

Kingsleigh Newsletter



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Welcome back to the new half term, and to some sunshine at last! The term will be very busy with exciting events happening every week (see below).

Kingsleigh Has Got Talent

We will be holding auditions on Friday 1st March for our talent contest being held on Friday 15th March in aid of Comic Relief. More details of the event will follow.

Headteacher Interviews

These are being held on Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th March. There were a large number of applicants that have been whittled down to four strong candidates.

The applicants will be given a number of tasks (a bit like the Crystal Maze) on Monday and the interviews themselves will be held on Tuesday.

Lockdown Practice

We will be holding a lockdown practice in the next few days; this is our response to possible threats on our school where we have to stay indoors.

You may wish to speak to your children before and/or after the event.

Story At Bedtime

To celebrate World Book Day we will be holding a Story at Bedtime event on Wednesday 6th March from 5-6pm and children are invited to come to school dressed as a Book Character on Thursday 7th March.

Pupils can come back to school at 5pm on 6th March

and can choose two stories to hear and then meet in the big hall for a final story by Mr Gower (and a drink and biscuit). Look out for a letter which will be sent out soon.

We will be having a grand parade of Book Characters on Thursday so look out for photos on our website!

Parents Evening

This will be on Wednesday 13th March from 1.30-6.00pm. You should have received a booking letter already. We will be trialling a different system of note taking during the meetings. Do let us know what you think of it!

During parents evening, University students will be asking for your thoughts on life in Junior School when you were young. Please spare them a minute to give them a quote!

Scholastic Books

You should have received our Scholastic book club leaflet. You can either pay cash to the office or go to <http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/kingsleigh-primary> to browse the latest books and order online. For **every £1 you spend** on this month's Book Club, **our school will earn 25p** in Scholastic Rewards.

Please place your **order online by March 21st, 2019.**

Internet Warning!

We have received a warning that various children's games have been hacked including Fortnite, Peppa Pig etc. Please check what your children are playing.

Congratulations

The following pupils have received these awards:

POT of GOLD

Riley Harry
Zaem Layton Peyton Sean
Harvey Milo Thomas

Pot of Gold 2

Max Cody
Scarlett Lottie
Eva Lexi
Theo
Annabelle

Pot Of Gold 3

Kara Faris

Rising Star Awards

Harry Callum
Jessica Maliha
Thomas-Riley
Jayden Sarah
Marcel
Sebi Lily
Callum
Tyler
Alfie
Taulant Jack
Kacie
Stephanie
Phillip
Tanisha
Poppy
Caden

Superstar Award

Amelia
Eloisa
Bailee-Jo
Ellie

Dates for Diary

- Wednesday 6th March - **World Book Day - Story at Bedtime**
- Thursday 7th March - **World Book Day - Dress up day**
- Friday 8th March - **Usborne Books in school—2.30pm**
- Monday 11th March - **Book Fair (after school)**
- Wednesday 13th March - **Parents Evening 1.30-6.30pm**
- Friday 15th March - **Comic Relief**
- Friday 22nd March - **50th anniversary Assembly (Year 4)**
- Friday 29th March - **Year 6 Residential**
- Monday 1st April - **Year 6 Return from Residential**
- Friday 5th April - **Year 5 Assembly**
- Friday 5th April - **End of Term (3.15pm)**

Term Dates 2018—2019

- Spring Term 2019** Monday 7th January to Friday 5th April 2019
- Easter Holidays:** Monday 8th April to Monday 22nd April 2019
- Summer Term 2019** Tuesday 23rd April to Friday 19th July 2019
- Half Term:** Monday 27th to Friday 31st May 2019
- Staff Inset Days:** Tuesday 23rd April 2019 Monday 3rd June 2019
- Summer Holidays:** Monday 22nd July to Friday 30th August 2019

Term Dates 2019—2020

- Autumn Term 2019** Monday 2nd September to Friday 20th December 2019
- Half term:** Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November 2019
- Staff Inset Days:** Monday 2nd September Tuesday 3rd September
- Christmas Holiday:** Monday 23rd December to Friday 3rd January 2020

Attendance

Year Group	Week beginning 11 th February
Reception	94.41%
Year 1	95.03%
Year 2	94.0%
Year 3	94.85%
Year 4	95.81%
Year 5	93.94%
Year 6	95.11% Up from last week!
Whole School Average since September	95.15%

Green = at or above national average
Orange = below national average

- 1st place – Congratulations to Mrs Cutler’s class with 100%!
- 2nd place – Miss Tarrant’s class with 99.23%
- 3rd place – Miss Pain’s class with 98.98%

Autism Coffee Morning

Our next coffee morning will be on Thursday 28th March 2019 at 9.00 with a 9.15 start.

Future dates:

- 2nd May
- 13th June
- 11th July

Please contact the school office on 01202 528893 to book your place or speak to Glynis and Alex at the school.

Citizens Advice

The Citizens Advice are here to help, our next drop-in session will be on Thursday 21st March 2019 from 9.00am onwards.

Future dates:

- Thursday 16th May
- Thursday 20th June

Book Fair

We will be holding a Book People Book Fair during week **commencing 11th March**. It will be open after school each day.

Usborne Books

To celebrate World Book Day 2019 we will have Usborne books in school on **Friday 8th March from 2.30pm** outside of our library.