



King's Cliffe Endowed Primary School Newsletter

Growing a Love for Learning

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This Week's News

Oundle festival

On Tuesday morning our Years 3, 4 and 5's took part in the Oundle Festival of Music and Drama, where they performed a number of poems. All the classes did exceptionally well with Year 4 placing 1st and winning the McAdam Cup, Year 3 placing 2nd and Year 5 placing 3rd. Congratulations to all!



Year 6 Oundle Festival

On Tuesday afternoon some of our Year 6 children bravely put themselves forward for the individual Oundle Festival classes of prepared reading and poetry. They were all incredible. It takes bravery and hard work to stand before an audience and perform; this experience will stay with all the children forever and give them confidence to put themselves forward again. A big thank you to all the parents who supported the children, helped them practise and came to cheer them on and thank you Mrs Yeo for your constant support.

Special well done to: Prepared Reading Nell—1st, —2nd Peter—3rd—Henry & Anabelle

Poetry - Kacey—2nd Sienna & Izzy—3rd



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...

Swimming Gala

On Thursday morning we took part in the Oundle and District swimming gala, which was once again organised by KCEPS.

Children from 7 different schools participated. A special mention to the girls relay race who came 1st. Overall we came 3rd which is the highest place we have come. All the children who participated in the gala showed wonderful sportsmanship cheering on the rest of their team and supporting children who needed encouragement.



Year 3 & 4 Gamble Cup

On Thursday afternoon, some of our Year 3 & 4's took part in the Gamble Cup at Kettering Leisure Village.

After breezing through the group stage, they came up against a strong opposition in the Quarter-finals.

Finishing 1-1 after normal time then a penalty shootout.

After 36 penalties - YES 36, they made it through to the semi-finals. Going 1-0 down early into the game, they showed real resilience and determination to bring the game back level. Unfortunately, the game finished 2-1 to the opposition. We are so proud of every child who took part!



Thank you to Mr Calpin for his coaching and to all the parents who helped transport.

Year 1 Assembly

Today Year 1 performed their Class Assembly about the Arctic and Antarctica. They identified the different seasons within the United Kingdom and how this is different to the two poles. They then ventured to the North Pole, where we learnt about their climate and weather and what animals live there. Then they travelled to the South Pole, again they identified the animals that live there! They performed the 7 continent song. They did a fantastic job, well done Year 1!



This Week's News cont....

Chick update

The 4 chicks that hatched on Friday and the remaining 6 eggs all went to stay with Mrs Giddings for the weekend, where 4 more chicks hatched. The children have been able to go into the library all week and see the chicks as well as the opportunity to hold them, some were braver than others but most were braver than the teachers!

It is a pretty special experience for the children to have the chance to see eggs hatch and watch chicks grow, so having that up close is something people tend to remember for years.



Staff News

Yesterday we say Goodbye (for now) and Goodluck to Mrs King who is off on maternity leave. We cannot wait to hear the news of baby King!

Angus' Fundraiser

Angus in Year 4 is raising money for the Princess Trust. He has been growing his hair for 2 years and this weekend he will be having it all cut off. Not only will the hair be used to make a wig for a child, he has also been doing extra fundraising to help the charity. His sale at school this week raised £91 making his total amount raised so far £1,021, this is a phenomenal.

Well done Angus!

This Week's Good News

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

Reception

Value of the Week- Rafi

Year 1

Value of the Week- Matilda

Year 2

Value of the Week- Jess

Year 3

Value of the Week- All of Year 3

Year 4

Value of the Week- All of Year 4

Year 5

Value of the Week- Florence

Year 6

Value of the Week— All of Year 6

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 headteacher's award or
Mabel time.

Headteacher Award

Ariella—Rec

Maria—Y1

Harley, Roman, Sam, Emily, Archer
& Edward—Y3

Georgia Y4

Amelie—Y5

Joshua—Y6

Mabel Time

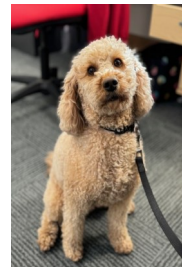
Theo—Y2

Rosie & Alfie—Y3

Finley—Y4

Kacey—Y6

Congratulations!



This Week's News cont....



Gold Star Award



These awards are given for the children who continuously show outstanding behaviours and attitudes.

This Term's stars are:

Reception: Lena

Year 3: George

Year 1: Avery

Year 4: Violet

Year 2: Ruby

Year 5: Ana

Year 6: Kacey

Pen Licence

Jess—Y2

Alfie, Archer, Austin, Dawson & Roman—Y3

Congratulations!



DIARY DATES

13th April—School Re-opens

23rd April—Year 2 Trip—Hamerton Zoo

5th May—Year 5 Trip

7th May—Reception Trip—Barnwell Country Park

Wk comm 11th May—Year 6 SATs

15th May—May Day Celebrations

Wk Comm 18th May—Year 2 Family Lunches

2nd June—Brownlee Foundation and Tata Kids of Steel Mini Triathlon

4th June—Reception Trip—Hunstanton

11th June—Reception Class Assembly

Wk Comm 15th June—Year 1 Family Lunches

24th June—Year 1 Trip—More info to follow

26th June—Sports Day

6th July—Reports out

7th July—Transition Morning

14th July—Leavers Performance—afternoon

15th July—Leavers Performance—Evening

17th July—Leavers Service.

17th July—School Closes