



# The Bulletin

11<sup>th</sup> January 2018

## Term Dates 2017-2018

<b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2018 to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2018</b>	<b>Term 3</b>
<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018 to Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018</b>	<b>Term 4</b>
<b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2018</b>	<b>Bank Holiday – Good Friday</b>
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2018</b>	<b>Bank Holiday – Easter Monday</b>
<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2018 to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018</b>	<b>Term 5</b>
<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018</b>	<b>Bank Holiday – May Day</b>
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018 to Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>	<b>Term 6</b>
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018</b>	Staff Development Day – School closed
<b>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>	Staff Development Day – School closed

## Diary Dates 2017-2018

As some of you may have already seen we have updated the school website and included a link to the calendar on the front page of the website. The Home page also shows the diary dates for the next week. Therefore, we will not be including the dates on The Bulletin and instead we will include a link that will take you directly to the calendar on the school website:

<http://www.leybourne.kent.sch.uk/calendar-2/>

We hope that you will find this a useful addition to the website.

<b>Attendance Target 96.7%</b>	<b>Week ending 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018</b>
<b>Year R</b>	97.7%
<b>Year 1</b>	98.3%
<b>Year 2</b>	97.6%
<b>Year 3</b>	97.2%
<b>Year 4</b>	97.7%
<b>Year 5</b>	98.3%
<b>Year 6</b>	97.0%
<b>Whole School</b>	97.7%

<b>House Points</b>		
<b>House</b>	<b>This week's Points</b>	<b>Running Total</b>
<b>St Andrew</b>	1804	20,928
<b>St David</b>	2783	19,986
<b>St George</b>	1743	21,255
<b>St Patrick</b>	1728	21,055

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Stars of the Week		Citizens of the Week	
Year R	Darcie P, Alyssa O	Year R	Zack H
Year 1	Harrison S, Hayden S	Year 1	Lucy C
Year 2	Daisy B, Maisie L, Alfie L	Year 2	Oliver T-D
Year 3	Jessica H, Amy L-K	Year 3	Olivia G
Year 4	Alexander B, Jack M	Year 4	Lily S
Year 5	Edward M, Lucy W	Year 5	Maddie W
Year 6	Elliot B, Gabriel G	Year 6	Sam G

### Thank you

On behalf of all of the staff I would like to say a heartfelt thank you to everyone who kindly gave us Christmas cards and gifts at the end of last term. Your kindness and generosity is very much appreciated by us all.

### PTFA Summer Fayre revised date

We would like to let you know that the date for the PTFA Summer Fayre has changed to Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2018.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause, however, this is necessary because the cricket club have a match booked for the 30<sup>th</sup> June and unfortunately, they are unable to change this to an alternative date. The PTFA have also approached the DJ who runs the school disco and are waiting for confirmation that he will be available for the revised date of Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June for the Summer Discos. We will let you know once the date has been finalised.

Angela Hames, Ethan's mother in Year 1, has been appointed Treasurer for the PTFA.



### Walking Bus

Mrs Richards our wonderful Walking Bus co-ordinator is stepping down at the end of this term. In order for the Bus to continue we desperately, need a new co-ordinator to take over at the beginning of Term 4. We also urgently need additional volunteers to walk with the bus.

It would be a real shame if the bus had to finish due to a lack of support, and we really hope that someone is willing and able to come forward at this time, thank you. The bus has a large number of children who use it regularly and to lose it would no doubt cause additional pressure and inconvenience to many parents.

### School Office Letterbox

During the next week, Mr Van De Peer will be installing a lockable letterbox outside the entrance to the school office. The letterbox will be emptied daily and contents distributed to the relevant people. We hope that by enabling you to securely deposit any items that you wish to hand into School, without needing to wait to be seen by the office staff, will make your lives a little easier and will save you time, especially when the office is quite busy!

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## Uniform

We wrote to you earlier this week regarding our new uniform supplier – Pages in Maidstone. Here is a link to their website: [www.pages-schoolwear.co.uk](http://www.pages-schoolwear.co.uk)

We have today made our final order to School Trends and these items will be sent home via your children once they arrive.

We do still have a limited amount of stock available to purchase immediately from the school office:

School Uniform stock list		
Item	Stock	Price of each item
<b>Sweatcardigan</b>		
Small (34")	1	£10.50
<b>Sweatshirt</b>		
32"	2	£8.50
<b>Polo shirt White</b>		
26"	4	£8.50
<b>Shorts Cotton</b>		
22" - 24"	1	£4.50
<b>Ultimate reversible coat</b>		
7 - 8	1	£16.95
9 - 10	3	£16.95
<b>Dispatch bag</b>	8	£6.12
<b>Back pack</b>	6	£7.92
<b>Baseball Caps</b>	7	£3.10
<b>All Weather Suit Red 5 - 6</b>	1	£10.50

Whilst on the subject of school uniform, can I please remind you that nail polish is not permitted and earrings, if worn, should be plain gold studs only? I have noticed a number of children wearing nail polish this week and would ask that you remove it over the weekend please, thank you.

## Prayer of the week

We thank you that  
We are part of our school community  
Where we can support each other  
**Amen**

A copy of this Bulletin will be added to the School Website: <http://www.leybourne.kent.sch.uk>

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