

3rd March 2023

Diary Dates For Parents

Coming Soon.....

Year 4 - Standon Bowers 6th March—8th March

Parents Evening 13th & 14th March

Year 2 Forest School Parent **Engagement** 16 March Lli +PP

EYFS Easter Bonnet Parade 29th March

Easter Break 3rd - 14th April

Closed for Voting - 4th May

Closed for the Kings Coronation-Monday 8th May

May Half-Term 29th May - 2nd June

Inset Day Monday 5th June

Last Day of School Friday 21st July

For dates over the year please visit the website

https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk /calendar/

Kingsfield News

Learn Together, Play Together, Succeed, Together





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







WORLD BOOK DAY

Wow! What a wonderful day we had yesterday celebrating reading, stories and characters! The children were amazing and completed some fantastic work linked to a text such as Whatever Next, Matilda and Elmer. Thank you to Michelle from Biddulph Library who completed a lovely assembly at the end of the day 🙂







******** A huge WELL DONE to the following children who were awarded a ★★★★★★ golden ticket this week and chose a prize from the golden chest:-Layla Gartside, Cameron Raffety , Jaxon Keay, Bodhi Russell, Ryan

Antrobus

Out of School Achievements

A HUGE congratulations goes to:



Luca for passing his Stanley 7 Swimming course during half-term!.



During the half -term Anneliese was chosen to star in a music video. The music video was shot at a local first school as Lee Brown the sole artist from "LuvLee" was a local pupil.

The song "Obsessed" is due out in March.

PARENTS EVENING

Parents Evening's will take place WC Monday 13th March, booking is now live on Arbor. To book your Childs appointment please log on and select you preferred time slot. The booking system will close on Friday 10th March at 4:00pm.

School Attendance last week was 96 %

Class attendance was:-

Busy Bees – 100% Clever Caterpillars — 98.4%

Terrific Tigers— 90.4% Charming Cheetahs — 96.3 %

Learning Lions— 98.4% Perfect Panthers— 99 %

Wise Owls— 96% Super Squirrels— 95% Fantastic Foxes— 94.1%

Congratulations goes to:- Busy Bees School target is 97.5



WEEK 1

This can be found on the website at:-

Next week's menu is:-

https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/lu nch-menu/

House Points Jupiter - 329 - 317 Saturn - 271

This weeks winners are: Jupiter

Star of the Week

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Busy Bees - Llewy Gartside Clever Caterpillars - Jorgia Stratford Charming Cheetahs - Henry Hawthorne Terrific Tigers– Bella Dorsett Perfect Panthers - Amelia Sutton Learning Lions - Dre Zake Wise Owls - Bella Armett Super Squirrels - Niamh Roberts Fantastic Foxes- Abigail Lovatt

Awesome Award

Busy Bees - Eric Nguyen Clever Caterpillars - George Mason Charming Cheetahs - Amya Cameron Terrific Tigers - Bertie Cannon Perfect Panthers - Layla Gartside Learning Lions - Max Biddulph Wise Owls - Leighton Moss Super Squirrels - Freddie Leadbeater Fantastic Foxes- Cameron Rafferty

Thoughtful Friend

Busy Bees - Chloe Bennett Clever Caterpillars - Rebecca Wood Charming Cheetahs - Victor Amegadzie **Terrific Tigers - George Deakin** Perfect Panthers - Iris Guest Learning Lions - Keisha Davenport Wise Owls - Lillie-Mae Swift Super Squirrels - Carly Bradshaw Fantastic Foxes- Ashanti Bryan

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SCHOOL MEALS

We have been informed by Chartwells that, due to increasing staffing and food costs, they will be increasing the cost of a school meals to £2.83 from Easter 2023. This is non negotiable. The Children First Learning Partnership is acutely aware of the current financial pressures already on our families and therefore it has been decided that to support this, the Trust itself will cover some of this price increase whilst a better deal is found via another provider.

This will mean that parents of pupils in any of our 5 schools in Nursery, Years 3 and above who pay for their school meals, will from the **17th April pay £2.65** per meal (£13.25 per week) and the Children First Learning Partnership will pay the remaining 18p per meal. This will be up until we break for the summer holidays.

Meanwhile, we actively encourage you to contact us if you require any support. We have a variety of agencies and methods through which we can provide this and can do so confidentially if required.

If your circumstances have changed and you believe your child may now qualify for free school meals please click the link below to find out more.

https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Education/Educational-awards-benefits/FreeSchoolMeals/ Q001.aspx

Term Dates

Term dates are now available to view on our website:

https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/calendar/

Head Lice

Please can I remind you all to regularly check your child for Head Lice and to treat if needed.

Cleaning Supervisor Advert

James Bateman currently have a cleaning supervisor vacancy.

Permanent position, 12.5 hours per week. Term-time, including 5 training days, plus stand-down.

Salary Grade 3—£6,388

Training for cleaning and COSH will be provided, applicants must be able to work alone and as part of a team.

For more information please call James Bateman on 01782 973900

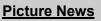
Library Update

Following reorganisation of our school library and new carpets we will be opening up the library for the children to choose their books again from next week! A huge thank you to parents Mr & Mrs Wooton & Mrs Brundrett (Lunch Time Supervisor) who have spent many hours helping to organise, label and sort the books - it has been quite a job!

Year 2 SATS Workshop

On Tuesday 7th March, Year 2 staff will be holding KS1 SATS workshops for parents. The staff will share examples of SATS papers, a break down of the moderation process and will be available to answer any questions you may have. The workshops will be at 2pm and then again at 5pm.

We look forward to seeing you there.





This week's discussion was really interesting and led to quite a lot of interesting discussion and debate. A cashless society and using digital currency.

Local Area Parking

Please could we politely remind everyone about parking around the local area.

We recognise that it is difficult at times to park at the beginning and end of the school day however, please can we ask you are considerate to our neighbours and avoid blocking driveways.



Lunchtime Supervisor Advert

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 on 01782 973800 for an application pack. The position is term time only for 1 hour per day with an hourly rate of £9.43. (Grade 2 Scale point 2)

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people / vulnerable adults and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This position is subject to a criminal records check from the Disclosure and Barring Service (formerly CRB) which will require you to disclose details of all unspent and unfiltered spent reprimands, formal warnings, cautions and convictions in your application form.

Our safeguarding policy is available on the website, be clicking -<u>https://</u> <u>www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/</u> <u>policies-2/</u>