



## **School Newsletter**

## 8th November 2019

Issue: 8

Christian Value: Love Learning Behaviour: Worship Theme: What is Love?



Thank you for all the kind comments and emails I have received following the letter sent to you all by Rob Woolston, our Chair of the Advisory Board. I am so proud of all our children and staff.

Rob has also sent a letter today asking you to consider putting yourself forward as a candidate for a parent vacancy we have on our Advisory Board. Rachel Langley has been a brilliant board member, the school has benefitted hugely from her excellent knowledge of SEN, safeguarding and children's emotional security. Thank you Rachel! The board is very friendly and very much has the well-being and academic progress of all the children at the centre of everything it does. We are lucky to have a board which is prepared to ask difficult questions in order to provide the school with support and challenge. Please do consider joining the board if you have some expertise you would like to share with the school.

This week I would like to thank the St John's Ambulance team who came into teach our Year 4 children first aid. The sessions they led were both fun and informative. This is the first time we have provided this training but as the feedback from the children has been so positive we will definitely try to do it again. Thank you to all the trainers.

As it is Remembrance Day on Monday, members of uniformed groups are invited to wear their uniform to school. We will observe 2 minutes silence at 11am and have a special worship to remember the sacrifices made for us.

## **KS<sub>2</sub> Reading Passports**



We have re-launched the KS2 Reading Passport with some new books to encourage children to take a reading journey. Each book is representative of the reading required for that year group and has a balance of genres to introduce children to a broad range of reading. Children can read their way round the world collecting stamps as they go. Look out for the passports.



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

Welton = 429

Morrison = 291 Wilfrid = 328

Ireland = 412



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

2P and 6M have been recog-

nised as having the best manners in school.



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

2P with 100%

# **Weekly Reminders**

⇒ If you would like your child/children to receive the nasal flu vaccine **Registration this year is ONLINE only**. Please visit <a href="https://www.leicsandrutlandimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu">https://www.leicsandrutlandimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu</a> the school code is LE138358.

If you would like to use the school facility to complete the forms, then you are most welcome. Our ICT suite will be available on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays 3.15 - 4pm. Forms will need to be completed by Friday 15th November.

⇒ **Family Quiz** in aid of Kibworth Wellbeing Fund at Kibworth Grammar School Hall on Friday 15th November. Doors open at 6pm and starts at 6.3ppm £20 per table (up to 8)

#### Year 6 - World War Two

This half term, we have been learning about World War Two and how this affected the lives of innocent British civilians. Wanting more room for his people, Hitler invaded Austria, the Sudetenland, Czechoslovakia and Poland. At this point, Britain and France gave Germany an ultimatum: withdraw from Poland or we declare war. World War Two began on the 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1939.

In September 1940, the Blitz began. German bombers came and attacked naval bases such as Plymouth; cities with munitions factories such as Coventry and Birmingham; as well as our capital city – London – in the hope of destroying British morale.

Because of this, many children in main cities had to be evacuated and taken to the country-side. When Britain knew that the Germans were bombing cities, they introduced blackouts which were when people had to block out their lights so that the Luftwaffe couldn't see where they were. The British Government also gave out over 38 million gas masks because they didn't know if the Germans were going to drop bombs with toxic gas in them. If the German Luftwaffe were coming, a high pitched rising and falling siren sounded which would warn civilians and tell them to get inside a shelter or somewhere safe.

#### By Emma, Rosie and Eloise 6H



I went to Rockingham castle, I learnt about famous pictures from a very long time ago they were of lots of ladies and girls.

The most fun part was having lunch!!!

#### Charlie 2M

The castle was ace there were fake people in the castle one lady was called "scary Mary in the dairy" she used to be real.

It was cool because we ran down big hills and we had our lunch in the café.

#### Lewis 2P

#### Diary Dates

**13.11.2019** - 5C trip to Ernest Cook

15.11.2019 - Children in Need

15.11.2019 - Kibworth Wellbeing Team Family Quiz Night 6.30pm

**20.11.2019** - 5S trip to Ernest Cook

25.11.2019 - Flu Immunisations

**27.11.2019** - 5P trip to Ernest Cook

**29.11.2019** - Year 4 Family Worship (9.15am)

30.11.2019 - KPA Christmas Fayre

**03.12.2019** - KS1 Play for parents 2pm & 6.30pm

**04.12.2019** - KS1 Play for parents 6.30pm

**06.12.2019** - Decorations Day

10.11.2019 - Foundation Stage Nativity 2pm

**11.12.2019** - Foundation Stage Nativity 2pm

12.12.2019 - KPA Children's Disco

13.12.2019 - Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day



Vear 6

Year 5

Year 4

#### **Beatrice & Elise**

Year 3

Alfie

Year 2

Year 1

**EYFS** 

**Tobias** 



### Christmas Fayre Saturday 30th November

Volunteers required please

#### 22nd November 2019

Help sort through donations gam - 1pm

29th November 2019

Help sort through cake donations 9am - 10.30am Help prepare the school

> 3pm - 5pm 3oth November 2019

Help set up for the fayre
8am - 11am
Collect fresh food from Leicester
& Market Harborough from 9am
Clearing away after the fayre
2pm - 4.30pm

We've also popped a sign up sheet for stalls in the school reception.

If you can help please could you email us at <u>kibworthparentsassociation@hotmail.com</u> or through messenger on our Facebook page: Facebook.com KibworthParentsAssociation



On 25th October Miss Pearce had the pleasure of taking our girls football team to Market Harborough football club for a Danone girls football tournament. She was blown away by the effort put in by all the girls! They demonstrated excellent enthusiasm, teamwork and sportsmanship in every single match. They won 4 out of 5 matches and finished in second place. Great job girls!

On 1st November we took 3 teams to our DSAT football tournament held at Parkland Primary. Throughout the event all 3 teams showed amazing teamwork and communication, organising their own positions and formations as well as encouraging one another from start to finish. Mr Chambers said it was a pleasure to coach and referee our boys and girls as they went on to do our school proud taking home a first place out of 8 teams.

On 5th November some of our year 3/4 children went to Robert Smyth Academy for a Uni Hoc tournament. Our little athletes were very determined showing fantastic skills and team work. They also demonstrated great team spirit and sportsmanship. They played against 7 other schools and won all of their games. Shout out to coach Sansome who helped to lead team A to a victory.