



# The Park Way Post



17<sup>th</sup> July 2026

As another school year draws to a close, it's time for the annual game of "**Who's Moving Where?**" There are a few changes on the horizon...

We're saying goodbye to **Mrs Pitcher**, who has been a fantastic addition to our team this year. Thank you for everything you've done—we'll miss you!

**Mrs Russell** is leaving us for the most exciting role of all: another baby! We wish her every happiness (and at least a little sleep) and can't wait to meet the newest member of her family.

**Miss Hayes** is off to pastures new. Her new school has struck gold—we know she'll be brilliant, although we'll be keeping a close eye on them to make sure they look after her! She'll be greatly missed by us all.

We're also delighted to welcome **Mrs Scott** to the office team, where she'll be joining **Mrs Revell**. We're sure she'll settle in brilliantly, and we're looking forward to having her on board.

There are some **splash-tastic** changes coming to swimming next year! We're very excited about what's in store, but you'll have to wait just a little longer—we'll share all the details in September.

And finally, it's time to wave goodbye to our fabulous Year 6 pupils as they head off on their next big adventure. Secondary school awaits—with bigger buildings, more teachers to remember, and a timetable that might feel like it's written in code at first!

It may seem a little daunting, but remember: you are more than ready. Be brave, be kind, work hard, and believe in yourselves. You've already shown us just how amazing you are, and we have no doubt you'll take your next steps in your stride.

**Children return to school on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September!!**

## Sports Day

Due to the ongoing warm weather we have decided to postpone Sports Day until September. Further details will follow.

## Parent Forum

The logo for 'The Parents Forum' is a red speech bubble with the text 'The Parents Forum' written inside in a white, stylized font.

Why not come along to our next parent forum? We are here to listen.... you can ask questions, make suggestions, find out about what goes on in school and enjoy a coffee and some cake!

The 'In the Spotlight' logo features the text 'In the Spotlight' in a black, serif font, with 'In the' in a smaller font above 'Spotlight'. The text is set against a yellow starburst background and is flanked by two black bell icons.

Well done to Maya for competing in a gymnastics competition last week!!



If your child has any amazing out of school achievements that you are proud of, why not share them with us? Please email the office!

## PE Term 1

PE days.. info to follow



| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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Congratulations to Leopards for winning the team points challenge!!



## Attendance

**Please do not email the office - we have 100's of emails everyday and your's could get missed! Please follow the instructions below.**

If your child is unwell and unable to come to school, please call on the first day of illness and each day they are unwell

Call - **01622 753651** **CHOOSE Option 1.**

Should no-one be available please leave a message stating your child's **name, class and reason for absence.**

Or

Email - **Attendance@park-way.kent.sch.uk**

## DIARY DATES

3<sup>rd</sup> Sept

Children Return To School

# KENT & TKAT SPRING SUMMER MENU 2026



|                                                                                                                          |                   | MONDAY                                                                                          | TUESDAY                                                          | WEDNESDAY                                           | THURSDAY                                                             | FRIDAY                                                      | MENU KEY:           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>WEEK ONE</b><br>20.04.26<br>11.05.26<br>08.06.26<br>29.06.26<br>20.07.26<br>14.09.26<br>05.10.26                      | <b>Option One</b> | Macaroni Cheese                                                                                 | Phat Pasty Pork Sausage Roll with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce   | Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy | Spaghetti Bolognaise                                                 | Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce |                     |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Option Two</b> | Chickpea Curry with Rice                                                                        | Quorn Vegan Cumberland Sausage with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce | Roasted Quorn with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy | Tomato & Vegetable Pasta                                             | Cheese & Bean Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce               |                     |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Sides</b>      | Green Beans & Sweetcorn                                                                         | Baked Beans & Peas                                               | Carrots & Cabbage                                   | Sweetcorn & Peppers                                                  | Baked Beans & Peas                                          | Whole grain         |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Dessert</b>    | <b>NEW</b> Banana Mousse                                                                        | Orange Drizzle Cake                                              | Fruit Platter                                       | Apple Flapjack                                                       | Strawberry Jelly with Mandarins                             |                     |
| <b>WEEK TWO</b><br>27.04.26<br>18.05.26<br>15.06.26<br>06.07.26<br><b>31.08.26</b><br>21.09.26<br>12.10.26               | <b>Option One</b> | Cheese & Tomato Pizza With New Potatoes                                                         | Beef Chilli with Rice                                            | Roasted Pork Sausages with Roast Potatoes & Gravy   | Greek Chicken Pitta with Herby Rice & Tzatziki                       | Battered Fish with Chips & Tomato Sauce                     |                     |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Option Two</b> | Lentil & Sweet Potato Curry with Rice                                                           | Loaded Jacket With Cheese & Spring Onion or Tomato Pasta         | Veg Wellington with Roast Potatoes & Gravy          | Greek Spinach & Cheese Whirl with Herby Rice & Tzatziki              | Quorn Vegan Cumberland Sausage with Chips & Tomato Sauce    | Plant based         |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Sides</b>      | Peas & Coleslaw                                                                                 | Sweetcorn & Green Beans                                          | Fresh Vegetable Medley                              | Broccoli & Carrots                                                   | Baked Bean & Peas                                           |                     |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Dessert</b>    | Iced Vanilla Sponge                                                                             | Peaches & Ice Cream (or Cream for Serveries)                     | Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad                         | Jam & Coconut Sponge                                                 | Oaty Cookie                                                 | Added plant protein |
| <b>WEEK THREE</b><br><b>13.04.26</b><br>04.05.26<br>01.06.26<br>22.06.26<br>13.07.26<br>07.09.26<br>28.09.26<br>19.10.26 | <b>Option One</b> | Tomato Pasta                                                                                    | Beef Burger with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce                    | Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy           | Chef Shilpa's Mild Chicken Curry with Rice                           | Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce                       |                     |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Option Two</b> | <b>NEW</b> Chinese Vegetable Noodles                                                            | Quorn Burger with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce                   | Vegetable Pasty with Roast Potatoes & Gravy         | Cowboy Sausage and Bean Hotpot                                       | <b>NEW</b> Cheesy Broccoli Frittata with Chips              | Chef's Special      |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Sides</b>      | Peas & Sweetcorn                                                                                | Baked Beans & Rainbow Slaw                                       | Carrots & Swede                                     | Sweetcorn & Peppers                                                  | Baked Beans & Peas                                          |                     |
|                                                                                                                          | <b>Dessert</b>    | Pineapple Upside Down Cake                                                                      | Cheese & Crackers                                                | Fruit Medley                                        | Strawberry and Apple Crumble with Ice Cream (or Cream for Serveries) | Vanilla Shortbread                                          |                     |
| <b>AVAILABLE DAILY:</b>                                                                                                  |                   | Jacket Potatoes with a choice of fillings, Salad Bar, Freshly Baked Bread, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt |                                                                  |                                                     |                                                                      |                                                             |                     |

If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods, please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.



# YOUNG VOICES



Park Way Primary School will once again be performing at the O2 as part of Young Voices. The concert date is Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2027. Places will be limited so please fill in the online form and pay via Scopay as soon as possible in order to reserve your child's place on the trip.



Choir rehearsals will start in September. Optional audience tickets and T-shirts can be ordered direct to Young Voices rather than through the school providing an email address has been given on the form



The O<sub>2</sub>

Thanks for your support,  
Mrs Ord





# TERM DATES

**2026/2027**

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| <b>TERM 1</b>                                                        |                          |
| Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> September                                    | Staff Development Day    |
| Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September                                  | Staff Development Day    |
| Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September                                   | First Day Term 1         |
| Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October                                      | Last Day Term 1          |
| <b>OCTOBER HOLIDAY</b>                                               |                          |
| Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> October to Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> October   | Holiday – No School      |
| <b>TERM 2</b>                                                        |                          |
| Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November                                      | Staff Development day    |
| Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November                                     | First Day of Term 2      |
| Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December                                     | Last Day of Term 2       |
| <b>CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY</b>                                             |                          |
| Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> December to Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January   | Holiday – No School      |
| <b>TERM 3</b>                                                        |                          |
| Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January                                       | Staff Development Day    |
| Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January                                      | First Day of Term 3      |
| Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February                                     | Last Day of Term 3       |
| <b>FEBRUARY HOLIDAY</b>                                              |                          |
| Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> February to Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February | Holiday – No School      |
| <b>TERM 4</b>                                                        |                          |
| Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February                                     | First Day of Term 4      |
| Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> March                                      | Last Day of Term 4       |
| <b>EASTER HOLIDAY</b>                                                |                          |
| Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> March to Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> April        | Holiday – No School      |
| <b>TERM 5</b>                                                        |                          |
| Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> April                                        | First Day of Term 5      |
| Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May                                           | Bank Holiday – No School |
| Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May                                          | Last Day of Term 5       |
| <b>MAY HOLIDAY</b>                                                   |                          |
| Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May to Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> June           | Holiday – No School      |
| <b>TERM 6</b>                                                        |                          |
| Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June                                          | Staff Development Day    |
| Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June                                         | First Day of Term 6      |
| Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July                                      | Last Day of Term 6       |



