

# Kingsleigh Newsletter



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Well, here we are at the end of a hectic and exciting half-term. So much has happened and the children have made so much progress that we will now need to draw breath.

## Open day

We had a very successful open day with around 35 visitors looking at our amazing school. They were all very impressed with our pupils and the quality of work and displays. We are all very proud of our school, and we hope you are too! A sincere thank you to our House Captains who were brilliant guides and hosts.

## Year 1

### Secret Life of Pets Day

Year 1 pupils had a lovely morning with a variety of pets brought in by parents. Thank you for bringing in your pets and allowing 120 children to stroke and pet them.

### Harvest Assemblies

These will be held on Friday 20th October, with Years 2, 4 and 6 starting at 9.10 and Years 1, 3 and 5 starting at 2.30pm. Please feel free to come along and we are asking every child to bring tins, packets and toiletries for The Kinson Foodbank.

## Half-term

We break up for half-term at 3.15pm on Friday 20th October, and pupils (and staff) return on Monday 30th October. There is no INSET day.

## Halloween Disco

### Wednesday 1st November

Pre-school to year 2 will be 3.30-4.45pm (an adult is

required to attend with a purchase of a ticket).

Year 3 –6 is from 5-6.15pm. Tickets cost £2 per child and £1 per adult. Letters have been sent home to pre-order your tickets.

## Individual Photos

Pupil photos will be taken on Wednesday 1st and Thursday 2nd November. You may want to bring a brush or comb in that day!

Please call the office if you are interested in having family photographs on Saturday 4th November.

## Life Education Van

This will be in school from Wednesday 1st until Wednesday 8th November. Parent session is on Tuesday 7th November from 3.00pm, if you want to find out more and perhaps meet Harold the Giraffe. If you haven't already done so, please can you make a payment at the office.

## Year 5 Assembly

This will be on Friday 3rd November starting at 9.10am. Doors open at 9.00am. All parents/carers of year 5 pupils welcome.

## Youtube

We do have our own youtube channel that contains videos about our school and often films from assemblies. We have just added films from Year 3's and Year 4's assemblies. Do have a look!

Just search for Kingsleigh Primary (we are the only one spelt like this).

## Cinema Visits

We are very lucky to have been granted free tickets for Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 to visit the cinema after half term. Years 3 and 4 will see "Cars 3" and years 5 and 6 will see "Beauty and the Beast".

If you haven't already done so, please return your child's form with payment attached. Thank you!

## Pre-school

We are hoping that on the morning of Friday 6th November the Fire Brigade will be visiting Pre-School (if they don't get called out!). If you wish to, you can make a small donation to the Fire Brigade charity as a thank you. Please hand any donations to the Pre-School Team. Thank you!

**Dates For The Diary**

- Open day - Tuesday 17th October-9.30-11.30 & 1.30-3.00pm
- Autism Coffee Morning - Thursday 19th October-9.00am
- Harvest Assembly - Friday 20th October-Yr 2,4 & 6 at 9.10am & Yr 1,3 & 5 at 2.30pm
- Halloween Disco - Wednesday 1st November 3.00-4.45pm Key stage 1 and 5.00-6.45pm Key stage 2
- Individual Photos - Wednesday 1st November & Thursday 2nd November
- School nurse drop-in - Tuesday 7th November-9.00am
- Children in Need - Friday 17th November
- Christmas Fayre - Friday 1st December-3.00-5.00pm

**Term Dates 2017-2018**

**Autumn Term 2017**

Monday 4th September to Friday 15th December 2017  
Half term: Monday 23rd October to Friday 27th October 2017

**Staff Inset Days:**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September

**Spring Term 2018**

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January to Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018  
Half Term: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2018

**Staff Inset Days:**

Tuesday 2nd January 2018  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018 (Trust INSET day)

**Summer Term 2018**

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018  
Half Term: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 1st June 2018

**Staff Inset Days:**

Monday 16th April 2018  
Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018

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**Starts 2nd November 2017**

**10.00 –13.00pm every Thursday on the following dates:**

**2nd November  
9th November  
16th November  
23rd November  
30th November**

**Coach James will be running a sports holiday club on the following dates:**

October Half-term 2017  
Mon 23rd - Thurs 26th Oct  
**4 day course**

Xmas Holidays 2017  
Tues 19th - Thurs 21st Dec  
**3 day course**

**Multi-Sport & Football Courses**

For Ages 5-11 (YrR-6)  
Times: 08:45 - 15:15  
Prices: £15 per child and £12.50 per sibling  
Contact Coach James for bookings;  
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Or  
07875235080