



CLIPSTON ENDOWED VC PRIMARY SCHOOL


Be Kind ~ Be Your Best ~ Be Happy

Clipston Connects
Number 30
9th May 2025

“Do to others as you would have
them do unto you” Luke 6:31



Diocese of Peterborough

W/B 12/05/25	Regular Events	New / One-off Events
Monday	Reading Volunteers in school Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	SATs Week for Year 6 Full Governing Body Meeting
Tuesday	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	
Wednesday	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs Brass Music Lessons. NMPAT Music Lessons	
Thursday	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	
Friday	KS1 French Club & Hotshots Basketball Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	



Bumper Edition!



News: In Worship Assembly this week, we focused on the VE Day Commemorations, discussing photos from VE Day in 1945 including this one from Bletchley Park which includes Mrs Mercer’s Great Aunt. We talked about the roles and duties carried out by the Royal Family, the Balcony gathering, the Red Arrow’s fly past, the meeting of veterans, the significance of the poppies at the Tower of London and the how we at Clipston have marked the 80th Anniversary. The children had a lovely time at our VE Day tea party on the front lawn which was decorated with flags, poppies and bunting – thank you for all the cake donations! Linking with WWII, we welcomed local amateur historians who were very keen to see the inspiring mural “The Spirit of Aerial Combat” of which we are custodians. The mural was painted by an American Airman based at the secret Carpetbaggers Airbase at Harrington during WWII and presented to “The Friendliest Village In The World” in 1945. In Awards Assembly, Halestrap won the House cup with 178 Points (Isham 164, Coles 162, Buswell 156). A number of Gold Awards were received by children for achievements with their work as well as in sport, dance, music and community service. The Science Competition was won by Jake in Robin Class and Chloe in Kingfisher Class, and Hotshot’s Player of the Term was awarded to Kit in Kingfisher Class. Well done, everyone! In a tradition going back over 35 years, we welcomed Year 2 from Sparkenhoe Primary School in Leicester for their annual visit to Clipston. Owl and Robin Classes enjoyed accompanying them on a Treasure Trail Walk around the village and a fascinating tour of All Saints’ Church led by Steve Carpenter. A lovely day!

Our Christian Value this term is **Responsibility** – “So, then, let us do good to everyone” – Galatians 6:18

The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs Emma Mercer. Deputy DSL is Mrs Gina Guerriero

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May	June	July
5 th Bank Holiday 6 th Awards Worship Assembly 8 th Bags To School Collection 8 th Sparkenhoe School visiting Clipston 8 th VE Day Tea Party 12 th Year 6 SATs Week 12 th Full Governing Body Meeting 17 th School Association Summer Fete 21 st Whole School Photo 23 rd Poetry Workshop Day 23 rd Last Day Term 5	2 nd First Day Term 6 6 th Sports Day (morning) 9 th Rock Kidz Day – workshops 10 th YR and Y6 – School Nurse Visits 11 th Lion King Trip to London 13 th Sports Day (backup date) 13 th Kingfisher Class Sleepover 18 th Robin Class Trip to Sparkenhoe 30 th Full Governing Body Meeting	9 th Woodpecker Performances 2pm & 6pm 10 th Woodpecker Performances 2pm & 6pm 10 th Owl and Robin Classes Mini Olympics Towcester – info to follow 14 th Kingfisher and Woodpecker Classes Mini Olympics Towcester – info to follow 17 th Leavers' Service 9.15am 18 th Last Day Term 6