



Thomas Eaton News

Summer Term Issue 12

18th July 2025

We've had an incredible week full of colour, creativity, and community spirit!

A huge **well done** to all the children in Years 4, 5, and 6 for their outstanding performances of *The Magic Flute*! From enchanting solos to energetic ensembles every child shone on stage. Thank you to our dedicated staff who worked tirelessly behind the scenes to make the production such a success - and to all the families who joined us in the audience and cheered the performers on!

The school was buzzing with music and dancing last night as children across the year groups enjoyed the **PTFA Summer Discos**! There were some truly impressive dance moves on display. We are so grateful to the PTFA for organising such a fun-filled event and to all the volunteers who helped out on the night. The discos raised valuable funds for future enrichment activities—thank you for your continued support!

With just three days to go until the end of term, there's no denying that staff and pupils alike are running low on energy—but spirits remain high! It's a final push now, and we're so proud of all that's been achieved this term. Let's keep that momentum going as we cross the finish line together.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Mrs N Webb
Deputy Headteacher

Above and Beyond

Koala Class: All of Koala Class

Meerkat Class: Max

Panda Class: George S

Tiger Class: Ronnie

Fox Class: Winter

Lion Class: Harriet

Questions of the week

We are aware that sometimes it is tricky for children to talk to parents about their learning from the week or that sometimes you get the answer "nothing" when asking children what they've learned at school.

Therefore, we are going to provide a prompt question for each year group every week, that you can ask your child and get them talking about their amazing learning.

Koala Class: What should be pack in our suitcase?

Meerkat Class: What do we use a map for?

Panda Class: What do you need to make a wheel?
(answer: axle, axle holder, wheel).

Tiger Class: What was your favourite memory from this year?

Fox Class: When using Scratch, what is a loop? What is a nested loop?

Lion Class: What is a relative clause?

Upcoming dates



Summer Term 2025

Tuesday 22nd July
Year 6 leavers assembly @ 2:30pm

Wednesday 23rd July
'Celebration Day'
Celebration Assembly @ 2pm
Summer Term ends

Monday 1st & Tuesday 2nd September
Inset Day /s

Wednesday 3rd September
Autumn Term starts - Academic Year 2025/26

Friday 24th October
Break up for half term

Monday 27th to Friday 31st October
Half Term

Monday 3rd November
Staff Inset Day

Friday 19th December
Break up for Christmas

Monday 5th January 2026
Spring Term begins

Monday 16th to Friday 20th February 2026
Half Term

Monday 23rd February 2026
Spring Term continues

Friday 27th March 2026
Break up for the Easter holidays

Monday 30th March to Friday 10th April 2026
Easter Holidays

Monday 13th April 2026
Inset Day

Tuesday 14th April
Summer Term begins

Monday 4th May
May Bank holiday

Monday 25th to Friday 29th May
Half Term

Monday 1st June
Summer Term continues

Friday 17th July
Summer Term ends



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Wednesday 23rd July - Celebration Day including Soakfest, the sequel!

Back by popular demand, we will be holding another 'Soakfest' during the morning of our final day of term Wednesday 23rd July. Like last year, each class will be invited to participate in 'Soakfest' on the school field during their allotted time, Pupils (and staff) will be provided with foam water soakers, whereby they can fill them up and have some fun by soaking their peers and members of staff.

To ensure that everyone enjoys themselves safely, there will be some rules that will be shared with all participating nearer the time. Anyone seen to not follow the rules, risks their soaker being removed from them.

This will be a non-uniform day. Pupils can come to school wearing appropriate clothing that they will be happy to get wet. They will need to bring into school, in a named bag, a complete set of spare clothes, including underwear and shoes that they will change into after the 'Soakfest'. They will also require a towel. If your child wishes to wear goggles and/or a swimming hat they may do so.

If you do not wish your child/ren to participate in 'Soakfest', please inform their class teacher.

We will then look forward to seeing you all, in the school hall at 2pm for our final 'Celebration Assembly' of this academic year.

Hopefully, we will all be dry by then!

Thank you all in advance.



Celebration Assembly

Let's Celebrate!

We are very much looking forward to seeing you all in the school hall on Wednesday 23rd July for the final (marathon) Celebration Assembly of the year. Doors will open at 1:50pm, with a prompt 2pm start.

Experience tells us that the hall will be warm but there will be plenty to celebrate as we come together to reflect on a fantastic term and recognise the achievements of our amazing pupils.

You won't want to miss it!

Safeguarding

With the holidays upon us, all children have the right to be safe and well looked after. Please do not ignore any concerns you may have regarding the well-being of children (and young people) in your neighbourhood. So, if you are in any doubt, please make a call and talk to someone.

The telephone number for Children's Social Care Services at Cambridgeshire Direct is 0345 045 5203. Office hours are 8:00 am - 6:00 pm, Monday - Friday; outside these hours and at weekends, please contact the Emergency Duty Team 01733 234724.

Thank you.

