

Newsletter

Summer Term 6 Week 6

Friday 10th July 2026

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A huge congratulations to all our children who took part in Sports Day this week. There was a wonderful atmosphere at all three events, and it was a pleasure to have so many parents and carers in attendance, supporting their children.

All the results have now been totalled, and the winners were announced in assembly on Friday. Congratulations to the **Red Team**, who, in a reversal of last year's result, pipped the **Yellow Team** by just six points. Both the **Blue Team** and **Green Team** also achieved considerably higher scores than they did last year.

Thank you to everyone who attended and helped make the event such a success.



The Lion King (Years 5 & 6)

The whole school had the privilege of watching the dress rehearsal of our production on Wednesday. The children performed brilliantly, and we can't wait to welcome our audiences next week!

If you need tickets, please speak to Mrs Vidler in the office.

Performance Dates

- Monday 13th July, 4:00pm
- Thursday 16th July, 4:00pm

Our attendance for this week:

Whole school: 93.3%	Reception: 96.9%
Year 1: 96.3%	Year 2: 93.5%
Year 3: 98.3%	Year 4: 88.2%
Year 5: 95.0%	Year 6: 93.5%

Attendance Matters



Well done Year 3!



Health & Safety on our school site

Please remind your children to **walk up the school path when arriving at and leaving school**. We have recently noticed an increase in children running or riding scooters along the path, which can create a risk of accidents and injuries, particularly during our busy drop-off and collection times.

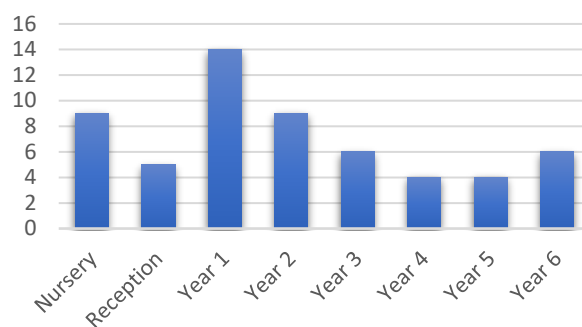
If your child brings a scooter to school, we ask that they **dismount and walk with their scooter while on the school path and grounds**.

Unfortunately, we do not have sufficient staff available to supervise these areas at all times, so we rely on the cooperation of families and children to ensure everyone can enter and leave the site safely.

Parent & Carer Survey 2025/2026

Thank you to those who have completed our parent/carer survey. We've had **40 responses** so far. Your feedback helps us ensure that we are providing the highest standards for our children, so if you haven't yet completed the survey, please use the link below. It should only take a few minutes to complete.

<https://forms.gle/Vhvmy1tZH8Rnhmzb8>



Congratulations to Tommy Doherty in Year 6, who was presented with no fewer than four awards at Newhaven Football Club's annual presentation evening. Fantastic achievement, Tommy – well done!



🎸 ROCK STEADY PERFORMANCE 🎤

It was our second Rock Steady concert on Thursday, and my goodness, how the bands have grown not only in confidence but also in their musical talent. A huge congratulations to all the children who put on a show-stopping performance for parents and siblings on a very warm afternoon. They are certainly stars of the future!



"Sam's Still Standing" ...let's hope so!

On the 27th September, Sam, one of our parents in year 1, will be running the Berlin marathon whilst dressed as Elton John, in order to raise funds for Alzheimer's Research UK. Any donations big or small gratefully received. <https://www.justgiving.com/page/eltonrunsberlin>



Key Dates (2025/2026) - Term 6

Monday 13th July – Year 6 Production (inc. Yr 5) @ 4:00pm
Thursday 16th July – Year 6 Production (inc. Yr 5) @ 4:00pm
Tuesday 21st July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly @ 9:00am
Tuesday 21st July – Year 6 BBQ (1:00 – 3:00pm)
Tuesday 21st July – **End of term 6 for all children**
Wednesday 22nd July - INSET

NEW Term Dates (2026 – 2027)

Term 1

Friday 4th Sept – Friday 23rd Oct

Term 2

Monday 2nd Nov – Friday 18th Dec

Term 3

Monday 4th Jan – Friday 12th Feb

Term 4

Monday 22nd Feb – Thursday 25th Mar

Term 5

Monday 12th April – Friday 28th May

Term 6

Monday 7th June – Thursday 22nd July

A huge thank you to **JPE Guttering and Property Services** for coming and installing this great water wall for our children to play with as part of our PLATINUM OPAL playtimes. It's been perfect in this warm weather for helping to keep the children cool and is already being enjoyed by all. Thank you to Mrs McLaughlan for organising!



Dear Year 5 children and families,

I just wanted to say a huge thank you for joining us for our Year 5 Taster Day on Friday 3rd July at Seahaven Academy. What a lovely day it was. It was so nice to meet the children and spend the day getting to know them. They arrived with so much enthusiasm and were willing to give everything a go. They really were a pleasure to have with us.

A big thank you as well to the Year 5 teachers who came along to support the day. We really appreciated having you with us. There was so much going on throughout the day. The children got stuck into art, became scientists in our labs with bubbles and experiments, enjoyed rounders and basketball, and baked some delicious sweet treats. Everywhere you looked there were smiles and children enjoying themselves.

One of my favourite moments was at break and lunchtime, watching children from different schools chatting and playing together on the tennis courts - already making new friends. It was lovely to see how quickly they mixed and included one another.

I've lost count of how many members of staff stopped me to say what a lovely group they were. They were polite and full of character. They are a real credit to their families and their primary schools, and we loved having them here.

We are so excited to continue getting to know you all over the coming months and look forward to welcoming you back to Seahaven Academy for future events.

We hope the day gave you a little glimpse of life at our school and left knowing that secondary school isn't something to be nervous about.

We hope they left with happy memories, and we can't wait to welcome them back.

Thank you once again for making the day so special.

Wishing you all a wonderful week, and when it comes, a happy summer holiday.

Best wishes,

Ms Brown

Head of Year 7



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FADS



IS LOOKING FOR ITS

NEXT COMMITTEE

COULD YOU BE OUR NEXT CHAIR, VICE CHAIR, SECRETARY OR TREASURER?

Every disco, Christmas fair, Santa visit and school event you've enjoyed has been organised by FADS volunteers.

After several successful years, it's time to hand FADS over to a new team of parents and carers to continue creating amazing memories and raising vital funds for our school.



WE'RE LOOKING FOR:



CHAIR



VICE CHAIR



SECRETARY



TREASURER

+ COMMITTEE MEMBERS & EVENT VOLUNTEERS

BE PART OF THE TEAM THAT MAKES THE MAGIC HAPPEN!

NO EXPERIENCE? NO PROBLEM!



Full handover and support from the current committee



Flexible roles to suit your availability



A great way to meet other parents and make a real difference



Help create fantastic events and raise vital funds for our children

INTERESTED?

GET IN TOUCH TO FIND OUT MORE OR HAVE AN INFORMAL CHAT.

