



# Kingsfield News

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Part of the



21st May 2021



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## Diary Dates For Parents



### KS2 Victorian Day

Thursday 27th May

### Deep South West Lunch Menu

Friday 28th May

### May Half-Term

31st May - 4th June

### Inset Day

Monday 7th June,

Children return to school on Tuesday 8th June

### Last day of term

Friday 16th July

OUR COVID RISK ASSESSMENT STILL REMAINS IN PLACE - PLEASE SUPPORT US IN KEEPING THE KINGSFIELD COMMUNITY SAFE



- C**ollaboration
- H**onesty
- I**nspiration
- L**eadership
- D**emocracy
- R**espect
- E**quality
- N**urture

### Polite Reminder

Please can I ask if parents have any queries or concerns to contact me, rather than posting on social media.

Thank you, Mrs Butler.

Mrs Blakeman, our lunchtime supervisor, will be leaving us after a dedicated 22 years of service to the school. Mrs Blakeman will be truly missed for her commitment, kindness, humour, fun and laughter that she brought.



We all wish Mrs Blakeman the very best as she finishes on Friday next week.

Another staffing update is to announce that during the May half-term Miss Price will be returning as Mrs Ashby, yes she is finally getting married following wedding Covid cancellations.



One week to go Miss Price, enjoy your last week as a Miss!

### Parent Pay

This week a parent has reported a scam email that looked like it came from ParentPay. This was reported directly to ParentPay and they have informed us that there is an ongoing phishing campaign which appears to be impacting the Hotmail domain exclusively; The scam email was the result of a phishing tactic called Spoofing, where an attacker will falsify the "from" field of an email to make it appear as if it was sent by another address.

The email has not been sent from ParentPay systems, and there has been no system compromise. If you receive a similar email we advise that these emails are ignored or deleted.



Please be reminded that homework should be completed and returned on Teams.

Homework is sent out on a Thursday and is to be returned on a Tuesday.

Your child's email and password is in the back of their home-school links book.

### School Council

During the last school council meeting the class representatives reviewed our behaviour traffic light system and have decided that parents will now receive a text when children move to bronze award!

On Friday 28th May - all pupils need to come to school wearing their PE kit.

### School Attendance

Clever Caterpillars 96.44%	Busy Bees 98.55%
Terrific Tigers 96.68%	Charming Cheetahs 90.80%
Perfect Panthers 95.58%	Learning Lions 97.22%
Super Squirrels 95.29%	Fantastic Foxes 95.29%
	Wise Owls 98.64%

The winners for this week are Wise Owls - Well done!

This weeks Whole School Attendance is 96.06%

Our whole school target is 97.5%



A huge **WELL DONE** to the following children who were awarded a golden ticket this week and chose a prize from the golden chest:-

Eden Spencer, Maisy Hancock, Evie Cashmore, Lillie-Mae Egereton, Hayley Meir, Fearne Harvey, Bella Armit, Amelia Sutton, Jack Mountford, Libbie Patterson, Bodhi Russell, Lily Jones, Riley Hunt, Kacey Billington, Harry Hughes-Moore

### Children's News

*Well done to the children below for their out of school achievements:*

Ryan Antrobus passed his Stage 1 Swimming award.

Lily Jones was awarded 3 Brownie Badges for Tying Knots, Adventure and Painting.

### Year 4 Leavers Photos

The recent Group photographs are now ready to view and purchase at <http://htmp.st/KingsfieldFirstSchool>

There will be a "deliver to school" option open for approx. 10 days, otherwise home delivery is available for £5 postage and packing.

If you need assistance please call 01736 751555 (option 3) or click on contact us on the home page.

Tempest Photography

### The Royal Mail Heroes Stamp Competition

We have seen some amazing entries to the Royal Mail Heroes Stamp Competition!

If you haven't returned your entry yet, please ensure it is returned to the school office or class teacher no later than Monday morning.

Well done and good luck to all children who have entered!



### Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancies

We currently have a vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor.

If you are interested or know someone who may be, then please call the school office for an application pack.

The position is term time only from 12:00 - 1:00 each day with an hourly rate of £8.55.

For any further information you can contact the school office on 01782 973800 or [admin@kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk)

### Theme of the week

Reflection and Feedback.

### Lunch Menu

We are 'Week 1' of the lunch menu next week - the lunch menu can be found on the school website. If you would prefer a paper copy please ask at the office.

## KINGSFIELD AWARDS

### Star of the week

**Little Ladybirds - Isabelle Mason**

**Clever Caterpillars - Pippa Robinson**

**Busy Bees - Zac Ridgway**

**Terrific Tigers - Niamh Roberts**

**Charming Cheetahs - Leo Cristini**

**Perfect Panthers - Hetty Dawson**

**Learning Lions - Reuben Thorley**

**Super Squirrels - Mason Beresford**

**Wise Owls - Harry Wint**

**Fantastic Foxes - Billy-Joe Keightley**

### Rainbow Reader

**Little Ladybirds - Tabitha Carney**

**Clever Caterpillars - Frankie Aspey**

**Busy Bees - Ryan Antrobus**

**Terrific Tigers - Jacob Morris**

**Charming Cheetahs - Oliver Williamson**

**Perfect Panthers - Thomas Deaville**

**Learning Lions - Hayley Meir**

**Super Squirrels - Freddie Brookes**

**Wise Owls - Lily Jones**

**Fantastic Foxes - Daisy Everill**

### Phonics Superhero

**Little Ladybirds - Olivia Peake**

**Clever Caterpillars - Isaac Pejic**

**Busy Bees - Aimee Pierpoint**

**Terrific Tigers - Grace Hudson**

**Charming Cheetahs - Violet Matthews**

**Perfect Panthers - Matthew Merrill**

**Learning Lions - Bella Armit**

### TT Rock Star

**Super Squirrels - Isaiah Carney**

**Wise Owls - Isabelle Shaw**

**Fantastic Foxes - Leah Tinsley**

### Parent Pay

Please ensure your ParentPay account is kept up to date and all outstanding balances are cleared.




Any debts that exceed the £20 debt limit will result in the loss of use of the facilities.

Thank you

## County Lines Information

Please see below a letter to parents from Staffordshire Police with regards to County Lines.  
Further resources and information can be found on the school website.



Dear Parents/Carers

You may be aware of the term County Lines as it has been reported in the national press over recent years. It is used to describe the networks of gangs and organised criminals who export illegal drugs into other areas of the country, often smaller areas, using dedicated mobile phone lines known as 'deal lines.'

Dealers will take orders from drug users through mobile phones and exploit children and vulnerable people to move and store drugs and money. Often they do this using blackmail, intimidation and violence.

Children and vulnerable people can be groomed online or face-to-face by a stranger or someone they know. They can receive money, mobiles, credit, expensive clothing, jewellery, or other items/gifts in exchange for a specified task.

We want to reassure you that you are not receiving this letter because your school has a problem with County Lines activity but it's important you know the risks and what you can do to help. This letter forms just a small part of the partnership work which is ongoing to combat this criminal activity.

Staffordshire Police are working alongside our partners as part of a County Lines operation which has two aims – to arrest members of organised crime gangs who target young and vulnerable people, but also to identify young people who are at risk of criminality and to help divert them away from criminal exploitation.

The activity also involves educating children and highlighting the dangers and consequences of being involved in gang culture, violence or drugs.


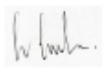
We are asking education establishments and parents to help identify young people who are at risk of criminality, so they can be given help. The enclosed leaflet contains information on the signs of County Lines activity and the help and advice available.

No one school in Staffordshire is more or less affected by these problems. We know that the overwhelming majority of young people will never be affected by this issue but a conversation with your child will help us collectively make a difference. It is critical that young people know that there is help available if they are involved in County Lines activity and that they can get support from home, school and agencies who work with young people.

You can find more information on the issue here:  
<https://www.staffordshire.police.uk/countylines>

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Best wishes,



Detective Chief Inspector Rob Taylor  
County Lines Lead, Staffordshire Police

Alan White  
Leader of Staffordshire County Council