

# Kingsfield News

Learn Together, Play Together, Succeed, Together



28th May 2021

## **Diary Dates For Parents**



#### 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







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Visit our Twitter page for more pictures of this week's events @KingsfieldSch Also follow us on Facebook @kingsfieldfirstschool

Dear Parents/Carers,

This week I have gathered the views of all pupils, staff, governors and parents by asking you to complete a survey. Many thanks for your responses so far and if you haven't yet had time to complete, there is still time as the survey closes on Wednesday 2nd June. I appreciate your feedback as this helps us recognise what we do well and identifies areas to further improve.

I hope you can all enjoy a lovely family fun half term and hopefully we may see some sunshine. School re-opens to children on Tuesday 8th June, where the staggered arrival and departure times still apply.

Best wishes, Mrs Butler & The Kingsfield Team.

#### Race For Life

The week commencing 21st June is Healthy Sports Week and during this week there will be a variety of activities taking place (information will follow soon).



A School Race for Life will be just one of the whole school events.

We are supporting this event to recognise all the wonderful care that Matthew Scarratt in Year 4 received during his recent Cancer Treatment. During lockdown Matthew battled his cancer and

was incredibly brave whilst receiving his treatment. We would like to say a HUGE school THANK YOU by supporting this amazing cause in helping Matthew and many others on their road to recovery.

Here is Matthew, showing his wonderful water colour painting that he completed during one of his hospital stays. An artist and an inspiration to us

You can support this event by making a donation to the just giving page. More information about this event will follow after half term.

https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/kingsfield-first-school



#### PTFA - We need Your Help

Due to Covid restrictions and being unable to host the many PTFA events over the last year, we would like to raise money to add a story telling chair to the outdoor reading area and if possible create an outdoor performing stage.

To support with this we would like to run a big raffle, but we need your help. If you could donate any special gifts, vouchers, treats, etc. that we could raffle as individual prizes or bundles we would be very grateful.

#### **Bikes and Scooters**

As the weather improves your child may wish to arrive and leave school on their scooter or bike. This is a great way to exercise and stay healthy but we still need to avoid gathering and mixing bubbles when parking.

To support in this we have 3 zones to leave your bikes/ scooters. Early Years zone is on the front yard rack as normal, Key Stage 1 children at the rear by the Nursery door and Key Stage 2 zone by the Wise Owls ramp.

If unsure please ask staff on arrival.



#### School Attendance

Clever Caterpillars 98.25% **Busy Bees 95.17%** 

Terrific Tigers 98.77% Charming Cheetahs 95.24%

Perfect Panthers 96.12% Learning Lions 93.06%

Super Squirrels 98.65% Fantastic Foxes 98.32% Wise Owls 95.58%

> The winners for this week are Terrific Tigers - Well done! This weeks Whole School Attendance is 96.65%

> > 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:-

Leah Tinsley, Charlie Yoxall, Ellouise Barkess, Lacey-Mae Johnson, Jack Mountford, Ryan Antrobus, Leah Tinsley

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#### Children's News

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

Bodhi Hayhurst passed his stage 3 swimming award Lily Wain passed her stage 1 swimming award

Charming Cheetahs and the Kingsfield team would like to wish Morgan and her family the best of luck with their move to Ireland!



#### Mrs Ashby to be

We would like to wish Miss Price to best of luck on her wedding day over the half-term!



## Good Luck, Farewell and Thank you

Today we wave our final goodbye to Mrs Blakeman as our lunchtime supervisor.

Thank you for all of your commitment to the school over the last 22 years.



#### **Forest Schools**

The reception children have loved their forest school sessions with Mr Fox.

After the half-term Little Ladybirds will start their sessions on Thursday afternoons.



#### **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

#### Theme of the week

Looking after our environment.

#### Lunch Menu

We are 'Week 1' of the lunch menu next week

#### KINGSFIELD AWARDS

#### Star of the week

Little Ladybirds - Aubree Ansell
Clever Caterpillars - Luca Lamkin
Busy Bees - Jack Mountford
Terrific Tigers - Kaiden Adey
Charming Cheetahs - Morgan Cliife
Perfect Panthers - Henry Cox
Learning Lions - Max Atherton
Super Squirrels - Harriet Stainthorp
Wise Owls - Lacey-Mae Johnson
Fantastic Foxes - Oli Lawton

#### Rainbow Reader

Little Ladybirds - Phoebe Copeland
Clever Caterpillars - Max Biddulph
Busy Bees - Sadie Sposton-Lally
Terrific Tigers - Henry Postlethwaite
Charming Cheetahs - Henry Boon
Perfect Panthers - Mailli Holley
Learning Lions - Joe Pedley
Super Squirrels - Libby Tinsley
Wise Owls - Elora Dawson
Fantastic Foxes - Evie Fairhall

#### **Phonics Superhero**

Little Ladybirds - Scarlett Green
Clever Caterpillars - Skylar Bibby
Busy Bees - Bodhi Russell
Terrific Tigers - Noah Tisor
Charming Cheetahs - Oliver
Hawthorne
Perfect Panthers - Bailey-Ray Holm

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### TT Rock Star

Super Squirrels - Majka Kulbida Wise Owls - Brooklyn Roden Fantastic Foxes - Harry Arthur

#### 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.

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# Leadership Notice Board

# Message from Miss Mohring Leader of Geography

This week's staff meeting was focussed on deepening the field work element of Geography.

We discussed creative ways of using our locality to drive geography skills linked to each topic.



# Message from Mrs Mullock Art Leader

Following a series of recent staff training sessions, I have monitored the quality of art sketch books this week. I have been especially impressed with the Key Stage 2 art skills, inspired by William Morris' work. The children explored using tone, colour and repetition of natural designs.



### Message from Miss Day History Leader

The year 3 & 4 children have had a fantastic day celebrating the end of our Victorian topic.

Thank you for all the fabulous outfits - see twitter for more.

#### Message from the

#### Pupil Attendance Officers

We met this week to check all classes were maintaining their class based daily register to be used in the event of a fire drill.

We are also going to re-introduce awarding the best attending class trophy.



## Message from Miss Falato Computing Leader

All children have been re-issued with new user names and passwords for Education City.

There is plenty to explore if you get a chance over the half term.

#### Message from Miss Mohring Geography Lead) Miss Day (Eco Warrior lead) & Mrs Gray (Science Lead)

On returning to school after the half term break and to mark World Environmental Day on 5th June, all children will be considering ways in which we can help towards looking after the beautiful world that we live in.

Some activities will revolve around an assembly, litter picking, planting flowers, creating a kitchen garden and much more.

Can you think of ways at home to help to look after the world that we live?

