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Newsletter: Friday 6th March 2020

World Book Day

Yesterday was a great day for creating a buzz about reading. Thank you for the amazing costumes you created for the children. Everyone was looking brilliant with a huge range of characters amongst children and staff. We had reading dens in some classes, speed dating with favourite books, posters showing favourite books, celebrity videos reading stories and lots more activities in class with the whole day allocated to books. We had a very unusual story at the end of the day that the children were very excited about as every class had contributed and we were all desperate to find out how it ended!



Dance in a Day

On Wednesday a group of children had the opportunity to create a “dance in a day” with the young leaders at Brigshaw. They went through the choreography and dance creation process, practising through the day and culminating in a performance for parents with the other primary schools. Thank you to everyone at Brigshaw for organising it for us and well done to the children for such a great performance.



More news to follow next week about our second dance event, the “big dance off”.

Wear Blue for the Loo

As part of their IPC unit, ‘Being Human’, Year Six have been busy organising a school fundraising day called “Wear Blue for the Loo.” This is to raise money for ‘Toilet Twinning’, a charity that builds latrines in developing countries to aid sanitation and prevent the spread of disease. Our aim is to raise £240 (the price of a toilet block in a school) and twin our school’s toilets with a newly built toilet block in a different country. “Wear Blue for the Loo” will take place on Tuesday 10th March. On this day, we are asking for a donation of £1 per child to wear blue to school. In addition to this, Year Six will be hosting a movie evening, showing the film ‘Flushed Away’ after school 3.25pm – 5pm. This is a ticketed event with tickets

costing £1 each. An extra 50p will be charged for refreshments (popcorn and juice). We hope you can support these events and help us to achieve our target amount!

Cobain Dixon-Schofield, Year Six

*You can purchase tickets for the movie evening on ParentPay.

Social media

Recently there have been some comments made in Facebook and WhatsApp groups that mention children or school staff. Please note that no children should be named on social media without the knowledge and consent of their parents and school staff should also not be named. We will refer any further incidents of this nature to the Brighshaw Learning Partnership legal advisors. If you have a concern about your own child, please contact the class teacher in the first instance.

Celebration Assembly

Our nominations for Celebration Assembly this week:



Class R: Harriet

Last week we started looking at our new book 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea'. Harriet shared fantastic ideas and answers on the carpet during our sessions. She also created a wonderful sentence explaining her favourite part of the story.

Well Done, Harriet

Class 1: Darius

Darius has been an absolute superstar in Maths this week. He has been working out how to count in tens and ones using either tens frames or numicon. Darius has been resilient and pushed himself to learn this quickly in class. We have been very impressed with his learning. Well done!

Class 2: Jacob C

Class Two have all been very welcoming this week. Jacob has been so thoughtful and explained many of the school rules and routines to me. Thank you very much Jacob.

Class 3: Evie E

Evie is an always person. She always puts in her best effort. She always shows great resilience especially when she has been given something to challenge her. Evie is also an excellent communicator and works well with her table group.

Class 4: Hannah

In class 4 we have been talking a lot about team work and collaboration with one another. Hannah is a brilliant team player in class. She communicates in a positive way with everyone and makes sure every person is included and able to contribute.

Class 5: Thomas

Thomas has a great attitude towards learning, and is always very enthusiastic. His desire to know things and improve means that he takes advantage of every opportunity he is given to develop his knowledge further outside of class and he enjoys sharing this with his peers.

Class 6: Kai

Kai worked extremely hard last week, converting between units of measure. He displayed resilience when he found the maths tricky and persevered throughout each measurement task. He grew in confidence as the week progressed.

Times Table Rockstars

Most improved

1. Ava-Jane
2. Megan M
3. Willa

Highest earners

1. Ruby C
2. Millie V
3. Ruby S

Communication...

Contact the school by:

- e-mail at kgpsoffice@brigshawtrust.com
- message us on ClassDojo
- telephone on 0113 2876195
- call in to make an appointment with any member of staff



Find out about school by:

- accessing the school website: <https://kippaxgreenfield.co.uk/>
- Accessing the school learning platform: <https://sites.google.com/a/kippaxgreenfield.co.uk/kippax-greenfields/home>
- following us on Twitter

Please make sure that we have all of your correct contact details, particularly mobile phone details, as we use a text messaging service to contact parents for such matters as cancellation of events etc.



Events for the Week:

Monday 9th to Friday 13th March

Date	After School Events	In School Events
Monday	KS2 Girls' football club 3.15–4.15	Brigshaw transition meeting for Y6 parents 3.30 – 4.30
Tuesday	"Flushed away" film night 3.25 – 5.00 Netball club 3.15-4.15	Wear blue for the loo day Class 5 swimming
Wednesday	Gymnastics club 3.15-4.15 KS2 football club 3.15-4.15	
Thursday	Dance club 3.15-4.15 Mineblox club 3.15-4.15	House morning
Friday		

Spring Term 2

Date:	Event:	Audience:
Monday 16 th March	Cycling event	Class R and Class 5
Monday 16 th March	Badminton event	Invited children

4.00-5.00pm		
Tuesday 17 th March	Library visit	Class R
Monday 23 rd March 12.00-1.00pm	Talent Show auditions	Children in Class R, Class 1 and Class 2
Monday 23 rd March 4.00-5.00pm	Multi-skills event	Class 1
Tuesday 24 th March 9.00-4.00pm	Book Fair	Whole school
Tuesday 24 th March 3.30-5.30pm	Learning conferences	Parents and children
Wednesday 25 th March 12.00-1.00pm	Talent Show auditions	Children in Class 3 and Class 4
Wednesday 25 th March 4.00-6.00pm	Learning conferences	Parents and children
Thursday 26 th March 12.00-1.00pm	Talent Show auditions	Children in Class 5 and Class 6
Thursday 26 th March 5.30-7.30pm	Learning conferences	Parents and children
Friday 27 th March 9.00am	Class 4 Assembly	Parents of children in Class 4
Monday 30 th March – Friday 3 rd April	Autism awareness week	Whole school
Monday 30 th March 10.00am	Easter Service at St Mary's Church	Whole school, parents welcome
Wednesday 1 st April	Swimming gala	Invited children
Friday 3 rd April 9.00am	Class 5 Assembly	Parents of children in Class 5
Friday 3 rd April	Egg decorating and rolling competition	Whole school
Friday 3 rd April	Talent Show	Whole school
Friday 3rd April	School closes for Easter	

Summer Term 1

Date:	Event:	Audience:
Monday 20 th April	School reopens	Whole school
Friday 24 th April	Class photos	Whole school

Monday 11 th – Thursday 14 th May	Key Stage 2 SATs	Class 6
Monday 11 th – Friday 22 nd May	Key Stage 1 SATs	Class 2
Monday 11 th May 6.00pm	Full governing board meeting	Governing body members
Friday 22 nd May 9.00am	Class 3 Assembly	Parents of children in Class 3
Friday 22nd May	School closes for half term	

Summer Term 2

Date:	Event:	Audience:
Monday 1st June	School reopens	Whole School
Tuesday 2 nd June	Health screening (school nurse)	Children in Class R and Class 6
Week Commencing 8th June	Y1 Phonics Screening	Class 1 children
Thursday 11th June at 3.30pm	Camping Experience Meeting	Class 4 parents
Tuesday 16th June 4pm	New Entrants Parent Meeting	Parents of children starting school in September 2020
Wednesday 17th June	Trust Sports Day	Class 4, 5 and 6 children
Friday 26th June	Sports Day	Whole school. Families are welcome all day
Monday 29th June 6.00pm	Full Governing Board Meeting	All Governors
Date to be confirmed	Trust Virtual Middle School Week - Class 6 at Brigshaw	Class 6
Tuesday 30 th June	Jump Up Day / New Entrants Drop in	All the children jump up to their new class
Friday 3 rd July 9.00am	Class Reception assembly	Parents of children in Class Reception
Friday 3 rd July	Children's Reports to parents	Whole School
Friday 3 rd July – Saturday 4 th July	Class 4 Camping	Class 4 children
Wednesday 8 th July	Jump Up Day / New Entrants with lunch	All the children jump up to their new class
Friday 10 th July	Summer Fair	All welcome

3.30 – 5.00pm		
Tuesday 14th July 2.00pm	Thank You Event	Invited guests who have supported the school this year
Wednesday 15 th July	Jump Up Day	All the children jump up to their new class
Thursday 16 th July 2.00pm	Class 6 leavers' production	Parents of children in Class 6
Friday 17th July 9.00am	Achievement Assembly	Whole School and invited parents
Friday 17th July	School closes for the summer	Whole School

We still have a number of events to finalise in our diary so please check for updates each half term.