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**Gold Certificates**

Gold Certificates are issued each week to celebrate children's achievements. This could be for a variety of positive reasons, including: being kind, working hard and making friends. Last week's recipients are:

1WK Toby P Sunny W	1WL Harry B Matthew C
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2A Zac H Leah S	2L Freddy A Kathy T
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3N Nathan C Ava W	3W Ollie A Oscar C
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4B Charlotte N Freddy W	4S Jacob H Neyo W
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5CH Charlie F Chloe H	5G Cameron R Roksana W
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6E Lily B Chenise T-R	6R Xavier H Lara H
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Unicorn Monty C Freda S	Griffin Brandon W
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Dragon  
Archie M  
Charlie S

**Anti-Bullying Week**

It has been Anti-Bullying week/Friendship Week this week. All the children have taken part in circle times, lessons and assemblies focusing on the issue of bullying, what to do if you find yourself in that situation and about how to be a good friend. The week culminated in our Friendship afternoon, when each class had the opportunity to pair up with another class in the school to make a new friend. Finally the week ended with our Blue Certificate assembly when two children from each class were awarded a Friendship Week certificate.



**Friendship Week Certificates**

As this week is Anti-Bullying Week we have awarded Friendship Week Certificates, rather than Gold Certificates. These have been awards to:

1WK Jayden G Maisie G	1WL Daisy Marie H Owen J
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2A Alfie B Isobel H	2L Olivia K Alfie S
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3N Scarlett G Henry P	3W Oscar C Macey S
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4B Charlotte N Toby W	4S Hamish B Keira M
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5CH Archie R & Hannah Mia & Joshua	5G Harry H Anna T
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6E Georgia Mae M Sam N	6R Amelie E Rowan S
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Unicorn Leo B Fernando F	Griffin Henry M James W
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Dragon  
Lucy O

**Best Class Attendance**

This week's Best Class Attendance is Griffin Class with 99% attendance. Very well done Griffin Class!

**Parent Consultations**

This is a reminder that our Parent Consultation Evenings are on next Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> and Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November from 3.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Please visit: [www.cagegreen.parentseveningsystem.co.uk](http://www.cagegreen.parentseveningsystem.co.uk) to book your appointments. Mr Garthwaite and our SENCo, Mrs Middleton, will be available on both days. Mr Neal will be available to talk to parents about PE on Tuesday until 8.00 p.m. and Thursday until 6.00 p.m. We look forward to seeing you all.

**Parent Consultations, Clubs**

Due to the above mentioned Parent Consultation Evenings there are the following changes to after school clubs next week:

Cancelled:

Tuesday – Book Club  
Thursday - Decoupage

Change of Time:

Patchwork Club will run at lunchtime on Thursday, instead of after school.

Running as Normal:

Tuesday – Hockey Club and Maths Club  
Thursday – First Class Football, Basketball Club and Homework Club.

**Primary Science Quality Mark**

Cage Green has been awarded the Silver Accreditation, in recognition of the level of Science teaching and learning at our school. The Primary Science Quality Awards have been awarded to 270 infant, junior, primary, middle and special schools to celebrate a

commitment to excellence in science teaching and learning. So far, since its national launch in 2010, over 2000 schools across the UK have achieved the award. The school is thrilled to have received this award and have been approached by the National Director for the PSQM, to support other schools on their journey to improving science within our school. Mrs Creed and Miss Wellington have presented at a National Science Conference about the achievements within Science at Cage Green. We will continue to maintain the progress made and further our achievements by applying for the Gold PSQM.

### **Kent Junior School Cross Country Championships**

On Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November 22 Years 3 to 6 children took part in the Kent School Cross Country Championships at a very cold, wet and windy Detling Showground. For many this was their first cross country event and it was a great shame that the weather was so atrocious! All our runners gave their best and tried hard against some very challenging competition. Our best results came in the Year 4 Boy's event, where Elliot W came 22<sup>nd</sup> out of 207 runners. Hannah M also did exceptionally well, coming 42<sup>nd</sup> out of 129 runners. All our runners received a certificate from the organisers and will hope for better weather conditions next year!

### **Football Report**

#### 'A' Team

"The 'A' Team played Hildenborough at home on Wednesday. The Captain, Morgan D, told us how he wanted us to play. The first half started off with a bang with Aiden G scoring a brilliant goal.

When the whistle went for half time. It was 1-0. Then the second half started and Aiden scored for us again! Owen B and Sam N got injured but we won 2-0. It was a great win for Cage Green but Hildenborough tried their best." Report by Joel F and Owen B, 6R.

#### 'B' Team

"On Wednesday the 'B' Team played a football match against Hildenborough. It was a very tense match. After about 10 minutes Bobby B scored the first goal. Another 5 minutes of tense play and it was half time. We had a motivating team talk and then we were back on the pitch. After another 5 minutes of brilliant play, Charlie F scored with a beautiful bottom left goal to make it 2-0 to Cage Green. In the final moments of the match, Cage Green were still going strong in the final moments of the match but unfortunately, Hildenborough just slipped a goal past the goalkeeper. When the final whistle blew Cage Green had won a very enjoyable match, 2-1!" Report by Rowan S and Alfie S, 6R.

#### **Netball Report**

"On Wednesday the 'A' Team had a netball match against Hildenborough. It all started well for Cage Green as we scored 3 goals in the first quarter. Isabel S scored one goal and Martha scored the other two but the glory didn't last long as Hildenborough scored 4 goals in the second quarter. It all went downhill from then because by the end of the match the score was 12-3 to Hildenborough. To be honest, Hildenborough's passing, defence and attack out did ours. We tried our hardest but it just wasn't enough, however, the sportsmanship we showed was excellent." Report by Georgia-Mae and Martha, 6E

### **School Council Charity**

The School Council has voted for Hospice in the Weald to be our chosen charity for this school year.

### **Reception Class Library Visit**

On Thursday this week Chimpanzee and Penguins classes went to visit our local library. We learnt about how many libraries there are in Kent, how many books we can borrow from the library and how long we can keep them for. We listened to a story about a character called Max and then had the opportunity to look at all the fantastic books before walking back to school.

### **PTFA Christmas Fair Donation Day**

The next donation day is next Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> November. Please send your child to school in uniform, as usual - but they can wear crazy hair and/or hat and crazy or odd socks. Donations are Children's Tombola and/or bottles (alcohol preferably please). Thank you.

### **Second Hand Uniform Sale**

There will be a second hand uniform sale on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December, after school in the Courtyard (weather permitting) or in the main hall.

### **PTFA Family Film Night**

Thank you to those who attended last night's PTFA film night. It was lovely to see so many of the children enjoying the film, 'The Secret Life of Pets'. We thank you for your support.

### **Nourish Menu**

Please can we ask you to look through the Nourish Menu with your child, so that you can decide which days they would like a school dinner and which days they would prefer a packed lunch. Thank you.