5% on children's meals in restaurants, children and family tickets to cinemas, theatres, concerts and exhibitions, and admission to a wide range of attractions. Combined with free bus travel during August for children aged 5 to 15 in England, families and young people will be able to enjoy experiences that make summer special, including visits to the kinds of cultural and educational attractions that enrich children's lives outside the classroom.

The public are ready to get behind the scheme and are keen to take advantage of the discounts available. As trusted pillars of their communities, schools play a vital role in connecting families with important information.

We need you to help spread the word. So please share details of the *Great British Summer Savings* scheme through your newsletters, school apps, and other communications to parents and carers, so that the families in your school community know about the experiences they can enjoy this summer for less.

This forms part of a broader effort by the Government to ease financial pressures on families. From ending the two-child limit and expanding free school meals, to rolling out free breakfast clubs and delivering 30 hours of free childcare, this Government is taking action to put more money back into parents' pockets and give every child the best possible start in life.

As part of this campaign, we have launched an **attraction finder** website which allows families to type in their postcode and find participating venues near them to make the most of summer savings. To use the attraction finder, please visit <https://summersavings.gov.uk>.

Businesses can find out more about the VAT reduction by visiting GOV.UK and searching 'Temporary reduced rate of VAT for family attractions'.



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TERM TIME CLASSES

HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

## Art Classes

FOR AGES 5-12

Now Booking for Autumn Term 2026

### Safari Adventures

- Cheetah with Watercolour
- Safari Tent with Soft Pastels
- Elephants at Sunset with Watercolour & Ink
- Binoculars Still Life with Pencils
- Zebra Print Land Rover with Printing
- Hippo with Acrylic
- Painted Dog with Charcoal
- Edward Saidi Tingatinga Painting with Oil Pastels
- Giraffes with Watercolour Pencils
- Meerkat with Clay



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### White Cliffs Countryside Partnership Summer Festival

**SUNDAY FUNDAY** 2026  
CELEBRATING THE RIVER DOUR  
Sunday 2 August  
11 am – 3 pm

FREE ENTRY

At Fort Burgoyne

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WHITE CLIFFS  
COUNTRYSIDE PARTNERSHIP

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THE **BIG SUMMER FESTIVAL** 2026  
THROUGHOUT AUGUST

River Dipping  
Bat Walks  
Guided Walks  
UV Walks  
Bug Hunts  
& much more



Events for all ages

Sunday  
Funday  
Fort Burgoyne  
2 August



For full list of events visit: [whitecliffscountryside.org.uk](http://whitecliffscountryside.org.uk)



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of parents say their child loves or enjoys their Rocksteady lessons  
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Georgia

92%

of Rocksteady pupils report greater confidence and self-belief  
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