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Weekly Bulletin – 10th July 2025

School Year Term Dates 2024-2025	
TERM 6	2 nd June 2025 – 22 nd July 2025 INSET DAYS 20 th & 23 rd JUNE and 11 th JULY

School Year Term Dates 2025 – 2026	
TERM 1	3 RD SEPTEMBER – 17 TH OCTOBER 2025 (INSET DAYS 1 ST SEPT & 2 ND SEPT 2025)
TERM 2	27 TH OCTOBER 2025 – 19 TH DECEMBER 2025
TERM 3	5 th JANUARY 2026 – 13 TH FEBRUARY 2026
TERM 4	23 RD FEBRUARY 2026 – 2 ND APRIL 2026
TERM 5	20 th APRIL 2026 – 22 ND MAY 2026
TERM 6	1 ST JUNE 2026 – 21 ST JULY 2026 (INSET DAYS 19 TH JUNE, 22 ND JUNE & 10 TH JULY 2026)

School Events	
11.07.2025	INSET DAY
w/c 14.07.2025	Move on up week – Please refer to separate communication for details including Meet The Teacher
w/c 14.07.2025	New Year R Stay & Play Sessions
14.07.2025	Meet The Teacher – Year 1 & 6
15.07.2025	Meet The Teacher – Year 2
16.07.2025	Meet The Teacher – Year 3
17.07.2025	Meet The Teacher – Year 4 & 5
15.07.2025	Year 5 – First Aid
16.07.2025	Year 6 Performances
17.07.2025	Year 6 -Gallagher stadium visit
18.07.2025	PTA Disco – (BOOKINGS NOW CLOSED)
18.07.2025	Year 6 – Padel tennis in Folkstone/Swimming
22.07.2025	Year 6 Leavers Assembly – 9.15AM Year 6 Parents Welcome
22.07.2025	Change of Menu - Picnic Lunch – sausage and chips, vegetarian sausage and chips, cucumber sticks and cookies
22.07.2025	Term 6 Ends

School Premises - summer work programme.

We have been advised this week by KCC that they will be replacing our internal ceilings across 85% of the school. The programme of work is due to start as soon as we break for the summer holiday and is expected to be completed before we return in September. We do not envisage any impact to the start of the next academic year

LOST PROPERTY – We have many items of lost property that have been there a long time and remain unclaimed. Therefore, if any items will fit your child, please take them as they will be recycled. Lost property will remain on the playground for the remainder of the week.



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Caterlink - school meal end of year information

We are fast approaching the end of term for this academic year and Caterlink would like to inform you of the end of year process for school meals:

- Please try to load onto your child's accounts the amount needed for meals until the end of term. Credit balances for children in only Years 3, 4 and 5 will be held over to the next academic year.
- All debit balances **MUST** be cleared. Caterlink do not offer a credit service, and you will be informed if your account is in deficit.
- All children in Year 2, moving to Year 3 in September will be charged for meals from September unless they are registered for income based free school meals. If you think you may be entitled to income based free school meals, please apply here <https://apply.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/kent> or contact the school office who can do this on your behalf.
- The price of school meals will increase to £3.05 from September 2025



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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.

Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jun 30
This morning, as part of their @Cornerstonesedu Geography work, Year 6 conducted a road safety survey using two locations in the village. They notes the number and type of vehicles, drew their own maps and evaluated the safety of the junctions.



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Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jun 30
Rainbow Class have been learning about the Jewish day of rest Shabbat, and baked some special Challah bread to share with their families.
@Cornerstonesedu



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Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jun 30
As part of their @Teamthemekent PE lessons, Rainbow Class are becoming experts in the sport of fencing.



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Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jun 30
This term year 1 has been learning how to play cricket. The children have been working on their throwing and catching skills. They really enjoyed practicing bowling and had fun trying to hit the wicket.



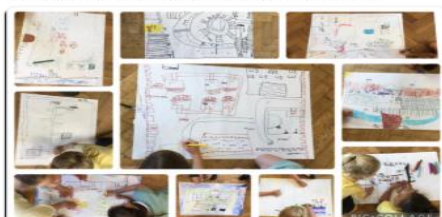
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Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jun 30
Year 4 enjoyed taking a moment to cool off on a hot day



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Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jul 1
As part of their latest @Cornerstonesedu history project, Class 3 have been learning about life inside a Roman fort. Today they designed their own forts and made sure they included many of the Roman features!



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Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jul 2
Year 4 concluded their @Cornerstonesedu Ancient Civilisation unit by mummifying their teddies brought in from home. Even Attendance Ted got a makeover!



👁️ 2 📊 34

Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jun 30
Year 4 have been deepening their knowledge of electrical circuits by testing materials to see if they are conductive or non-conductive. Like true scientists we predicted and tested, making some interesting discoveries
@Cornerstonesedu



👁️ 3 📊 142

Lenham Primary School @LenhamPrimary · Jul 2
As part of their @Cornerstonesedu DT topic, Year 2 needed to read a recipe, measure out ingredients and follow instructions to make Eton Mess. Great work Year 2!



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STARTING

15th September 2025

(10:00-12:00)



10 x 2hr wellbeing course for parents 'Healthy Parent Carers'

A health and wellbeing programme for parent carers of children with special educational needs and disability (SEND) or parents facing other tough challenges in their life.

If you find life tough to cope
with this course is for you!

This course supports long term changes to improve YOUR health
and wellbeing.

Sign Up Now!

EMAIL: INFO@KENTPACT.ORG.UK

"A genuinely life changing experience that not only benefits me, but everyone around me"





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YOUNG AUTHORS IN MAIDSTONE!

**CLOSES
25 JULY**

Write a story about
Magic in Maidstone
and be in with a chance to
win prizes and have your
story published on the
Maidstone LitFest website

FIND OUT MORE: www.maidstonelitfest.org/youngauthors



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Save the date:
**PARENT SEND
INFORMATION DAY**

Take part in a variety of FREE workshops
and meet friendly health and education
staff who can help support your child.

**Workshops and booking details
coming soon!**

11th September 2025 10am - 4pm
Kent Showground, Detling, Maidstone, Kent ME14 3JF



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Providing free childcare and peace of mind.

Schools Out Club provides the opportunity for children aged between 4 - 12 to participate in a range of **sports & fitness** and **arts & craft** activities. Sessions run for **4 hours** between **10:00 - 14:00**.

South Borough Primary School

Tovil, Maidstone

Mon 28 Jul - Thu 31 Jul 25

Mon 04 Aug - Thu 07 Aug 25

Mon 11 Aug - Thu 14 Aug 25

Mon 18 Aug - Thu 21 Aug 25

Greenfields Community Primary School

Shepway, Maidstone

Mon 28 Jul - Thu 31 Jul 25

Mon 04 Aug - Thu 07 Aug 25

Mon 11 Aug - Thu 14 Aug 25

Mon 18 Aug - Thu 21 Aug 25

Tree Tops Primary Academy

Brishing Lane, Maidstone

Mon 28 Jul - Thu 31 Jul 25

Mon 04 Aug - Thu 07 Aug 25

Mon 11 Aug - Thu 14 Aug 25

Mon 18 Aug - Thu 21 Aug 25

HAF registered children, book your place now!

Places for children who are registered on the Holiday Activities and Food Programme (HAF) and receive Free School Meals open on **02 July 2025**. Simply log into the HAF website holidayactivities.com to book a space at one of our locations.

Places for all other children open on **14 July 2025**.

Visit stonesinthecommunity.org/programme/schools-out-holiday-club on the day to book a space at one of our locations or follow our social.

stonesinthecommunity.org



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ACTIVITY DAY CAMPS

AT A SCHOOL NEAR YOU IN **2025!**
EXCLUSIVE PARENT DISCOUNT

USE CODE **SCHOOL20** FOR AN
EXTRA £20 OFF YOUR BOOKING!

*Minimum 2 days. *Not to be used in conjunction with other offer codes.

- 🕒 4 to 14 year olds!
- 🎨 80+ Activities!
- 👤 Choice each session!
- 🎓 Specialist Courses!
- 📅 Flexible bookings!

HIGHLY RATED
School Holiday
camps!!!



SCAN ME!



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ACTIVITY DAY CAMPS

Decode the message!



SUMMER TIME SEARCH!



3 Things I tried
this summer!

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____



SCAN ME!
to see more info
about our camps!

SCHOOLS
OUT!

FUN FACT
Did you know, there
are over 32,000
schools in the
United Kingdom!

HEY!
I'm BILLY Barracuda!
Summer has arrived!
It's time to jump in
the pool and play in
the sun!



Don't Stop
Learning, try this!

- 1. Read a Book! ☐
- 2. Bake something new! ☐
- 3. Explore a new park! ☐
- 4. Create a piece of art! ☐

Visit **barracudas.co.uk**
or call 01480 467 567



ANSWERS



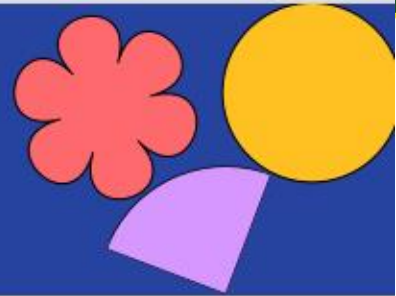
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Neurodiversity Day



Thursday September 11th 2025



Detling Showground

For families with SEND children

Market place exhibitors

Guest speakers

Your chance to talk to experts in their field

Come along with friends and family

Children who are out of school are welcome



Book time off now!!!

More details to follow

pins@kentpact.org.uk

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