



**Kimpton, Thruxton and Fyfield  
Church of England Primary School**



*Let your light shine ~ learning to care and to lead for today and tomorrow*

# NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

A very warm welcome back to the new academic year.

During INSET day on Monday and Tuesday I carried out Health & Safety and Safeguarding training with all staff, as well as going through our new School Development Plan and key priorities for the year.

In Worship on Wednesday we welcomed six new children to the school and also our four new members of staff. During this worship I shared the school vision:-

*"Every child will have a love of learning, learning which they are actively engaged in and take ownership of.*

*Every teacher will provide the best possible education to enable children to learn and develop.*

*Every member of the school community will be valued, respected and heard"*

Everyone here at the school shares in this vision and we look forward to ensuring that the school continues to go from strength to strength.

Finally, I am very pleased to announce that Mrs Alvis gave birth to a healthy baby boy - Alfred Patrick, at the beginning of

August. We look forward to welcoming them to school for a visit soon.

Zoe Newton  
Headteacher

## ATTENDANCE

ROBINS	95.20%
HERONS	98.67%
SWANS	89.38%
<b>KESTRELS</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
EAGLES	96.77%
<b>KINGFISHERS</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

Congratulations to both Kestrels and Kingfishers who achieved a very impressive **100%** attendance this week. They will receive an extra play as next week.

**No. of Lates**      **0**

Congratulations to everyone this week for getting to school in good time. There were no Late marks recorded.

## LETTERS SENT OUT THIS WEEK

Young Voices (Yrs 3-6)

Saints Foundation After-School Football

PH Sports After-School Clubs

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**Armed Forces**  
charity

Thank you to everyone who donated cakes and purchased refreshments at our Big Brew at the end of June in aid of SSAFA. We raised an amazing **£282.34**.

## **\*IMPORTANT\* - HC3S SCHOOL LUNCHES**



The cost of a school lunch is now **£2.30**. Please note that all children in Yr R, Yr 1 and Yr 2 are entitled to a free school meal.

### **BREAKFAST CLUB - PRICE INCREASE**

Just a reminder that Mrs Bungey runs breakfast club every day from 7.45am and there is no need to book in advance. There is a selection of cereals, toast, crumpets, pancakes and fruit juice on offer.

**Please note that after half term, the prices for breakfast club will be as follows:-**

Drop-off before 8am- £4.50 with breakfast, £4 without breakfast

Drop-off after 8am - £3.50 with breakfast and £3 without breakfast

### **AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS**

This term we are offering the following after-school sports clubs.

**Saints Foundation** will be running two after school **football** clubs on a Wednesday this term, one for KS1 and one for KS2. These will start next week and need to be booked online via



SAINTS  
FOUNDATION

the following link:-

<https://bookings.saintsfoundation.co.uk/>

and then search for Kimpton.

**PH Sports** will also be running the following two clubs which will commence the w/c 17<sup>th</sup> September and are bookable only online at [www.phsports.co.uk/book-online](http://www.phsports.co.uk/book-online) or [www.facebook.com/PHSports/](https://www.facebook.com/PHSports/) and click 'book now'.

Monday 3.30 to 4.30pm      Tag Rugby  
Friday 3.30 to 4.30pm      Gymnastics

These clubs are £3.50 per session and will be open to both Key Stages but we recommend that YrR do not sign up until after Christmas.

## **LUNCH TIME CLUB**



**Yr 5/6 Craft Club** - Mrs Allen, Mrs Newton and Mrs Peach will be running a craft club on a

Wednesday lunchtime at 12.30pm in Kingfishers class. This will be initially open to 12 children and offered on a first come first served basis. The children will be making a range of items which will be on sale at the Christmas Fayre (details to follow). If your child is interested please let the office know. Many thanks.

### **BENEFACTIVE SERVICE, 10AM, SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, ST PETER & ST PAUL CHURCH, KIMPTON**

On Education Sunday our three primary schools and the parishes of Appleshaw, Kimpton, Thruxton & Fyfield and Shipton Bellinger are coming together to celebrate education in a special service. We want to be able to include and celebrate all levels of education, so whether you have children at pre-school, primary school, secondary school, or in higher or further education this is for you!

This is your invitation to this family friendly service which is open to all.

### **MONSTER PUMPKIN**



*"The Hulk (aka pumpkin) suffered a setback during the school holidays, the weather! Hulk 1 unfortunately succumbed to black rot, just after reaching 13kg. However not to be beaten, with regular watering, 4 more pumpkins appeared, narrowed down to 2 and then the Hulk 2 was selected. He is now around 22kg and we have a few more weeks to encourage him to get bigger, so fingers crossed!"*

Miss Watt's class planted sunflowers. They grew amazingly well and attracted a lot of bees.



by Mrs Jacobs

## 1<sup>st</sup> KIMPTON RAINBOWS AND BROWNIES



We have a thriving Rainbow and Brownie unit which meets on Mondays during term time from 3.30 to 5.00pm in the school hall.

Rainbows are for girls aged 5 to 7 years old and Brownies are for girls 7 to 11 years old. If you would like to enquire about a place for your daughter in the unit please register at [www.girlguiding.org.uk](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk).

### NORMAN GATE AUTISM PARENT WORKSHOPS



Norman Gate are running both introductory and advanced parent workshops in November for supporting your child at home with Autism. For further details please see the noticeboard or email:

[P.Roskilly@normangate.hants.sch.uk](mailto:P.Roskilly@normangate.hants.sch.uk)

## FUTURE DATES:-

9 SEP	10AM Benefice Service at Kimpton Church
12 SEP	Saints Foundation After-School Football Club starts
17 SEP	PH After-School Clubs start
2 OCT	7PM PTA AGM
3 OCT	Open Day
10 OCT	Harvest Festival
22-26 OCT	HALF TERM
12-16 NOV	Calshot (Kingfishers)
19 NOV	INSET DAY
26-29 NOV	Eagles Bikeability
27 NOV	Flu Inoculations (YrR-Yr5)
21 DEC	Last day of term
<u>2019</u>	
7 JAN	First day of Spring Term
25 JAN	INSET DAY
4 FEB	Young Voices @ O2