



School Newsletter

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Christian Value: Justice

Learning Behaviour: Initiative Worship Theme: Celebrating justice



We returned from half term to find the heating engineers had dug a large hole in the floor of the hall to continue to investigate our intermittent heating problems. After two weeks of very hard work they have been able to resolve the issue and we will soon have our beautiful hall restored to its former glory.

We have also been lucky enough to receive a remarkable donation from Luke Rimmer for our Foundation Stage role play area.

Staff were very excited at the idea of an imminent opening of an Ice cream parlour and are very much looking forward to seeing the children scanning their shopping with realistic beeps and paying via chip and pin! We think we might have to wait for contactless payments though! Huge thanks Luke.

I was very proud of the school this week as we hosted a group of head teachers from our academy trust who came in to evaluate how our school is achieving across all areas of the OFSTED schedule. It was a real delight to hear so many positive comments about the children's exemplary behaviour, exceptional attitudes to learning and the strength and dedication of our teaching team. Times like this remind us all of why we came into our profession and why we are so lucky to work at our school.

It's been a great start to the half term.



This week has been the chance for some of our talented dancers to Let their Light Shine. Children from Y₃ and Y₄ performed the at Big Dance event at The Cube Theatre in Corby.

We were very proud of all of the children because they really shone! Their behaviour was super and they worked excellently as a team to put on a great show. It was amazing to see such confident children perform on a stage.



Huge thanks to Miss Hancock and Mrs Kemp for giving up their time so willingly too.



To the parents and carers who attended our first "wellbeing" drop in club this week. Just a reminder for those who would like to attend in the future that Mrs Lakin and Mrs Rowland will be available on Tuesdays from 2 -3pm in the Tiger Club.

Weekly Reminders

Going forward, we will now be using the 'Forms' area of ParentMail, to move into a paperless world and make life more streamlined for you with regards to your child's school admin. If you haven't downloaded the ParentMail App yet, please visit









Children are awarded House Points for effort, achievement and kindness to others. This week's points totals are

> Welton = 233 Morrison = 457 Wilfrid = 277 Ireland = 398



At KPS we believe that good manners are essential and the teaching of these is at the centre of our curriculum. This week

4W, 1H and **FSC** have been recognised as having the best manners in school.



We also encourage good table manners and eating. This week's dining superstars are:

YEAR 5



Every day your child spends in school really matters. This week's attendance superstars are:

5S with 99.64%

Year 1 - Intergenerational Learning

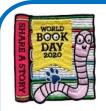
Year 1 had a great ending to the topic of Superheroes on Friday 14th February. We sent an invitation to The Well in Kibworth which is a community outreach centre. We were very fortunate to have some people from our older generation visit us to share their memories of toys from the past. The afternoon began by the children sharing the posters they had made in the morning. The children worked in teams to create their history posters showcasing what they had learnt about toys from the past to the present. The adults then showed the children different toys from when they were children. One lady brought in a photograph of when she was at school and one gentleman brought in his snakes and ladders board game, which was very interesting to see how toys have changed. One gentleman still had his teddy from when he was a little boy which was over 70 years old! We finished our afternoon off by enjoying an afternoon tea with our visitors. The children had decorated their own biscuits to enjoy and some children baked shortbread biscuits as gifts to give to our visitors with Mr Campton and Mrs Lopez. It was amazing to see two different generations come together to share learning and enjoy each other's company. What a way to end our successful superhero topic and we look forward to welcoming visitors from The Well in the near future.

Diary Dates

03.03.2020 - Year 6 SATs Information Evening (7pm) 04.03.2020 - 1H Ernest Cook visit 05.03.2020 - World Book Day 06.03.2020 - Year 1 Family Worship (9.15am) 11.03.2020 - 1W Ernest Cook visit 18.03.2020 - 3B Ernest Cook visit 25.03.2020 - 3S Ernest Cook visit 31.03.2020 - Year 3 & 4 Production (1.45pm & 6.30pm) 01.04.2020 - Year 3 & 4 Production (6.30pm)



Year 5 Aaron & Owen Year 4 Noah, Luca & Micah Year 2 Max Year 1 Harry & Filip EYFS Martha & Hugo



On Thursday 5th March we would like to invite children to come to school dressed either as their favourite book character or to wear

their pyjamas ready to snuggle up with a good book. Every child will receive a £1 World Book Day Book Token that can be exchanged for one of TWELVE special £1 World Book Day books.

You can find out more about the books at <u>www.worldbookday.com/books</u>I

f you would like to, children can donate £1 which will be donated to ASHA to provide books for children in India. The children at KPS will choose which books to buy. We would also like to invite children to bring to school their favourite book to share with their class.



Following our victory at the Blaby & Harborough district basketball tournament a few weeks ago, the children progressed to the next round which took place on Tuesday competing against the other area winners in South Leices-



tershire.

As expected, standards were very high, and the children played some fantastic basketball. Our children showed great skills and teamwork and were

fantastic ambassadors for the school. They won all of their games to become champions of South Leicestershire.

Well done we are all really proud of you.

On the 14th February our year 5/6 footballers played two matches for their division 1 league. We started our first game with a great determination, showed impressive teamwork and cooperation. We finished our first game 10 - 0!

Our second and final game saw us take on the only other school with an impressive winning streak. It was the most eventful game of the division! Chances at both ends with great defending on show from both teams but it was the opposition that took the lead. Kibworth showed amazing resilience to get themselves back into the game and it finished 1 - 1.

We are very proud of our talented footballers and are looking forward to the next fixture.