



King's Cliffe Endowed Primary School Newsletter

Growing a Love for Learning

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This Week's News

Oundle KidLit

This week all the children from the main school got the opportunity to go to Oundle Primary School to take part in this years KidLit event. The week started with Year 6 heading over to listen to their author, Lissa Evans. On Tuesday Years 4 and 5 went and heard from their author, Jack Meggit-Phillips. Wednesday Reception and Year 1 listened to their author, Catherine Jacobs. Thursday was the turn of Year 2 who went to listen to their author, Terrie Chilvers, all dressed up in their World Book Day costumes, Miss Lynch and Mrs Jones stood out in the red crayon costumes. Finally Year 3 went and heard from author, Clare Harlow. The children have had a wonderful experience, they have got to draw some of the book characters, get involved in some of the stories and of course the younger years loved the coach journey.



Our curriculum builds on the strong roots of our values to take the children on a journey of knowledge to 'grow a love for learning' and develop skills for life.

This Week's News cont....

World Book Day 2025

As always at King's Cliffe World Book Day brings a great variety of characters and this year was no different. There were a number of Oompa Loompa's, an array of Harry Potter characters and a few Little Red Riding Hoods. There were so many fantastic costumes and everyone had a fabulous day. Thank you to everyone for the great effort and making World Book day 2025 exceptional!



This Week's News cont....

The Eco-Council's book swap was a great success so they will look to do another one very soon, if you have any unwanted books there will be a book box in the foyer near the school office.

Also thank you to everyone who donated books and costumes for the exchange scheme. This has proved very positive so we will continue with the costume exchange for Halloween and Christmas Jumper day. If you have anything you'd like to donate please feel free to donate at any point.



A Message from the Governing Body

It's been a busy term so far with Governors visiting school, meeting with staff and pupils linking to their strategic areas. These meetings are great for Governors to see teaching and learning first hand as well as meet subject leads to understand the curriculum and the hard work that goes into that planning.

Unfortunately, we have said goodbye to Scott Topping this week as a Co-opted Governor due to his long work commitments as well as living quite a distance from the school. I'd like to thank Scott; on behalf of Governors and the staff he worked with for his expertise in well-being and equalities and for his time as a volunteer! We currently have a vacancy now for this Co-opted position. All information can be found on the school's website under 'Vacancies'.

I'd like to remind all parents that our annual 'Governor - Parent Survey' is still live until Monday 10th March 2025 (at Noon). These surveys are crucial for us as a Governing Board to work strategically with the school's leadership team and guide us with our development plans for the next academic year. We thank you for your support.

(LINK: <https://forms.office.com/e/OqrKHeeK0m>)

With Best wishes,
Lee O'Connor
Chair of Governors

This Week's Good News

THIS WEEK'S AWARDS—WELL DONE TO YOU ALL!

Reception

Amazing Achiever- Hector
Awesome Attitude- All of Reception
Value of the Week- Iris

Year 1

Amazing Achiever- Jacob
Awesome Attitude- Alfie
Value of the Week- All of Year 1

Year 2

Amazing Achiever- Darcy
Awesome Attitude- All of Year 2
Value of the Week- Tobias

Year 3

Amazing Achiever-
Awesome Attitude—
Value of the Week-

Year 4

Amazing Achiever- Florence
Awesome Attitude— Emily
Value of the Week- Cleona

Year 5

Amazing Achiever- Amelia Be
Awesome Attitude- Bethan
Value of the Week- Eddie

Year 6

Amazing Achiever- Harry S
Awesome Attitude- Lily M
Value of the Week— Joshua

Headteachers Award/Mabel Time

A child can be nominated by a Teacher or peer for a Headteacher/Mabel award. In Celebration Assembly the child can choose either a headteachers award or Mabel time.

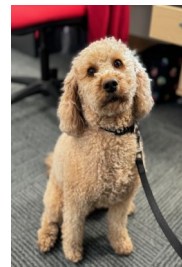
Headteacher Award

Jaxon—Y1
Ava & Evelyn—Y2
Jack D & Sienna—Y4
Amelia S—Y5

Mabel Time

Richie—Rec
Theo—Y2
Cyron—Y5

Congratulations!



DIARY DATES

11th March—Parent-Teacher Consultation Evening

13th March—Parent-Teacher Consultation Evening

Wk commencing 17th March—Year 4 TASC week

21st March—Year 4 Assembly

Wk commencing 24th March— Year 3 TASC week

25th March—Class photos

27th March—Year 3 Class Assembly

28th March—Oundle Festival of Music and Drama

4th April—School Closes

23rd April—School re-opens

23rd May—May Day Celebrations

Wk commencing 9th June—Year 1 TASC week

13th June—Year 1 Class Assembly

20th June—Sports Day

Wk commencing 23rd June—Reception TASC week

27th June—Reception Class Assembly

Wk Commencing 7th July—Enterprise week

14th July—Reports Out

15th July—Transition Morning

16th July—Year 6 Afternoon Performance

17th July—Year 6 Evening Performance

18th July—Year 6 Day out

22nd July—Year 6 Leavers Service

22nd July—School Closes