



# 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,

I have been delighted to see the happy, smiley, confident faces of the new Year R children as they have been coming to school each morning this week. Today has been their first full day and they have settled and adapted brilliantly. Well done Wrens!



Our whole school mini topic, The Wizard of Oz was launched on Monday - you may have spotted a rather unfortunate 'accident' on the playground on Monday morning.

Across the school we are exploring the book and looking at how are values of Love, Courage and Respect are prominent throughout. To celebrate the end of the topic we will be having a Wizard of Oz day on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September. On this day your child may come to school either dressed in a Wizard of Oz themed costume OR wearing something green.

Coming home today is a letter from the PTA regarding their upcoming AGM. The PTA work incredibly hard to raise much needed funds for the school and do a brilliant job organising and running events. We would very much value your attendance at the AGM which is taking place on **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 7.15pm.**

Finally, voting has taken place over the last two weeks and I am pleased to announce that the new House Captains are:-

- **Water - Joshua and Ruby S**
- **Earth - Freya and Junior**
- **Fire - Alfred and Charlotte**
- **Air - Libby and Archie**

Have a good weekend.

Zoe Newton  
Headteacher

### STARS OF THE WEEK

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| Robins      | - Lily R |
| Herons      | - Mollie |
| Swans       | - Kaleb  |
| Kestrels    | - Summer |
| Eagles      | - Jamie  |
| Kingfishers | - Holly  |

### SCHOOL SPIRIT

**Bailey (Herons)** for being so caring to all around him.

**Kaleb (Swans)** for always being caring and supportive and a true Kimpton role model.

**Ben (Eagles)** being positive and taking the initiative in class to show independent thinking.

### ATTENDANCE

WRENS	100.0%
ROBINS	94.62%
HERONS	99.08%

SWANS	94.48%
KESTRELS	99.08%
EAGLES	98.03%
KINGFISHERS	98.48%

Congratulations to **Wrens** who achieved **100%** attendance this week. They will receive an extra play next week.

**No. of Lates**      **2**

There were 2 Late marks recorded this week.

### LETTERS SENT OUT THIS WEEK

PTA Letter  
 Forces Introduction Letter  
 Harvest Picnic Letter  
 Calshot Information Evening (Yr 6)  
 Welcome to Eagles Class  
 Bikeability Survey (Yr5 & 6)  
 Wellington Open Day (Yr 6)

### OPEN DAY

We will be holding our annual Open Day on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October. There will be a morning session starting at 9.30am and an afternoon sessions at 1.30pm. At each session there will be a welcome talk by the headteacher and then there will be the opportunity to look round school and ask questions. If you know anyone who has a child due to start school in September 2019, then please let them know. Thank you.

### MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING



On **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October**, we will once again be supporting

MacMillan's World's Biggest Coffee Morning. Tea, coffee and cake will be available from drop-off on the day and Kestrels class have very kindly agreed to organise and run this event. We would therefore be very grateful for any donations of cakes (either homemade or bought) for this worthwhile charity. All cakes should be brought into school on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October. Thank you for your support.

## Kimpton School PTA PTA AGM

The AGM will be held on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>

October at 7pm in the school hall. Funds raised by the PTA are vital to the successful running of the school, so if you would like to become involved please do come along. All welcome (including children!) and refreshments provided.

### NAIL VARNISH

Just a reminder that nail varnish is not allowed under our uniform policy. We would be grateful if all nail varnish could be removed. Many thanks.

### \*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



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 CLUBS



**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.

### 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).

### LIONS IN THE COMMUNITY HALF TERM SPORTS SCHOOLS



**Lions in the Community**

Learning, Growing, Achieving... Together



Lions in the Community are running the following two half term activities:-

- Multi Sports School at Broughton Primary School, Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> & Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct, £20 a day
- Soccer School at Portway Junior School, Wed 24<sup>th</sup>-Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Oct, £55 for 3 days or £20 a day

For further information please see the posters on the noticeboard, email

[Cathy@lionsinthecommunity.com](mailto:Cathy@lionsinthecommunity.com), tel. 07825 339091. We have booking forms available in the office if you are interested.

### VOLUNTEERS WANTED TO SUPPORT YOUNG PEOPLE & FAMILIES

Hampshire County Council are looking for people to join their countrywide network of volunteers to mentor young people and support parents with parenting skills. Volunteers can give as little as an hour or two per week and will be given full training. For more information please email your name and contact details to [innovation.volunteers@hants.gov.uk](mailto:innovation.volunteers@hants.gov.uk), or visit [www.hants.gov.uk](http://www.hants.gov.uk) to read more about available volunteering opportunities.

### FUTURE DATES:-

17 SEP	PH After-School Clubs start
2 OCT	Macmillan Coffee Morning 7PM PTA AGM
3 OCT	Open Day
4 OCT	Harvest Picnic Lunch
10 OCT	Harvest Festival
17 OCT	3.30PM/5.30PM Calshot Parent Information Meeting
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

### 2019

7 JAN	First day of Spring Term
25 JAN	INSET DAY
4 FEB	Young Voices @ O2