

Kingsfield News

Learn Together, Play Together, Succeed, Together



23rd October 2020

Diary Dates For Parents

First day back

Monday 2nd November

Fantastic Foxes Forest School

Thursday 5th November

Flu Vaccine

Thursday 5th November

Children In Need

Friday 13th November

October Half-Term

26th October - 30th October

Christmas Break

21st December - 1st January

February Half-Term

15th February - 19th February

Easter Break

2nd April - 16th April





Visit our Twitter page for more pictures of this week's events @KingsfieldSch

We would like to say a big thankyou for all your support following our return to school in September. Although there have been some challenges we have continued to deliver a rich and varied curriculum with exciting activities and a wealth of excellent learning. Most of all we have happy, settled children.

We hope you all found the parent phone consultation calls useful I would really like to thank you in supporting the schools new Covid rules in order to help keep all families and staff as safe as possible.



Reminders on Covid rules

Please monitor your child for symptoms of:-

- A new continuous cough.
- A fever/high temperature above 37.8°c.
- A loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste.

If your child develops any of these symptoms, then you MUST:-

Remain at home for at least 10 days from the date when their symptoms appeared. Anyone with symptoms will be eligible for testing and this can be arranged via https://www.nhs.uk/ask- for-a-coronavirus-test or by calling 119.

-All other household members who remain well must stay at home and not leave the house for 14 days.

If your child does test positive for Covid, the school MUST be alerted immediately by emailing <u>covid@kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk</u> even if your notification of the results is out of school hours. We hope that this does not occur, but we need to prepare for this situation.

Behind the scenes all staff have been working very hard, to put systems into place for remote learning, in the event of a bubble isolating. Please set up your child's email if you haven't already done so as this will support home learning activities. You will also notice that in the home-school links books children have personal usernames and passwords to specific online learning platforms.

These can be accessed at anytime, they may be set as homework and will be used in the event of a lockdown.

One of the many procedures in place at school to keep us Covid safe is to have good school ventilation. Windows and doors are open and whilst the heating is one, I am aware that we are heading into the colder months. With this in mind, if your child would like to come to school with extra base layers, then please feel to do this.

Poppy Appeal

After half-term poppies and other items will be available for your child to purchase to support the Poppy Appeal.



Head Boy and Head Girl

We are very proud to announce our appointment of Head Boy and Head Girl.

Congratulations goes to Jacob and Scarlett in Year 4 who will have a variety of responsibilities to fulfil in this role.



Children's News

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

Liam Kewin passed his stage 3 swimming. Sonny Redfern has passed his stage 1 swimming.

A huge WELL DONE to the following children who were awarded a golden ticket this week and chose a prize from the golden chest in Mrs Butler's office:

Rory Lawton x2, Charlotte Martin, Iris Guest, Alana Farrenden, Lucie Lawton, Maisy Hancock, Indie Timms, Cody Potts, Scarlett Robinson, Alice Atherton

Flu Vaccination

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All information regarding the flu vaccinations on the 5th November has now been emailed out, you can also find it on the school website.

Your e-consent form needs to be completed by 3rd November.

Link to consent form: https://forms.mpft.nhs.uk/

Identification code: JBFK1S

Staffing Updates

Miss Falato will be returning from maternity leave following the October half-term and Mrs Bickerton will be moving to an alternate role in the school.

Mrs Diggins, one of our lunchtime supervisors is leaving today. We all wish her the very best in her new adventures.

Mrs Beeston is also leaving Kingsfield today, we are sorry to say goodbye, but we wish her all the best.

Lunch time menu

As we are moving into the colder months, after the half term sandwiches will no longer be an option on the lunch time menu.

The meals provided by Chartwells are of a very high standard with fresh ingredients and all being prepared on site.



Scarecrow Competition

Kool Kids have been working hard getting their scarecrow ready for this years Biddulph Scarecrow Festival!

The theme is 'Keyworkers', can you guess who our scarecrow is...





Our creation will be judged by Biddulph Youth and Community Zone on Monday 26th October and you will be able to vote for your favourite one on their Facebook page next week, so keep your eyes peeled.

KINGSFIELD AWARDS

Star of the week

Little Ladybirds - Lennon Lovatt
Clever Caterpillars - Skye Timmis
Busy Bees - Ryan Antrobus
Terrific Tigers - Matilda Knapper
Charming Cheetahs - Xander Wood
Perfect Panthers - Evie Cashmore
Learning Lions - Skyla Mycock
Wise Owls - Spencer Burns
Super Squirrels - Ellie-Paige Morris
Fantastic Foxes - Jacob Kidd

Rainbow Reader

Clever Caterpillars - Pippa Robinson
Busy Bees - Poppy Foster
Terrific Tigers - Alfie Stutcinskas
Charming Cheetahs - Dougie Ribbans
Perfect Panthers - Evelyn Mitchell
Learning Lions - Lillie-May Egerton
Wise Owls - Holly Robinson
Super Squirrels - Mason Beresford
Fantastic Foxes - Libby Tinsley

Phonics

Clever Caterpillars - Luca Lamkin
Busy Bees - Parker Worth
Terrific Tigers - Isaac Whalley
Charming Cheetahs - Polly-Anna
Bailey
Perfect Panthers - Jacob Ridgway

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TT Rock Star

Wise Owls - Levi Super Squirrels - Connor Jude Fantastic Foxes - Cody Potts



School Attendance



Clever Caterpillars 97.14% Busy Bees 97.92%
Terrific Tigers 96.90% Charming Cheetahs 90.18%

Perfect Panthers 94.69% Le Super Squirrels 97.19%

Learning Lions 97.35% Wise Owls 92.94%

Fantastic Foxes 98.18%

The winners for last week were Learning Lions - Well done! Last weeks Whole School Attendance was 95.77% Our whole school target is 96.6% The Biddulph community is doing everything they can to support families in need. Below is some really useful information to support with food poverty.

Biddulph Food Bank

Mondays- St. John's Church, Knypersley

Thursdays- Our Lady of Grace Church, Biddulph

Food parcels will cover a family for 7 days.

Please call Cllr Charlie Smith 07837 958097, Jackie Menzies 07855 550614 or

Central Foodbank: 01782 317942 for a voucher.

Biddulph Youth and Community Zone, Church Road

01782 244288- Ring for more information.

Wednesdays- fruit and veg boxes £3, must order.

Thursdays- Community Pantry

Friday- Free Food Friday- no referral needed just turn up to grab a bag.

The Green Tree House Community Food Club, High Street

Wednesdays and Saturdays 10-3, 10 items from the pantry only £3.50 per visit.

Cupboard staples and free hygiene/ personal products.



