



Friday 22nd March 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you all had a good week.

I am writing with my usual weekly letter of news and information. I can be contacted at [exehead@aspire-kent.org.uk](mailto:exehead@aspire-kent.org.uk) between 8am - 5pm Monday to Friday for queries and questions. Also Lauren my PA can be contacted at [Iriby@aspire-kent.org.uk](mailto:Iriby@aspire-kent.org.uk). Any requests for meetings or appointments can be made through Lauren - thank you.

### **Easter Soccer Schools-**

EMC Academy Soccer School are offering **50% off** the price of their Easter Soccer School, to any pupil who attends one of the Aspire Schools.

This will be held on 12th April at **Mascalls School, 10am-3pm** (with early drop off at 9am also available).

To book your place, get in touch by calling **07793029247** and quoting your child's name and school they attend. Providing the name of your Aspire School will entitle you to 50% off!

### **Another Soccer School available-**

Chelsea Foundation Soccer Schools are also offering several sessions throughout the Easter Holidays over various dates and in various locations.

For more information and to book, visit-

<https://chelseafcfoundation.com/soccerschools/index.htm>

### **Looking further ahead- Kent Music Summer School (KMSS)**

Kent Music School runs a summer school with a variety of courses. Some involve instruments, from beginner level upwards and there is also a musical theatre course.

The focus of the Summer School music courses is for young people to have fun while being encouraged and motivated to improve, supported by professional tutors and an experienced pastoral team. From new starters to experienced players, it's a place for everyone to enjoy themselves and enrich their summers, making friends and memories to last a lifetime!

KMSS offers something for all young musicians. Ability and experience needn't be barriers to entry. All courses are audition-free, and they can offer generous financial assistance to students who meet the criteria.

For more information- visit -

<https://www.kent-music.com/kent-music-summer-school/>

### **A couple of Ideas for Days out this Half-term-**

Little Fant Farm has an array of activities, as well as a coffee shop and 'meet the Animals'. They also have an Easter Farm Trail and Alice in Wonderland this Easter.

<https://www.littlefantfarm.online/whats-on-1>

Maidstone Museum have 'Family Films at the Museum' on Saturday 30th March - the link below gives more information and will tell you when tickets become available

<https://museum.maidstone.gov.uk/whats-on/events/family-films-at-maidstone-museum-saturday-30-march/>

They also have an Easter event - 2-4th April and 9-11th April - where you can go and 'make it' with lots of craft activities.

<https://museum.maidstone.gov.uk/whats-on/events/easter-holiday-make-it-crafts-2-4-9-11-april-2024/>

You can book tickets here:

<https://www.parkwoodtheatres.co.uk/hazlitt-theatre/whats-on/maidstone-museum-easter-holiday-animal-make-it-crafts>

### **Lunch Menu for Spring Term-**

Finally, please also find attached the Lunch menu for the return after the Easter Holidays.

Wishing you all a lovely and restful weekend.

Kind regards,

**Emma Hickling**  
**Executive Headteacher**