
Delce Infant School Newsletter

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Amalgamation News



We were all very pleased to hear the good news on Tuesday that Alan Parker, the Schools Adjudicator, had rejected Medway Council's proposal to amalgamate our school with Delce Junior School.

He recognised that circumstances had changed since Medway first proposed the amalgamation and the staying open of St Peter's Infant School was an important factor in his decision. Mr Parker was impressed by the responsible approach by governors and staff of both schools and he recognised that we all gave full and careful consideration to the proposal before reaching the view that amalgamation was not the better way forward for our schools.

He also recognised the value of parents' contributions to the debate and took your views into account. Many of you wrote letters or emails, signed our petition and/or attended the public meetings, both with Medway Council and the School Adjudicator, and this all helped him make his final decision.

On a personal level, I would like to thank you all again for your support throughout this process. I know all the staff have valued your positive comments and encouragement a great deal. We are now looking forward to carrying on as normal with school life.

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Summer Fair arrangements

The Summer Fair is on **Thursday 17 June, 2.30 – 4.30 p.m., 20p entrance**. The fund raising group has been working very hard arranging all the stalls and games and there will be a lot of exciting things for the children to do during the afternoon. The stalls they have planned include bubble pictures, penalty shoot out, crazy golf, face painting, roll a penny and many more.

We do need your help to make our Summer Fair a great success and would really appreciate if you could send any of the following items to school:

- Craft bits and pieces for a craft making stall
- Books and toys
- Teddies or other cuddly toys for the Adopt a Teddy stall
- Raffle prizes
- Cakes or biscuits for the refreshment stall
- Plants

Please send them to school from Monday onwards and many thanks in advance.

I look forward to seeing you on Thursday.

Yours sincerely

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HEADTEACHER