

Kingsleigh Newsletter



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School Drop-in

We are holding an informal Drop-in on Wednesday 12th October from 3.15-4.00pm. This is a chance for you to come in and have a look at your child's work, meet their teacher and have a look at the classroom. You can visit more than one class if you have more than one child. In the main hall we will have our rainbow portrait montage for you to look at before it goes up on the wall. See if you can spot your child's self portrait!

Pre-School Parent Drop-in

This is also on 12th October. Parents who collect their child at the end of the day will be able to drop-in at 3.10 and parents who collect at 11.30, the gates will be open for you at 11.15 so that you can come in and spend some time with your child and meet the teachers.

Life on Mars Talk

We have a special guest (Professor Mark Sims) coming to talk to year 5&6 about exploring the surface of Mars on Monday 10th October. This will be part of year 5's Space topic later in the year.

Year 5 Class Assembly

This will be held at 9.10am on Friday 6th October in the Main Hall. All year 5 parents, carers, relatives are welcome.

Cross Country Results

All the competitors did extremely well and coped with the long distance and

the hill at the end! A special mention goes out to Mollie Walkinshaw who was ranked 2nd in the girls; well done to the year 5's too. We will have another race in November.

Holiday Club

Coach James and his team will be running 3 day Multi-Sport & Football courses during October Half-term & The Xmas Holidays.

October Half-term
Mon 24th - Weds 26th Oct
08:45-15:15
Year R - 6

Xmas Holidays
Mon 19th - Weds 21st Dec
08:45-15:15
Year R - 6

£15 per day
£12.50 per child, per day for siblings

Contact Coach James for booking info;
coachjames23@hotmail.com

Hot Meals

We are sending out the order form for the Hot Meals menu for the next half term. Please order via Wisepay where you will see all the menu choices. It is the same menu as this half term with the exception of the festive menu on Thursday 8th December. Please make sure you order by Monday 17th October to ensure your child receives a meal. Thank you.

Harvest Assemblies

We will be holding two harvest assemblies on Friday 21st October. Years 2,4 and 6 will start at 9.10am and years 1,3 and 5 will start at 2.30pm. We ask that all pupils bring one or two items for the food bank. The theme will be around "Being Thoughtful".

Life Education Bus

This will be in school straight after half term and every class will have a chance to visit. More details to follow.

Sickness

Can we remind all parents that if your child has a sickness bug, they can't return to school for **48hrs** after the last bout of sickness.

Staff Vacancy

We are looking for someone to work full time to support the school office as well as supporting a child with physical difficulties. This would be to start after the October half term. Call in at the office for more information and an application pack.

Closing date: 14.10.16

Dates for your diary:

- Wednesday 12th October: Parent Drop-in. 3.15-4.00pm
- Friday 21st October: Break up for half term
- Tuesday 1st November: Life Education Bus in school all week
- Wednesday 2nd & Thursday 3rd November: Individual school photos
- Wednesday 16th November: Parents evening 1.30-6.00pm
- Friday 16th December: Break up for Christmas

Term Dates 2016/2017

- Autumn:** Monday 5th September – Friday 16th December
- Half term: Monday 24th October – Friday 28th October
- Christmas Holiday: Monday 19th December – Wednesday 4th January

Inset days: Friday 2nd September and Monday 31st October

- Spring :** Wednesday 4th January – Friday 7th April 2017
- Half Term: Monday 13th February – Friday 17th February
- Easter Holiday: Monday 10th April – Friday 21st April

Inset days: Tuesday 3rd January and Monday 20th February

- Summer:** Monday 24th April – Friday 21st July
- Half Term: Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June
- Summer Holiday: Monday 24th July – Tuesday 5th September

Guitar Workshops

We are hoping to organise guitar workshops on Friday afternoons during school-time after October half-term for children in Years 3, 5 and 6. Year 4 will not be able to take part as it clashes with their swimming lessons. We are hoping to organise something separately for them after the February half term. These will be offered free of charge.

If enough children are interested after those workshops, we would like to offer guitar lessons for a charge of approx. £4.50 per lesson. These will start after Christmas. If you are interested in paying for your child to receive guitar lessons then please fill out the form below.

I am interested in the possibility of my child
in Class

to have guitar lessons starting Jan 2017 at a cost of £4.50 per lesson.

Signed (Parent/Carer)