

Kings Worthy

Primary School

Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Apology

I am very aware that the last couple of weeks have seen an avalanche of school events and feel that I need to apologise for so much over such a short period. As a working parent of year 1 and year 3 children it is very difficult for me to attend much that they do in their own school, so I appreciate the impact that these last couple of weeks will have had on so many of you. The summer term is naturally one of the busiest in the school diary and from September I will release all dates for the whole year and trust me, we will try our very best not to repeat this level of activity.

New classes

As I said in my letter on Tuesday, children have been allocated to classes in line with their friends; those children with whom they learn well; and the teachers who we feel will get the best out of them next year. Obviously, there is no intent to cause upset, but please be assured that all decisions have been taken with your child's best interests taken into account. I walked around all the new classes on Wednesday numerous times and the children were very excited and happily getting on with their work.

1S Class Assembly

Wow what a performance from 1S this morning for their class assembly. It had super singing, clearly spoken words and an abundance of facts about the solar system. The children should be incredibly proud of their performance and it was a delight to see all the adults in the audience smiling throughout. Thank you to Miss Singleton and Mrs Crombie for their hard work in helping the children put this together.

Happy Shoes Day

Just a quick note letting you know that we raised £217.74 for our 'Happy Shoesday' a few weeks ago – thank you so much for your support!

Weather

The sun hopefully will continue to blaze next week so if I could encourage you to ensure your child(ren) have their bottle of water in school every day.



Also, to bring a cap and are protected with sun tan lotion which can be put on before they come to school.

Year 4 Camp

Last Friday, the Year 4 children had the annual overnight camp within the school grounds. We were extremely lucky with the weather as we enjoyed one of our first days that felt like summer. During the day, the children participated in different activities in our outside area including pond dipping and creating stick men. In the afternoon, we enjoyed some 'tent time' where they loved arranging their sleeping areas and making their tents nice and homely. For dinner we had a pizza and pasta feast followed by delicious cookies and gooey marshmallows over the campfire. After the sun had gone down, we watched a film in school and then some of us settled down to sleep quite quickly. Maisy in 4M said that at the camp there were 'brilliant snacks, lots of fun games and activities and I would do it again.'



GB athlete visit

On the 9th July 'Inspired through Sport' will be bringing a GB athlete to visit our school. I am delighted to confirm that the captain of the basketball team for the London 2012 Olympics and Commonwealth Games silver medallist Stef Collins will be coming to inspire everyone at Kings Worthy Primary School.

The day will start with an inspiring assembly led by Stef where she will share her sporting journey with our pupils, allowing them to understand the hard work and dedication needed in order to achieve success. Afterwards, each year group will complete a challenging fitness circuit with Stef and have the opportunity for a meet and greet. During this time, they will also learn about healthy living and the importance of developing a growth mind-set.

Two weeks ago, the children received a sponsorship form to complete for the event. These forms should be completed and returned to your child's teacher along with the money raised (which should be in a sealed envelope). The funds raised will not only support our GB sporting stars, but our school will also receive a large proportion of the money to enable us to purchase new PE equipment. The final date to bring in your donations is 9th July.



Children Book Illustrator

A parent has recommended this event—an amazing children's book illustrator talking at the Hambledon this Saturday:

<http://thehambledon.com/blogs/news/snapshots-fiona-woodcock>

Summer Fair

The PTFA treasurers have checked the counting and are really pleased to say that the Summer Festival made a profit of £4105.00, which is up on last year, despite the rain!

Great job everyone- all the hard work was worth it!

Jamie Dodson
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary this Academic Year— New dates or amendments in red.

Mon 1st July	Monday—Friday	YR6 Trip to Osmington Bay
Wed 3rd July	9.00—11.30	School visit morning for new starters to Year R Sept 2019
Thu 4th July	9.15am	1H Class Assembly
Fri 5th July		Y3 Swimming Lessons
Wed 10th July	2.45pm	Keyboard concert
Wed 10th July	6.00pm—7.00pm	Kings information evening for Year 7 parents from Sept
Fri 12th July		Y3 Last Swimming Lesson
Fri 12th July	9.15am	Class 6E Class assembly
Fri 12th July	3.30—4.00	PTFA Year 3 Cake Sale
Fri 12th July		Reports to parents
Mon 15th July	6.15pm—8.15pm	Full Governing Body Meeting
Tue 16th July	2:15pm—3:30pm	YR2 Listen to me concert
Wed 17th July	3.45—5.00 pm	Open Evening
Thu 18th July	3.00 - 3.30	Yr 3 Parents Share
Fri 19th July		Y3 Swimming Lessons
Fri 19th July	6.00—8.00	Leavers Party
Mon 22nd July	9.15-9.45am	Y6 leavers' assembly
Mon 22nd July	6. 00	Mr Happy's Circus - Gates open at 4.30
Tue 23rd July	To 1.15pm	Last day of term (Half day to 1.15pm)

Dates for your Diary next Academic Year— New dates or amendments in red.

Wed 4th Sept		INSET day
Thur 5th Sept		First day of school for Years 1-6