



Clandon CE Primary School

Roots to grow, wings to fly

Newsletter 6th March 2026

Reminders for the week beginning Monday 9 th March:	
Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Parent Teacher meetings from 1.00pm PLEASE BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT
Thursday	
Friday	

Dear Families

What a wonderful few weeks we have had. The appearance of the sun this week has been welcome, and we have all been making the most of it, bringing some of our learning outside.

As always thank you for your continued support in all that we do.

Don't forget to book your parent teacher meeting for NEXT WEDNESDAY.



SNACKS

KS2 are asking for donations for snacks. If you are able, please can KS2 have 'healthy' snacks of crackers, bread sticks, plain biscuits and fruit. Thank you.

BALLET LESSONS

We are delighted to be offering a new ballet club at Clandon, starting on Tuesday 14th April. The sessions will run every Tuesday from 12.30–1.00pm and are free of charge for any pupil who would like to take part.

Classes will be delivered by the wonderful team at Dance Platform Academy and will be a lovely opportunity for children to explore movement, music and creativity in a supportive environment. Ballet shoes will be provided, so children simply need to come ready to enjoy themselves.



To help the sessions run smoothly, children will need to sign up for the half term and commit to attending each session.

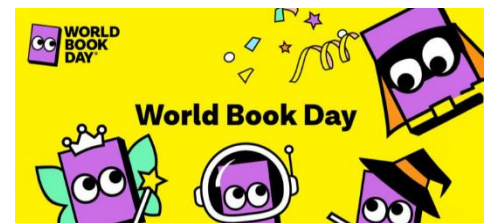
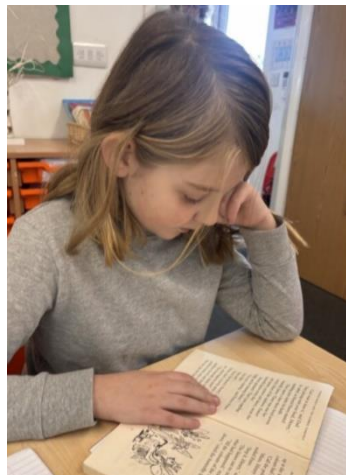
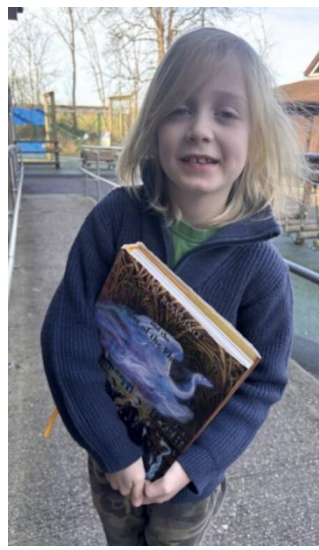
We are very excited to bring this opportunity to Clandon and look forward to seeing our young dancers in action!

Please look out for booking information in the next few weeks.

Woodlands learn about The Great Fire of London

This week, Aurelia, Zara and Tessa's parents came in to school to teach Woodlands children about The Great Fire of London. The children had previously made Tudor houses in DT. We used these houses to stage our own Great Fire of London - luckily with some help from two firefighters. They also showed the children a science experiment to demonstrate how lard, flour and sugar burn in different ways. Thank you for a fantastic afternoon.





What a fabulous World Book Day we had! The children and adults looked fantastic dressed up. We shared books, created our own stories, listened to the poet Michael Rosen and completed lots of other fun activities. It was a brilliant day.

An Invitation from Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools (PINS):

Dear Parents and Carers

Does your child mask at school?

We'd like to let you know about an upcoming **online session on masking**, created especially for parents and carers from schools that have taken part in the **PINS programme with Family Voice Surrey**.

During our visits to PINS schools, many of you have shared your experiences and concerns with us. One topic that continues to come up is **masking**, and we have listened.

Parents and carers from PINS schools are warmly invited to join this masking session, led by:

- **Jane Gupta**, Service Manager for the All Age Autism Strategy at Surrey County Council
- **Leanne Henderson**, Voice & Participation Lead at Family Voice Surrey

Leanne will share insights from her **lived experience of masking**, along with practical ideas for supporting children and young people who mask and ways to work collaboratively with schools.

Jane will explain what should happen if you have concerns about your child masking, the types of support that may be available, and how masking fits within the current and ongoing work of the **All Age Autism Strategy**.

Event details:

 **Date:** 10 March

 **Time:** 12:30pm – 2:00pm

 **Location:** Online via Zoom (registration required)

 **To sign up for the event, please click here:**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/1982506976735?aff=oddtcreator>

We kindly ask that this link is not shared, as this is a ticketed event intended specifically for parents and carers from PINS schools. Thank you for your understanding.

Both Leanne and Jane have extensive experience delivering training on masking to parents and schools and are very much looking forward to meeting you. There will be opportunities to ask questions during the session, and if you have any specific questions you'd like addressed, please feel free to share these in advance by emailing PINS@familyvoicesurrey.org.

Kind regards,

Family Voice Surrey

PTFA Meeting Update:

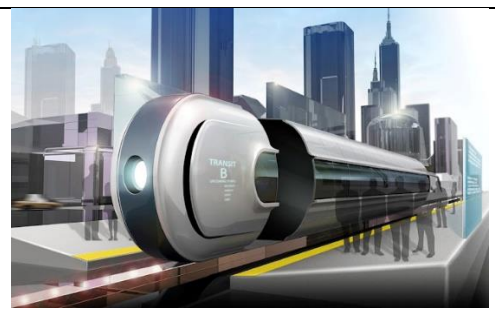
Notes of the meeting held at Clandon on Tuesday evening are attached with this newsletter.

Would you rather ... ?

The children have been introduced to our weekly "Would you rather" question in celebration assembly today. Have a chat with your child about their preferred scenario.



Would you rather go back 100 years or forward 100 years?



With best wishes

Victoria Beattie and Hannah Dawe

Headteacher and Head of School

The Newlands Federation

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Guildford Families First March newsletter: [March 2026](#)

Information after the dates list:

- Surrey Football Coaching Easter holiday flier
- WOW Camp Easter holiday flier
- Easter holiday Mindfulness Pony Days flier
- Code Camp Easter holiday flier
- Seren Kids Easter holiday flier
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Dates for January to July 2026

New or updated events are shown in green

March	Mon 2 nd	Whole School	World Book Day
	Tue 3 rd	Robins	Sportshall Athletics at Guildford Spectrum (afternoon)
	Tue 3 rd	All parents	PTFA Meeting at school 7.00-8.00pm
	Wed 4 th	Squirrels	Sportshall Athletics at Guildford Spectrum (afternoon)
	Tue 10 th	Whole School	Hot chocolate and doughnut sale after school
	Wed 11 th	Whole School	Parent Teacher Meetings from 1.00pm
	Mon 16 th	Key Stage 2	Primary Music Festival
	Tue 17 th		Full Governing Body Meeting 7.00pm
	Fri 20 th		SEND Parents' meetings for families wishing to access SEND support in further detail with our Federation SENDCOs
	Mon 23 rd	Whole School	Easter bonnet making
	Mon 23 rd	Whole School	Easter Service at church 2.30pm
	Fri 27 th	Whole School	Easter egg hunt/trail school
	Fri 27 th	Whole School	Last day of term – school closes at 1.30pm
	April	Mon 13 th	Whole School
May	Wed 6 th	Whole School	Bake sale after school: Squirrel families' donations
	Wed 13 th	Woodlands	Brooklands Museum trip
	Mon 11 th –Fri 15 th	Year 6	SATs week
	Wed 20 th –Fri 22 nd	Kestrels	Bentley Copse residential
	Mon 25 th –Fri 29 th	Whole School	Half term – school closed
June	Tue 2 nd	Years 4 and 5	World Games Day at Christ's College
	Fri 12 th	Whole School	Mufti day for donations to the bottle tombola
	Wed 17 th	Year 6	Leavers' Service at Guildford Cathedral
	Fri 19 th	Whole School	PTFA Summer Fair after school
	Fri 26 th	Whole School	Inset day – school closed to children
	Mon 29 th	Whole School	Inset day – school closed to children
July	Tue 14 th		Full Governing Body meeting 7.00pm
	Wed 22 nd	Whole School	Last day of term – school closes at 1.30pm

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Children will take part in many different sessions from passing and control, dribbling, shooting and much more. All results will be processed and each child will receive a certificate at the end of the course.

Trophies, Medals and prizes will also be awarded!

We will finish each day with a small sided tournament.

It's your time to shine!

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EASTER HOLIDAY 2026

Date

Venue

- Monday 30th March to Thursday 2nd April • Cleves School
- Tuesday 7th April to Friday 10th April • Cleves School

9:30am to 3:30pm • Full Days or Half Days

For more information and to book your child's place, please visit our website

surreyfootballcoaching.com

Email: info@surreyfootballcoaching.co.uk

[Surreyfootballcoaching](https://www.instagram.com/Surreyfootballcoaching)

Tel: 01932 454 866



Build your own games this Easter!



- Guildford High School (Sports Centre), GU1 1SJ
- 7-12 year olds • 2-day camp
- Devices provided for all students

For detailed program information and dates, please head to:

www.codecamp.co.uk/GHS

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EASTER CAMPS 2026

Tech-powered camps, packed with **WOW** experiences!

Example camp activities

Camps run 9 am - 4 pm



NEW FOR EASTER - WOW EXPERIENCES



Activities vary by location. Please visit our website to see what's running at your venue.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

Blending hands-on tech exploration with unforgettable WOW experiences, we inspire children to invent, create, and discover. Led by DBS-checked, friendly and supportive instructors, kids build confidence while diving into exciting activities, challenges, and real skill-building adventures.

AGES 5-11, £45 PER DAY OR £162 FOR 4 DAYS

LIMITED SPACES - BOOK NOW!

WWW.NEXTTHING.EDUCATION T: 01442 873150

SEREN KIDS EASTER BREAK!

Ofsted
Registered

Seren Kids

£49 per day or discounted price of £225 full week.

Sibling discounts available!
At Rydes Hill Preparatory School

Click for location info!

SCAN HERE



BOOK NOW

Tormead School
From Ages 4 - 12 years



ACTIVITIES

- Hockey
- Podcasting
- Drama
- Arts & Crafts
- Netball
- Judo
- Cricket
- Dance
- Easter Bonnet Show
- Gymnastics
- Science
- Coding
- Easter Egg Hunt
- T-Shirt Design

WHY SEREN KIDS?

- Hot meal, early start and late pick up options!
- 5 star rated holiday camp because we provide high quality care, super fun activities, and always go the extra mile!
- passionate about inclusion and creating safe spaces!
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Info@SerenKids.com



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Easter Holiday Mindfulness Pony Day for Kids!

Dates: Thursday 2nd April and Friday 10th April

Time: 9.30am- 2pm

Location: Hill Crest Farm, Horsham

Join us for a magical day of ponies, riding, art, friendship, and mindfulness!

What to Expect:

- Mindfulness Time with Ponies
- Pony Care
- Riding and Mounted Games
- Connect with Arts and Nature
- Make New Friends

Click the link to book the day of your choice:

[Thursday 2nd April- Mindfulness Pony Day- Book Now!](#)

[Friday 10th April- Mindfulness Pony Day- Book Now!](#)

Cost: £140 per child

BY PURCHASING A TICKET VIA EVENTBRITE, YOU ARE PAYING £40 DEPOSIT. YOU WILL BE INVOICED VIA EMAIL FOR THE OUTSTANDING AMOUNT ON 27th MARCH.

Spaces limited to 10 children per day

We are an inclusive team and warmly welcome children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). We celebrate diversity and are committed to providing a supportive environment where every child can thrive.