

# AMHERST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## MESSAGE FROM MR REID

### PLATINUM JUBILEE

The children and staff enjoyed a wonderful day of Jubilee celebrations yesterday. Thank you to the kitchen team for creating such an amazing fish and chip lunch including special Jubilee cupcakes. Thank you to the PTA for providing a fantastic range of activities on the field in the afternoon. The apple bobbing was very popular! I hope you have a great half term and we look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 6th June for the start of Term 6.

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# NOTICES



## SPONSORED SWIM

Please remember to complete your sponsored swim form and donate via [www.schoolgateway.com](http://www.schoolgateway.com).

## VACANCY

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Please [click here](#) to see our current vacancies.



## FUTURE DATES

- 27 May — Inset Day
- 06 June — First Day of Term
- 07 June — Year 5 Kent Test Meeting
- 08 June — Year 5 British Museum
- 09 June — British Heart Foundation Year 3 & 4
- 10 June — British Heart Foundation Year 5 & 6
- 13-17 June — Year 6 Residential @ Hilltop Outdoor Centre
- 14 June — PTA Meeting
- 22 June — Year 5 Parent Consultations
- 23 June — Year 5 Parent Consultations
- 24 June — Clubs End
- 04 July — Year 3 Horton Kirby
- 04 July — Year 6 Kent Police Trip
- 05 July — Year 3 Horton Kirby
- 06 July — Year 3 Horton Kirby
- 07 July — Transition day for children
- 09 July — Amherst Summer BBQ
- 11 –13 July — Summer Production
- 20 July — Sports Day
- 21 July — End of Term



## PTA AMHERST SUMMER BBQ

Please **SAVE THE DATE** for the best day of the year! A fantastic FUN filled afternoon on which we **celebrate the end of 2022 as Team Amherst!**



# JUBILEE GARDEN FETE





# COMMUNITY EVENTS

A Kent Downs  
AONB Project

DARENT  
VALLEY

Please click here to see the list of fantastic events you are able to attend.



This Spring the Darent Valley Landscape Partnership Scheme is bringing you the Festival of the Landscape – an event-packed celebration of everything that the wonderful Darent Valley has to offer! From May to July 2022 everyone is invited to join in with a diverse programme of events, workshops and activities across the Darent Valley.

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### May/June Half-term samba

Riverhead Village Hall

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May

2pm to 3pm

3pm to 4pm

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June

10am to 11am

11am to 12pm



Confirm your place today:

Email: [billy@sevenoaksdrumschool.com](mailto:billy@sevenoaksdrumschool.com)



Riverhead Parish Council

Picnic in the Parkland

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June, 12-4pm

Free activities for all the family:  
live jazz band, magician Robert Pound, face painting,  
and more...

\*\*Dog show – 2pm\*\*

Refreshments available to purchase from

Red Pizza Van and Specs & Bear,

plus ice cream van and licenced bar

Toilet facilities will be available

Keep up to date with the latest information from Riverhead Parish Council  
on Twitter and Facebook @riverheadparish  
e-mail: [clerk@riverheadparishcouncil.org.uk](mailto:clerk@riverheadparishcouncil.org.uk)

## SUMMER AT AQUALIFE SWIMMING

Lessons are 30 minutes in duration and will run from Monday to Friday inclusive. Cost is: £80 per swimmer. £142.50 for 121, and £105 for 221.

Week 1: Monday 25th to Friday 29th July - 9am to 3pm @ Chevening School, Sevenoaks (Outdoor Pool)



Aqualife  
Swimming

Week 2: Monday 1st to Friday 5th August - 9am to 3pm @ Chevening School, Sevenoaks (Outdoor Pool)

Week 3: 22nd August to 26th August - 10am to 12.30pm @ New Beacon School - NEW BEACON SCHOOL - GROUP LESSONS ONLY

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Happy Half Term