

## School Newsletter

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Christian Value: Justice Learning Behaviour: Initiative Worship Theme: How can we forgive?

### Welcome to the new term

Welcome back and I do hope everyone had an enjoyable break over Easter. Thank you for all the support that people have showed to me during my first week as acting headteacher. It has been a whirlwind of a week but totally enjoyable. As you will know Mrs Nikki Matthew will join us in September to become Headteacher. We have started to plan for this transition and I am pleased to say that Mrs Matthew will be coming into school for 11 days over this term. She is keen to meet everyone and will be attending a number of parent events, spending time with classes and getting know us all. I have added a list of dates that she will be in school below the diary dates on page 2 of this newsletter. I know she will be pleased to meet everyone as time goes on. Have a great weekend.

Mr Beck



### Perfect Attendance!

This week's attendance superstars are:

**FSM - 97%**

**1L-99%**

**3S-99%**

### OPAL Play Dress Down Day

Our OPAL dress down day has been a huge success and we would like to thank you all for your incredibly generous donations. We have been completely blown away and the children are all so excited. We have managed to fill all our new sheds with some amazing equipment that we will develop into our play over the implementation of this project. Thank you all so much. Although, we weren't able to sort everything as we had hoped we will hope for some brighter weather over the next week or so. Thanks to Mr Morgan, Mrs Dandolo and Mrs Fisher for getting the project underway. If you have any other donations or offers to help sort donations at any point please contact the office.



This week's winners are:

**Ella 1H**

**Gabriel 3S**

### HOUSE POINTS

This week's points totals are:

**Ireland = 234**

**Morrison = 297**

**Welton = 358**

**Wilfrid = 369**



Ben, Shania and Layla in Year 5 are part 'The Ministry of the Future' group and trying to get Kibworth on board with being meat free on Mondays—this will be good for health and the environment.

The Ministry presented an informative assembly on Tuesday which your child may have told you about.

On Monday this week, we started a campaign called 'Meat Free Monday.' That is where your child is challenged to eat no meat on a Monday. If your child is to having a packed lunch on Monday, we ask you to try not to put any meat in it. Last term, we spoke to the school kitchen and persuaded them to change school dinners on a Monday to be meat free.

### Reading Raffle

This week's winner is:

**Hugo 3L**



### PE Stars

This week's winners:



**Eddy 1L**

**Darcey 6R**

## Y5 Egyptian Treasure Hunt

Year 5 have had a fantastic start to the new term and are already incredibly excited and engaged in their new topic. We spent Tuesday afternoon having an Egyptian treasure hunt to start our Egypt topic off. The children had to search the playground for different questions and then use hieroglyphics to make sure they found the right answer.

"It was really fun searching for all the questions." - Rosie

"It was interesting having to find the right hieroglyphics to answer the different questions." - Felix

Not only did we have lots of fun, but we all learnt lots of interesting facts such as Egyptians used to chew mint leaves to help their stomach aches, the river Nile is the longest river in the world and they were the first civilization to create a calendar after tracking how long it takes for the Earth to orbit the sun.



Year 6

Lily

Year 5

Phoebe and Hettie

Year 4

Year 3

Kaylun

Year 2

Bethany, Elsie and Lion

EYFS

Mia, Tom and Francesca

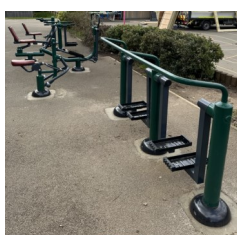


- 01.05.23 Bank Holiday
- 08.05.23 Bank Holiday
- 18.05.23 Y3 Sealife Centre Trip
- 24.05.23 Class Photos
- 25.05.23 Y1 Family Worship
- 27.05.23 EYFS West Lodge Farm Trip
- 27 & 28.06.23 Y6 Play
- 28.06.23 EYFS Family Worship
- 29.06.23 KS2 Sports Day
- 30.06.23 KS1 Sports Day
- 04.07.23 Parent Open Evening
- 06.07.23 Y6 Leavers Service at St Wilfrid's and Y6 Leavers Party
- 11.07.23 Transition Day (Y6 to Kibworth Mead)
- 12.07.23 School closes

## Children's Play Gym



Over the Easter holidays, we had a new play gym installed behind the year 4 classrooms. The gym has been kindly funded by the KPA, The Kibworth Rotary Club



and Barratt Developments. We are waiting for some final checks and then the children will be able to use it. We aim to have an official opening very soon and take more pictures showing the gym in use. We would like to express our thanks to all our sponsors of this project.

## Sports News

First week back and our brilliant children are already celebrating another sport success. On Thursday, some of year 5&6 children went to South Leicestershire Quicksticks Hockey finals. Kibworth represented Blaby and Harborough as recent winners of previous competitions.

In this event, players faced other schools who also won their local tournaments which meant that the standard of the game was really high. Our little athletes shone through for all the tournament displaying their brilliant skills, amazing team spirit and passion for the game. Kibworth team once again were undefeated and lifted a trophy at the end of the day. We are looking forward to County Finals now. Well done Kibworth.

Mr Kostecki.



## Mrs Matthews Visits

### Summer 1

24th & 28th April  
2nd May and 5th May  
16th May

22nd & 25th May

### Summer 2

13th & 15th June  
19th & 22nd June  
29th & 30th June  
4th July