

Friday, 5th July, 2024

Kingsfield's



NEWSLETTER



A message from Mrs Hodson...

Thank you so much to everyone that attended our Summer Fair last week, we raised a over £700 for our school, which is absolutely fantastic! A huge thank you to our PTFA for all their hard work organising the fair and for all their support at events this year, they have met today to start planning more events for next year-exciting!

Our final football match of the year was played against Oxhey this week, it was another fantastic game and Miss Mohring and Mr Bailey are incredibly proud of both teams. We are looking forward to more games next year.

This week we have enjoyed our first ever Careers Week at Kingsfield. We have had a great week, where the children have had the opportunity to hear about a variety of careers, including hairdressing, flood risk assessor, police officer and scientist! We would like to say a huge thank you to all of our visitors for inspiring our children and promoting the motto 'if you can see it, you can be it!'

We hope you all have a lovely weekend, from Mrs Hodson, Ozzy, Elvis and all at Team Kingsfield.

This Week's
Winners is:
Super Squirrels



Class	Attendance
Brilliant Butterflies	91%
Charming Cheetahs	96%
Perfect Panthers	95%
Learning Lions	95%
Super Squirrels	97%
Fantastic Foxes	96%
Wise Owls	96%

School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

Our whole school
attendance target is 96%.
This week, our school
attendance was: **95%**



Next
week we are
on week 3
of our lunch
menu

Next Week...

Monday	Nursery Graduation 9.15am
Tuesday	Y4 Leavers Concert 6pm
Wednesday	9am Toddler Play & Stay Welcome To Meetings (see below)
Thursday	1.15pm Nursery Forest School Parent Engagement
Friday	Pm Nursery Forest School 2.30pm PP Class Assembly

Saturday, 6th Biddulph Parade
10.30am meeting at the library-we
would love lots of support from Team
Kingsfield!

Please see our website for dates and
times of events until the end of term.

Welcome To Meetings

2.30pm Welcome To Reception (current Nursery children) Miss Stubbs and Miss Teed, our new Reception Teachers will be at this meeting alongside Mrs Cheetham. This meeting will be in the hall.

3.15pm Welcome To KS1 (current Reception & Year 1 children) in the Perfect Panthers & then own classrooms.

4pm Welcome To KS2 (current Year 2 & Year 3 children) in the Super Squirrels & then own classrooms.

A wealth of information will be shared at these meetings to help you and your child prepare for September. They are a great chance to meet our staff, see the classrooms and ask any questions.

As we are fast approaching the end of term, please check your Parent Pay accounts regularly to ensure all outstanding balances are cleared for the end of term.

Thank you.



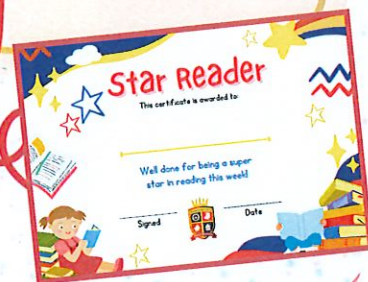
Rewards and Celebrations



Clever Caterpillars - Elina
Brilliant Butterflies - Theo
Charming Cheetahs - Buddy
Perfect Panthers - Jackson
Learning Lions - Harper
Super Squirrels - Fearne
Fantastic Foxes - Jaxx-Luca
Wise Owls - Harley

Clever Caterpillars - Poppy
Brilliant Butterflies - Ellis
Charming Cheetahs - Beau
Perfect Panthers - Dylan
Learning Lions - Oscar A
Super Squirrels - Matilda
Fantastic Foxes - Sid
Wise Owls - Lillie

Clever Caterpillars - Isabella
Brilliant Butterflies - Josh T
Charming Cheetahs - Natasha
Perfect Panthers - Elsie
Learning Lions - Oscar D
Super Squirrels - Bodhi
Fantastic Foxes - Libbie
Wise Owls - Dougie



Other Celebrations....

A big well done to Tabitha who has gained her 100m swimming badge & run 50 junior park runs achieving her ultramarathon wristband for covering a distance altogether of 100km

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	340
Earth	185
Saturn	220
Jupiter	270



Our spotlight this week...



Last week, we sent a letter via Arbor that was received by all schools recently from Staffordshire County Council. The letter detailed changes in the law regarding issuing penalty notices for leave in term time. These changes will take effect from the start of September; therefore, we ask you to take note of the new guidelines prior to booking holidays for the coming academic year. A copy of the letter can be found on our website:

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ATTENDANCE

WHAT THE NEW RULES MEAN FOR ME

1

I'm a single parent of one child and we want to go on holiday for a week.

Your holiday will not be authorised and you must talk to the school before you book anything.
Because your child will miss 5 school days you will be given a penalty notice fine.
The fine is £160 but if you pay it in 21 days it will be reduced to £80.

£160



2

FOR EVERY CHILD A PENALTY IS GIVEN.



+ £160



+ £160



+ £160



+ £160

4 children & 1 parent = £640

Reduced to £320 if paid in 21 days

IRREGULAR ATTENDANCE

10 IN 10

5

If your child is absent for 10 or more sessions in 10 weeks and their absences are unauthorised. The school will consider prosecution.

1

Day = 2 Sessions

2

Sessions

3

FOR A FAMILY OF TWO PARENTS



+ £160

+ £160

+ £160

+ £160



**4 children & 2 parents =
£1280**

Reduced to £640 if paid in 21 days

If in any period of not more than 3 years, your child has a 2nd and 3rd leave of absence or pattern of irregular attendance...

4

2ND TIME

2 parents and

1 child = £320

2 children = 640

3 children = 960

4 children = 1280

No discount for early payment



3RD TIME

A penalty notice fine will not be given. Instead, your case will be taken to court.

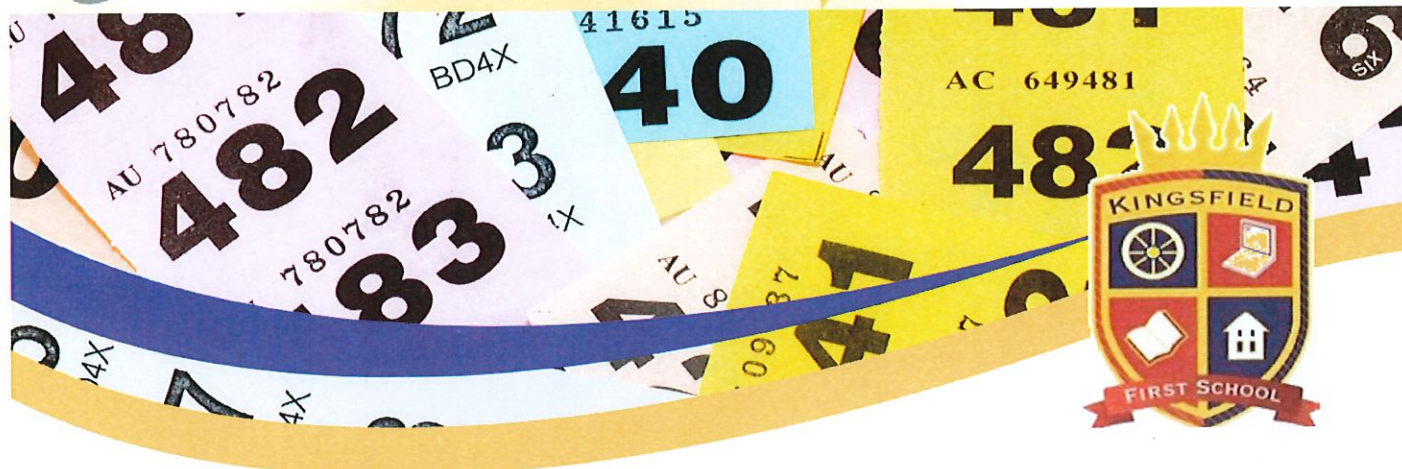
A magistrate can fine each parent £2500 for each child

1 parent & 4 children = £10,000

2 parents & 4 children = £20,000



Our spotlight this week...



KINGSFIELD RAFFLE

Want a chance to win great prizes?
This year we have got some amazing
prizes thanks to the wonderful
members of our PTFA!

£2 a strip!

We will be running this raffle over the next few weeks at
the various events we have planned, such as sports day,
summer fayre, year 4 leavers assembly etc.

will be drawn
in the last
week of term!



£20 Jelly Bean clothing voucher
£10 home trends gift voucher
£20 stoke ski centre gift voucher
£10 foxtail forest gift voucher
£32 pizza deal voucher

Free haircut with Patch at Scott's Barbers

£10 Hideway cafe gift voucher

Set meal M1 and delivery from Biddulph Chinese

1 family swim pass at Biddulph Leisure Centre

3 month gym membership at Biddulph Leisure Centre

£20 Roaring Meg gift voucher

Tickets for the Monkey Forest

Photograph experience with Photo Stoke & 6x8 print



• PRIZES •



THANK YOU to all of the businesses that have supported this raffle!