

**Tatsfield**  
Primary School



## Newsletter - 4th April 2025

### DIARY DATES

**Saturday 12th April** - Tatsfield Horticultural Society Spring Show (see page 3)

**Tuesday 22nd April** - Return to school for the summer term - gates open at 8.30am

**Wednesday 23rd April** - 3.30pm, Year 6 parent meeting about SATs (Y6 classroom)

**Thursday 24th April** - Y5/6 Netball Tournament

**Tuesday 29th April** - 2.30pm, Parent Workshop about our PSHE Curriculum, with Mrs Knock in the Learning Zone - all parents welcome

**Friday 2nd May** - 8.30am, Y6 Open Morning

**Saturday 3rd May** - Tatsfield Art Group Exhibition in the Village Hall,. Work from pupils at Tatsfield Primary School will also be on display!

**Monday 5th May** - Bank Holiday, no school

**Thursday 8th May** - PTA Happy School Bags clothes collection

**Friday 9th May** - 8.45am, Parent Workshop about Online Safety with Mrs Ford in the Learning Zone - all parents welcome

*Please check term dates on the [school website](#) before booking holidays.*



### MOVEMENT IN MARCH

We did it! We smashed our target of 1000km in March and have raised £1000 for our school! This whole school community fun and fitness challenge was inspired by [Re:Water](#) who challenged us to run 1000km in a month. True to our school motto, we Aimed High and Achieved More by running not just 1000km, but tripling this distance! As a school, we ran...

**3276.8km! A massive 3,276,882m!**

Thank you to the families who joined in the running after school on Mondays in March - those laps definitely helped!

This initiative has inspired us to continue regular movement next term. We will be taking part in the [TCS Mini London Marathon](#) at school and will continue with the Daily Mile after that.

Thank you to [Re:Water](#) for inviting us to be involved, it has been a brilliant school challenge. We will let you know what we plan to spend the money on in the summer term.



**RE:WATER  
1K CHALLENGE**

### EASTER EGG HUNT

Thank you to the PTA who organised an Easter Egg for everyone in school today. It was lots of fun to search for eggs in the grass and hedges and very egg-citing to be able to take chocolate home from school!

### ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

A reminder that we will be marking the 15th anniversary of Tatsfield School moving to Ship Hill after the Easter holidays. We are creating a school song and children and families can [use this link](#) to share ideas. You could mention our school values, our school motto, name activities you take part in at school or describe what Tatsfield means to you.

We will also be taking part in the Tatsfield Art Group Art Exhibition in May and our artwork will form part of our anniversary celebrations. Look out for more news next term!

***Aim High, Achieve More!***

## DODGEBALL TOURNAMENT

A Year 5 and 6 dodgeball team represented Tatsfield at the Tandridge Schools tournament last week. Initially, the team discussed tactics for the upcoming games; only going for a catch when they had one of our players out, not throwing the ball over arm as easier catches for the opposite team and also never turning their back so they could move around the pitch in a backwards or sideways motion. The team put these ideas straight into practice and were fully committed in every game. Unfortunately, the opposition had incredibly strong hard throws which Tatsfield found difficult to catch. The team played around 15 small games, had some draws, some losses and a couple of wins. Everyone played brilliantly, showed great sportsmanship when accepting they were out/had been hit and enjoyed the whole tournament.



## INTER-HOUSE GYMNASTICS

This half term, Year 3, 4 and 5 have participated in a gymnastics inter-house competition. They were given a set of gymnastics skills with certain points against them (balance, ½ twist, change of speed to name a few). In their house groups, they were tasked with creating a routine to incorporate as many of the skills as possible. All the children showed great teamwork and enjoyed creating and performing their routines. The results were as follows:

**1st - Blue House and Yellow House = 72 points**

**2nd - Green House = 67 points**

**3rd - Red House = 64 points**

## CLUB UPDATES

Following on from feedback in Parent Surveys and discussions with pupils, we're delighted to be able to extend the number of after-school clubs available to children in every year group. New clubs for the summer term include multi-skills, basketball, lego and KSI choir. Although clubs are filling up fast, there are some places in some clubs for the new term. For more information, visit our [school website](#) and see the letter that has been emailed to parents this week.

CLUBS - SUMMER TERM 2025					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast Club	7.15am-8.30am Mrs Norman (School Hall)	7.15am-8.30am Mrs Norman (School Hall)	7.15am-8.30am Mrs Norman (School Hall)	7.15am-8.30am Mrs Norman (School Hall)	7.15am-8.30am Mrs Norman (School Hall)
Lunchtime				<b>KSI BOARD GAMES CLUB</b> (Year 5 & 6) (1.15 - 1.45) (10 weeks) <b>KSI ORGANS CLUB</b> (Year 5 & 6) (1.45 - 2.15) (10 weeks)	
After School	<b>GYMNASTICS</b> Trs 2,3,4 3.15pm - 4.15pm Sports Elite (School Hall) 28.4.25 - 27.7.25 (11 weeks) <b>LEGO CLUB</b> Trs 1,2,3,4,5,6 3.15pm - 4.20pm Brick Poppers (Learning Zone) 28.4.25 - 14.7.25 (10 weeks)	<b>STREET DANCE CLUB</b> Trs K1,2,3 3.15pm - 4.15pm Elite Artists (School Hall) 23.4.25 - 22.7.25 (13 weeks) <b>BASKETBALL</b> K12 3.15pm - 4.15pm Sports Elite (Haggs) 29.4.25 - 19.7.25 (11 weeks)	<b>FOOTBALL CLUB (KSI)</b> Years 1 and 2 3.15pm - 4.15pm Football Fun Factory (Field/Haggs) 23.4.25 - 16.7.25 (12 weeks) <b>KSI GARDENING CLUB</b> 3.15pm - 4.15pm Mrs Kooch & Mrs Hancock 28.4.25 - 16.7.25 (11 weeks) <b>KSI CHOIR CLUB</b> 3.15pm - 4.15pm Mrs Ward (School Hall) 28.4.25 - 19.7.25 (10 weeks) <b>KSI CHOIR CLUB</b> 3.15pm - 4.15pm Mrs Gearing (Learning Zone) 28.4.25 - 16.7.25 (11 weeks)	<b>STREET DANCE CLUB</b> Trs 4,5,6 3.15pm - 4.15pm Elite Artists (School Hall) 24.4.25 - 17.7.25 (12 weeks) <b>TENNIS CLUB</b> Whole School 3.15pm - 4.15pm Phosphoric Tennis (1.15 - 1.45) (10 weeks) <b>Year R &amp; 1 ART CLUB</b> 3.15pm - 4.15pm Mrs Gearing 1.5.25 - 10.7.25 (10 weeks)	<b>FOOTBALL CLUB</b> (K12) 3.15pm - 4.15pm Curry Bench Coaching (Field/Haggs) 25.4.25 - 18.7.25 (11 weeks) <b>ATHLETICS</b> Trs K1, 2 3.15pm - 4.15pm Sports Elite (Field/Haggs) 25.4.25 - 18.7.25 (11 weeks)
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☐ Fees apply - sign up with provider

☐ £10 fee applies - pay via Arbor

No charge for pupils eligible for FSM

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☐ Free Clubs - approach the teacher

## LUNCHTIME

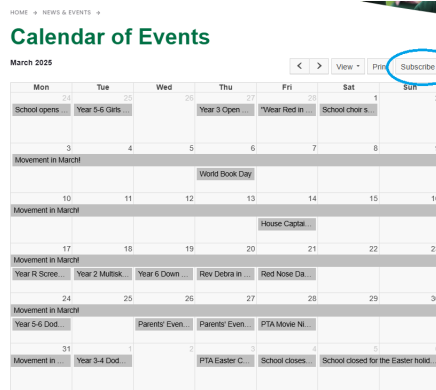
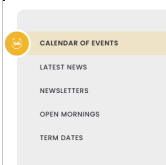
As the weather improves, the Construction Zone at lunchtime becomes even more popular. If you have any old, clean sheets or pegs, please do bring them into school in the summer term and leave them in the gazebo. Children are also enjoying playing with cardboard boxes at lunchtimes, so when you have any deliveries at home, let us re-use the boxes and then we'll recycle them afterwards! Cardboard boxes are great for dens, making nests, being a robot or just good for sitting in and reading a book! Bring your empty cardboard boxes into school on any day of the week and leave them in the gazebo!



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## SUBSCRIBE TO OUR SCHOOL CALENDAR

Don't forget - subscribe to our school calendar so that school events will go straight into your diary on your devices! Although we keep you updated in Sneak Peeks and newsletters, this is a quick way to keep on top of school dates. Go to the 'News & Events' tab on the school website and select '[Calendar of Events](#)'. Click the subscribe button and follow the instructions for the device you use.



## ONLINE SAFETY

We encourage all parents to read the Online Safety letter that has been sent home with this newsletter. We ask parents to be aware of current issues when children are using devices and the internet and to make regular checks of the devices children use. Do check the age restrictions on Fortnite, Whatsapp and Snapchat - no child in primary school should be playing or using any of these games or apps. All parents are invited to the [Online Safety Parent Workshop on Friday 9th May with Mrs Ford](#). This is an in-person workshop in the Learning Zone for parents to hear more about ensuring pupils use devices sensibly and know what to do if they come across anything dangerous or worrying.

## RED NOSE DAY

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Red Nose Day collection recently. We raised £132.68 for the charity. Children shared some brilliant jokes and these will be shared with everyone next term.



## HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

A reminder that the [Tatsfield Horticultural Society](#) are holding their Spring Show on 12th April in the Village Hall. All pupils at Tatsfield are encouraged to enter the competition:

### ***The Peter Hallam Trophy - Section H Juniors Under 11s***

*Computer is acceptable but all pieces must be original. Any craft materials are acceptable eg wood, clay, plastic & cardboard waste.*

- 61. Flower Arranging - a posy for Grandma - an arrangement of flowers in a jam jar (open table)*
- 62. Make a natural sculpture from any medium of your choice*
- 63. A succulent display - in any form of display*
- 64. A garden or plant themed photograph*

Entries should be taken to the Village Hall on Saturday 12th April by 11am.

## ATTENDANCE

### **Class attendance for the last two weeks :**

Reception Class (Wrens) - 93.9%

Year 1 (Robins) - 94.2%

Year 2 (Kingfishers) - 95.4%

Year 3 (Woodpeckers) - 93.8%

★ **Year 4 (Kestrels) - 98.3% Congratulations Kestrels!** ★

Year 5 (Owls) - 95.9%

Year 6 (Eagles) - 95%

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# Sports Elite Easter Camp



8th-10th April

Holland Junior School  
£30 per day, £81 All Three  
8:45-3:00pm

## WHAT TO BRING

- Appropriate Footwear
- Water Bottle
- Packed Lunch
- Appropriate Sportswear



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Teachers, Support Staff, Parents

## **‘AI at Home’**

*An introduction to AI including how it is used  
within school by both staff and students*

***Speaker: David Curran***

**Assistive Technology Lead/Head of Careers at  
Moon Hall School**

***Tuesday 6th May 2025 at 7.30pm***

***Members (per family) £3.00***

***Non-Members (per family) £6.00***

**Places will be limited so please email  
[sesdadyslexia@hotmail.com](mailto:sesdadyslexia@hotmail.com) to book your place**

***There will be a fund-raising raffle***

***The meeting will be held at  
Canada Hall, All Saints Church  
Battlebridge Lane, Merstham RH1 3LH***

***Details from SESDA Helpline: 01737 556173  
Or email; [sesdadyslexia@hotmail.com](mailto:sesdadyslexia@hotmail.com)***



CHIDDINGSTONE CASTLE

# AMAZING ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS

## EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITY

WEDNESDAY  
9TH & 16TH  
APRIL

3 SESSIONS  
11:30 - 3 TO 8YRS  
12:15 - 8+ YRS  
13:45 - SEN



MEET A VARIETY OF ANIMALS WITH MARIA FROM AMAZING ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS! LEARN LOTS AND COME AWAY APPRECIATING THE NATURAL WORLD EVEN MORE

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PRE BOOK ONLINE - £12 PER CHILD PLUS BOOKING FEE



11.30AM (LITTLES 3-8YRS)  
12.15PM (BIGGYS 8YRS UP)  
1.45PM (SEN)

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Develop your understanding of math, its language, and school terminology to help with your child's schoolwork. Enhance your family's knowledge with our expert guidance.



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# BABY MASSAGE



**22nd April - 13 May**  
**10am - 11am**

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