

Headlines



Dear Parents,

It has been another busy and very exciting week at Ongar. Everyone has now settled well into new routines and there is lots of great learning taking place in every class. Many children have taken on the challenge of applying for one of this year's positions of responsibility this week. Speaking in front of their peers or taking part in an interview can be daunting and the children conducted themselves beautifully. Everyone who put themselves forward should feel very proud indeed.

ONGAR RULES!

We are gentle
We are kind and helpful
We listen
We are honest
We learn well
We look after property

Head Boys and Girls

Mrs Pirie and I were delighted to welcome 13 children to my office applying for Head Boy, Head Girl, Deputy Head Girl and Deputy Head Boy.

We were really impressed with the speeches and the answers they gave us.

A few quotes from their fantastic speeches:

"I have just loved my time at Ongar. I started as a shy little girl but I've grown in confidence."

"In these uncertain times of Brexit, you can count on me!"

"Through my journey at Ongar Place I have made lots of friends from different year groups as well as my own."

Following much discussions amongst staff, we agreed:

Head Boy – Daniel Wilkinson

Head Girl – Rosie Kewell

Deputy Head Boy – Joshua Newlands

Deputy Head Girl – Jessica Bamber

Well done to you four and commiserations to the other nine. It was a hard decision and there are lots of other posts of responsibility to apply for in the next week or so.



Head Boys and Girls

House Captains

More voting took place this week for the House Captains. Year 6 children who wished to stand needed to make a speech to the children in their house. There were some strong speeches this year and the votes were close in all the houses. This year's House Captains are:

Brooklands (Blue)	Poppy Stalham Charlie Packer
Runnymede (Red)	Lauren Powell Queenie Dempsey
Painshill (Green)	Theo Genco Roxy Field
Wisley (Yellow)	Oliver Hart Beth Rainbow

Congratulations to you all and well done to everyone who stood for House Captain.

Our House Captains



School Councillors

The School Council meets regularly with Mrs Brill to consider ways that we can continue to improve our school. Every year each class votes for the children who will represent them for the year on the School Council. Children have been giving presentations to their classes over the past week and voting took place this morning. Look out for the new school councillors in next week's Headlines.

Football club

A reminder that Football club will run from 3.20 until 4.30pm on Thursdays for children who have been given a place.

We are collecting Aldi's Team GB stickers!

If you shop in Aldi please collect the stickers for us, if we can complete our poster with 300 Team GB Stickers we will be able to get a school sports kit and will be in with the chance to win £20,000 to build a healthy legacy at our school.

Dates

Friday 27 th September	European Day of Languages
Friday 4 th October	FS and KS1 Harvest Festival

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