

Friday, 06th
February, 2026

Kingsfield's



NEWSLETTER



A message from Mrs Hodson...

What a wonderful week it has been at Kingsfield! A huge thank you to all the Wise Owls parents and carers who joined us for their class assembly. The children were so proud to share their learning from this term, and it was lovely to see such fantastic support in the audience. Your encouragement means so much to them—and to us.

We would also like to send our heartfelt congratulations to our incredible Young Voices Choir, who truly sang their hearts out at The Co-op Arena in Manchester. Performing alongside 8,000 other children is an experience they will never forget, and they represented Kingsfield brilliantly. We are incredibly proud of every single one of them. A very special thank you goes to Mrs Gray, Mrs McAulay and Mr Bailey for their dedication, enthusiasm and hard work in preparing the choir over the past few months.

Today, the school has been buzzing with excitement as we celebrated Number Day! From puzzles to problem-solving and everything in between, it has been a fantastic celebration of all things Maths. Thank you to Mrs Ashby for organising such a fun and engaging day for everyone.

Next week we look forward to recognising two important events: Children's Mental Health Week and Safer Internet Day. We can't wait to share activities that help our children grow, reflect and stay safe in an ever-changing digital world. We hope you have a lovely weekend—Mrs Hodson, Ozzy, Elvis and Team Kingsfield xx

PS A quick reminder that Parents' Evening appointments are now live on Arbor and available to book. Each appointment is five minutes long and provides a brief snapshot of your child's friendships, behaviour, engagement, achievements, attainment, and next steps. If you have concerns or would benefit from a more in-depth conversation, please do use the weekly class drop-ins or arrange an additional meeting with your child's teacher. This helps us keep the Parents' Evening running smoothly for everyone, and we really appreciate your support and cooperation.

Next week..

Monday	
Tuesday	9.30am MHST Behaviour Workshop FF Swim-5 Stanley Head Full Balance Due (Y4)
Wednesday	4.30-6.30pm Parents Evening 9.15am or 1.30pm EYFS Parent Engagement
Thursday	TT Forest School-2 Parents Evening 3.30-5pm
Friday	2.30pm FF Class Assembly Last Day of Term

Please see our website for all dates for the term ahead.

Class Attendance

Brilliant Butterflies	96.67%
Charming Cheetahs	95%
Terrific Tigers	94.62%
Learning Lions	89.6%
Super Squirrels	95%
Fantastic Foxes	96.55%
Wise Owls	97.67%

This Week's
Winners is: Wise Owls

School Policies Update...

As part of our annual policy reflection cycle, we have had the below policies ratified by our School Governors. These policies are now live on our website and we would like to invite you to read through the changes that have been made—please contact the school office if you would like more information.

[Kingsfield-Learning-and-Teaching-Policy-2026-1.doc](#)

[Kingsfield-Art-Policy-updated-Jan-2026-1.docx](#)

[Kingsfield-DT-Policy-2026.docx](#)

[RE-Policy-2026.docx](#)

[Kingsfield-PE-Policy-2026-1.docx](#)

[Kingsfield-Science-Policy-2026-1.docx](#)

[Music-Policy-2026.docx](#)

[Kingsfield-Admissions-Policy-2027-28-2-1.doc](#)

[Kingsfield-CFLP-information-report-2026-1.doc](#)

[SEND-Policy-2026-3.docx](#)

Our whole school attendance target is 96%.

This week, our school attendance was: **94.8%**



Next week we are on week 3 of our lunch

Rewards and Celebrations



- Clever Caterpillars- Bonnie
- Brilliant Butterflies - Jasper
- Charming Cheetahs - Harlan
- Terrific Tigers - Erica
- Learning Lions - Courtney
- Super Squirrels - Effie
- Fantastic Foxes - Henry G
- Wise Owls - Chloe

- Clever Caterpillars- Ava
- Brilliant Butterflies - Shiloh
- Charming Cheetahs - Oakley
- Terrific Tigers - Rhyley
- Learning Lions - Jacob
- Super Squirrels - Imogen
- Fantastic Foxes - Olivia
- Wise Owls - Eddie

- Clever Caterpillars- Margot
- Brilliant Butterflies - Tommy J
- Charming Cheetahs - Blake
- Terrific Tigers - Ella
- Learning Lions - Oakleigh
- Super Squirrels - Oscar A
- Fantastic Foxes - Willow
- Wise Owls - Scarlett



Other Celebrations...

Well done to Leo who passed his stage 2 in swimming

Well done to Autumn who won a gymnastics competition

Well done to Pippa M who passed her ballet and tap exam

Please send an email to office.kng@cflptrust.co.uk if you would like to share any of your child's outside of school achievements.



House Points

Mars	243
Earth	385
Saturn	324
Jupiter	375

School Noticeboard...

WE ARE
RECRUITING
join our team



Maternity Cover KS2 Classteacher

We are seeking to appoint a creative and dynamic Key Stage 2 class teacher who will be able to make a significant contribution to our happy and forward thinking school.

This will be a maternity cover for the summer term starting on 13/04/2026.

Visits to the school are encouraged. Please make an appointment by contacting the school office on [01782 973800](tel:01782973800) or office.kng@cflptrust.co.uk

Please click on the following link to apply:

<https://mynewterm.com/jobs/146904/EDV-2026-KFS-38787>



Open Day Dates

January	February	March
	Wednesday 25 th Feb 9.45am	Monday 23 rd March 1pm
April	May	June
Wednesday 22 nd April 2.15pm	Wednesday 20 th May 9.45am	Monday 15 th June 4.30pm

Come and visit us!

For children and families interested in our Nursery and Reception places!

scan to have a sneak peak of our beautiful Early Years in action!



BEHAVIOUR WORKSHOP

kathryn Howden
Tuesday 10th February
9.30am start



EYFS PARENT ENGAGEMENT

Wednesday 11th February

AM session 9.15 – 10.15
PM session 1.30 – 2.30

Come and play

We are inviting our EYFS parents to come and join us for a parent engagement 'come and play' session! We will have lots of lovely activities for you and your child to play with!



Children First Learning Partnership
INSPIRING EXCELLENCE TOGETHER



Community Noticeboard...



THE TEAL TEAPOT

**A calm space for SEND mums
Need a breather?**

The Teal Teapot is a relaxed, friendly meet-up just for mums of children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)

It's a little pocket of peace where you can:

- ☕ Take time for yourself
- 💬 Chat with other mums who just get it
- 🤝 Feel understood, supported and never alone

There's no pressure, no judgement – just kindness, connection and community.

⚠️ Please note: These meet-ups are a mums-only space so that you can truly relax – no children attend.

NEXT MEET UP:

**BECCIS KITCHEN, 89 ST JOHN'S ROAD, ST8 6LL
TUESDAY 24TH FEB FROM 9:30AM**



Contact us: www.tealteapot.co.uk [tealteapot](https://www.facebook.com/tealteapot) A project of Our Altered Lives C.I.C




FABULOUS FEBRUARY

HOLIDAY CLUBS

FEBRUARY 16-20 2026

KINGSFIELD FIRST SCHOOL
Gunn Street, Biddulph, ST8 6AY

We are excited to welcome you to our action-packed holiday club during the February half term. Our program of sports, games and special events give every child an unforgettable experience living long in the memory. Children aged 4-12 can attend (4 year olds eligible for half day only).

**SCOOTER DISCO · GLOW DODGEBALL · LASER TAG · MULTI-SPORTS
CIRCUS SKILLS · CAPTURE THE FLAG · GLADIATOR & SUMO · INFLATABLES
SUPERHERO DAY · TALENT SHOW · MINI-MEDICS · DANCE & GYMNASTICS**

NEW EXTENDED FULL DAY!
WE'RE GIVING YOU AN EXTRA 30 MINUTES!

FULL DAY 08:30-15:30 £23.50

Half day and wrap-around options also available.

FRIDAY FOR FREE!
BOOK A FULL WEEK AND GET THE LAST DAY FOR NOTHING!

20% discount on sibling bookings!

For more information:
Call: 01782 366332 Website: asmsports.co.uk

World Book Day

Fancy Dress Costume Swap!

16th Feb - 5th March



Donate your old costumes from 7th Feb
Swap from 16th Feb - 5th March

BIDDULPH LIBRARY

GO ALL IN!

Healthy Relationships

Free support

Finding things difficult at home? You're not alone – and support is here.

Whether you parent together, apart, or co-parent, this space helps you strengthen communication, lower tension, and create a calmer, more connected family life.

Even when disagreements feel small, children can feel the impact. Small changes can make a big difference.

A referral is needed – please complete a Family Hub Referral Form to book.

Booking required through referral only. Please complete a 'Family Hub Referral Form' to book your space.



- 👉 Right help.
- 🕒 Right time.
- 📍 Right place.

Search Family Hubs Staffordshire to get the support you deserve



Click to complete a Family Hub Referral Form



Families' Health and Wellbeing

Midlands Partnership University
NHS Foundation Trust

School Nurse Community drop in



For parents/careers of 5-19's and young people not in education

2nd Friday of the month

1.15pm – 4.00pm

The School Nurse is here to help your child feel healthy, happy and safe during their school years and to get the best from their education. If you have any concerns about their health call in for a chat →

Staffordshire Moorlands Family Hub
Albert Street
Biddulph
Staffordshire
ST8 6DT
01782 297970

We provide a confidential and friendly service

www.mpft.nhs.uk/services/health-visiting-and-school-nursing



VACANCY

CLEANER BASED AT KINGSFIELD FIRST SCHOOL

About this Role

The Governing Body wish to appoint a cleaner to join our well-established team, primarily working at Kingsfield First School. We wish the successful candidate to start on 23rd February 2026 or as soon as possible.

Training for cleaning and COSHH will be provided. Applicants must be able to work alone and as part of a team 10 hours per week.

Term time (including 5 training days) plus 2000-down.
Knowledge - Requirement: Cleaners must have a good knowledge of cleaning routines and basic hygiene. Training can be given on the job to those with no previous experience.
Experience - Requirement: Previous experience including in a domestic setting is desirable.

Closing date 9am Monday 2nd February 2026

Contact Details
Mrs Cheryl Picken
01782 3273900
cpicken@jamesbateman.staffs.sch.uk





This week our spotlight
is on...



Children's Mental Health
Week is next week!
Our theme for the week is
'know yourself, grow yourself'



MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM

Mental Health Support Teams (MHSTs) in education provide crucial low-intensity support, offering early intervention and guided self-help sessions. Scan the QR code to learn more.



WE OFFER SUPPORT FOR:

- Anxiety
- Resilience
- Sleep
- Low Mood
- Behaviour (U11's)
- Phobia's
- Panic
- Problem Solving
- Exam Stress



EMAIL: MHSTENQUIRIES@COMBINED.NHS.UK

Talk through Feelings

It's okay to find things difficult or feel not-so-good feelings. It's great to tell someone you trust how you feel as this can help you feel better.

Be Kind to Others

It's lovely to do nice things for friends and family. Being kind to others as well as ourselves can help us all to grow and feel happy.

Challenge Yourself

Think about all the things you have felt good about in the past and use this to go outside your comfort zone and try new things.

Take Care of Yourself

You can eat healthy food, drink lots of water, think good thoughts, go to bed early and make time for having fun to help you feel great.

Think Positive

Think great things about yourself and the world around you. There are often good bits of a not-so-great day so focus on the positives.

Celebrate Yourself

There is no one else quite like you so think of what your strengths are and how they make you special. Remember how awesome you are!

Growth Mindset

Remember tricky times can be a chance for you to grow and find out more about yourself. You can see setbacks as a way for you to learn new skills.

Enjoy the Moment

Take time to be mindful and notice the moment instead of thinking too much about the future. Really enjoying the here and now is great for a healthy mind.

Some top tips to
promote at
home...

