



**CLAIRE'S COURT
JUNIORS**

Weekly Bulletin

22 May 2026 - Summer Term - Week 6

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Awards

Responsibility: Noah and Henry (2W)

Respect: Martina (1S)

Loyalty: Louis (RJ)

Integrity: Max (6C)

Claire's Court Book Fair

The Library will be hosting a Book Fair from Monday 1 June to Friday 5 June. Throughout the week, all classes will have the opportunity to visit the fair. Children will be able to create a wishlist of books they may wish to purchase, which they can bring home for you to review and complete payment for online.

Alternatively, you are welcome to visit the fair during the parent opening hours listed below, where card payments will be accepted for book purchases. Please note that the Book Fair is cashless.

Every purchase made helps raise funds for new books for our school, although there is absolutely no obligation to buy. Thank you in advance for your support.

Opening Hours

Wednesday 3 June - 8.30am & 3.30pm

Thursday 4 June - 8.30am & 4pm

Elmer Day

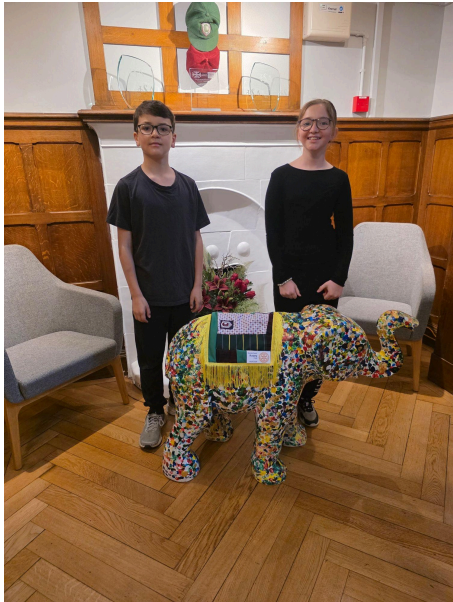
Reception children enjoyed celebrating Elmer Day this morning. We read Elmer stories to think about inclusivity, self-acceptance and diversity. We had fun impersonating elephants and we created some very colourful elephants of our own. Special thanks to Pupil Librarians - Annabelle (6J), Riley (5R), Ashleen (5D), Beatrice (5F) & Isabella (5D) for helping make the event run smoothly.



Trunks Across the Thames - Juniors Baby Elephant - Clarence

As part of their Centenary celebrations (1926–2026), Maidenhead Rotary Club has donated £1,300 to Thames Valley Hospice through the Trunks Across the Thames fundraising event. Our pupils helped to decorate a baby elephant sculpture, which will be displayed publicly at Maidenhead Library from **4–11 June 2026**

Claire's Court Junior and Nursery pupils decorated our baby elephant using pupils' thumbprints in school uniform and house colours: Winton (Yellow), Astor (Blue), Grenfell (Green) and Spencer (Red), celebrating our shared community. The jhul was crafted from recycled uniforms, adding a meaningful, sustainable touch. We named our elephant Clarence, inspired by Claire's Court, a name that means bright and clear.





WHOLE SCHOOL GROUP PHOTOGRAPH

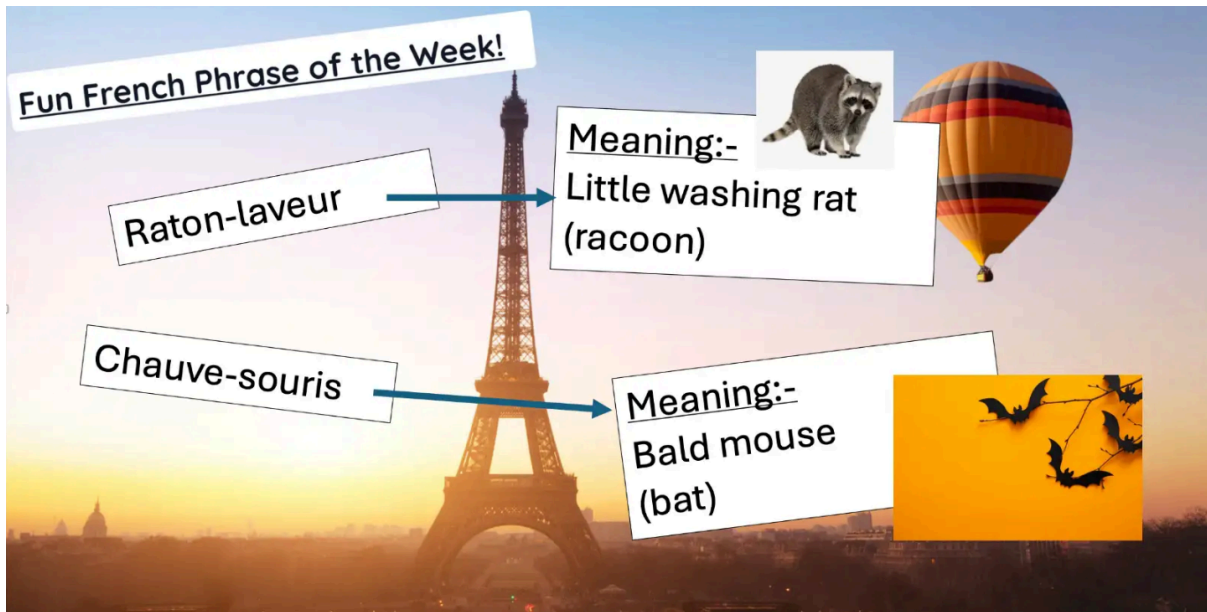
A polite reminder that the closing date for **free delivery** back to school is **Monday 25 May 2026**. You can order [here](#). Please include your **child's full name** to assist with distribution at the school.

Parents' Evening - Summer Term 2026

We would like to remind you that the Junior Parents' Evenings will be held on **Monday 22 June** and **Thursday 25 June**, in the Sports Hall and the Mezz at Juniors. Please find further details [here](#).

FUN FRENCH PHRASES

During the Summer Term, our focus language in MFL is French. To tie in with this, each week there will be a 'Fun French Phrase' in the bulletin, designed to expand vocabulary and spark curiosity! Have a look to see what this week's is...



FROM THE OFFICE

Reporting Absences

A reminder that if your child is unwell or unable to attend school due to medical/dental appointments, please let the School Office know by 9.30am on each day of absence by one of the following means (in order of preference).....

Email to juniors@clairescourt.net

Telephone to 01628 327400

Other absences during term time will need to be requested using the [Term Time Absence Request Form](#). Whilst we may 'approve' these absences they will invariably be recorded as 'unauthorised' due to the strict Department for Education guidelines to which we adhere.

PTA Nearly New Uniform Sale

All Nearly New Sales are on a **Friday morning from 8.15am to 8.45am** and take place just inside the Atrium entrance. Payment is by card only and **NOT** cash. The next date at Juniors is **5 June 2026**. **Please can you make sure all purchased items from the Nearly New Uniform Sale are named with your child's full name. Thank you**

PTA Summer Fete- Saturday 20 June

Bring the whole family for inflatable madness, artisan stalls, and a Pimms tent from 12pm-4pm. Advance family tickets are a steal at just £12—grab yours now at ccpta.org.uk.



PTA Summer Party - Saturday 27 June

Dust off your "Summer Sophistication" attire for a night of nibbles and a live disco from 6pm until late at the Juniors. Tickets are £45 for an evening of effortless elegance—don't miss out! Book your tickets [here](#).



News, News, News!

Take a look [here](#) at our fantastic media wall on the school website where we collate all the stories from across the school. There are stories from Instagram

and Facebook plus photo albums from [Flickr](#) which can all be filtered by year group/activity/event.

Clares Court SchoolTV - HIGHLY RECOMMENDED RESOURCE

Please make use of this valuable resource - [Clares Court SchoolTV](#) - available to all our parents. Because parenting doesn't come with instructions, SchoolTV is a wellbeing resource that can support you in the challenges relating to modern-day parenting. This award-winning resource helps build relationships, foster connections, enable understanding and break down barriers to navigate a pathway towards better mental health and wellbeing for young people.

School Closure Policy

A reminder that if school is closed due to weather conditions or any other reason, an announcement will be posted on our website, so please check there as your main source of information. Depending on the circumstances for the closure we will also communicate via text message or email and separate communications will be sent directly from Vectare regarding coach operation.

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