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## Weekly Bulletin – 6th February 2025

<b>School Year Term Dates 2024 – 2025</b>	
TERM 1	4 <sup>st</sup> September 2024- 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2024 <b>INSET DAYS 2<sup>ND</sup> &amp; 3<sup>RD</sup> SEPT</b>
TERM 2	4 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 – 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2024
TERM 3	6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025 – 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025
TERM 4	24 <sup>th</sup> February 2025 – 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025
TERM 5	22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025 – 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2025
TERM 6	2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2025 – 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025 <b>INSET DAYS 20<sup>th</sup> &amp; 23<sup>rd</sup> JUNE and 11<sup>th</sup> JULY</b>
<b>School Events</b>	
10.02.2025	Year 4 - National Gallery Online Workshop
W/C - 10.02.2025	Book Fair – Afterschool Monday – Thursday. Please bring cash to pay for any books you would like to purchase.
11.02.2025	Parent Consultations – 3.30pm – 7.00pm
12.02.2025	Kindness Day: Kindness Lunch Menu and <b>PTA Non School Uniform Day</b> - Please see the below poster.
12.02.2025	Author Visit – Gianna Pollero – Please see the below poster's
13.02.2025	Parent Consultations – 3.30pm – 5.30pm
12.03.2025	Year R – Hearing Test
28.03.2025	Year 4 – Mini Residential
19.06.2025	Sports Day

### **Monday 10th February to Thursday 13th February: Scholastic Book Fair**

This year, sees the return of the **Scholastic Book Fair!** A range of books for all ages will be on sale in the playground after school everyday between Monday and Thursday and in the hall during parent consultations.

**Please make payment using cash at the fair.**

The proceeds will help the school to earn commission which can be used to buy new books for the school library.

### **Kent Teacher of the Year Awards**

Nominations are now open for the **Kent Teacher of the Year Awards**.

Do you know someone who deserves recognition? There are a wide range of categories, including teachers, teaching assistants, office staff, PTA members and volunteers.

This is an opportunity to recognise everyone who makes a difference in our school and in your children's lives.

If there is someone you feel deserves to be recognised, please go to the below website:

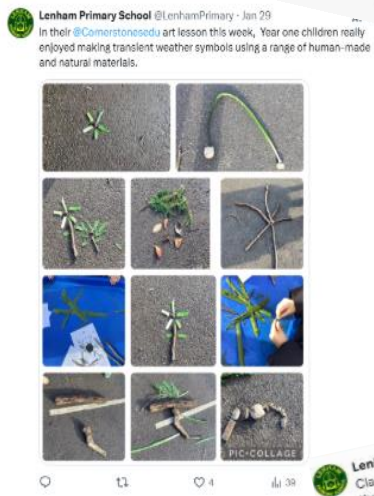
<https://sekgroup.org.uk/support/sek-schools/kent-teacher-of-the-year/>



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### TWEETS YOU MAY HAVE MISSED

To keep up to date with your child's week, Please Check the year group page on our website or our Twitter (X) page.



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# KINDNESS DAY

**Wednesday 12th February**

The children will be taking part in Online Safety activities (scamming and phishing), making things for someone they care about and working with Gianna Pollero, the visiting author.

Thank you again to The Lenham School for funding the author visit.

**THE PTA HAVE ALSO ARRANGED A NON-UNIFORM DAY FOR A £1 DONATION.**







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KINDNESS IS FREE  
**SPRINKLE**  
IT EVERYWHERE

WEAR YOUR OWN  
CLOTHES ON WEDNESDAY  
**12TH FEBRUARY**  
AND SHARE YOUR SPARKLE



SUGGESTED DONATION  
IS £1 BUT PLEASE  
GIVE WHAT YOU CAN...  
**MORE OR LESS**  
EVERY PENNY HELPS

CASH WILL BE COLLECTED ON THE GATE

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**Menu**  
12th February 2025

Decorate Your Own Cheese & Tomato Pizza  
with Happiness Toppings  
Or  
Veggie Sharing Dippers  
With  
Potato Faces  
Green Beans & Sweetcorn

Shortbread Smiles, Fresh Fruit  
Or Yoghurt

Also Available Jacket Potato & Filling, Salad Bar,  
Homemade Bread

**Be Kind & Make Everyone Smile**  
Caterlink In Partnership With KCC

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**AUTHOR VISIT 12TH FEBRUARY**

**A BIG THANK YOU TO THE LENHAM SCHOOL WHO HAVE ORGANISED THIS VISIT WITH US**

*Welcome*  
**GIANNA POLLERO**



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On Wednesday 12th February 2025 Lenham Primary School  
will be welcoming the best selling author

**Gianna Pollero**

to talk about her books.



All books will be at the discounted prices of **£6** and will be signed.

All books will need to be pre-ordered  
via Parent Pay by 6th February.



For more information see: [www.giannapollero.com](http://www.giannapollero.com)

**RH**  
Rosemary Hill Books

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## Come and join the fun

Enjoy playing hockey at school and  
want to develop you skills further?  
Come and join us at Ashford Hockey Club.

We are looking for both boys and girls in  
school years 5-10.

**We offer 2 free trial sessions to all.**

U10 Girls & Boys	Year 5	Sunday 10:15 - 11:30
U12 & U14 Girls	Years 6,7,8,9	Monday 6:15 - 7:30
U16 Girls	Years 10 & 11	Monday 7:30 - 9:00
U12 & U14 Boys	Year 6,7,8,9	Thursday 6:30 - 7:45
U16 Boys	Years 10 & 11	Tuesday 6:30 - 7:45

Use the QR code to  
find out more about  
our junior section



**Email: [juniors@ashford-hockey.co.uk](mailto:juniors@ashford-hockey.co.uk)**





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## Single Point of Access (SPA) Consultation and Advice Telephone Line 0300 300 1585

Kent and Medway Children and Young People Mental Health Services

If you are in a Mental Health Crisis, please call NHS 111 — and chose option 2. For Out of Hours Support — please call Mental Health Direct on 0800 995 100



### What is the Consultation and Advice Telephone Line?

Support for mental health concerns for Kent & Medway professionals working with children and young people aged 0-18 years old.

### What does the Telephone Consultation provide?

Specialist advice from a Senior SPA clinician.

Operates Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00-12:00.

One case discussion per call and lasting approximately 20 minutes

[www.nelft.nhs.uk](http://www.nelft.nhs.uk)

### What will happen during the Telephone Consultation?

With pre-obtained consent from the family/carer or young person (16+), a senior clinician will discuss and listen to the current concerns, offer advice and suggest appropriate services.

If the child discussed has complex needs or multiple issues, you may be encouraged to complete a SPA referral.

### The SPA Consultation and Advice Telephone Line is unable to

- Advise about medication.
- Replace the online referral process.
- Advise for children and young people already receiving care and/or treatment from a NELFT service.
- Advise on mental health or support of young adults aged 18 and above.
- Crisis support where there are significant risks to self or others.

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