



King's Cliffe Endowed Primary School Newsletter

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This Week's Good News

Year 4 Autumn Walk

On Thursday our Year 4's went on a beautiful autumnal walk to the Millennium Wood. They looked at litter and completed a tally chart while they walked. When they reached the Wood the children used a leaf guide to identify the trees that had been planted. They discussed what deciduous meant and looked at the health of the different species of trees.



Reading Challenge

In today's celebration assembly the children were presented with the award for being this year's Summer Reading Challenge competitions winners! There were 210 children who entered over 9 schools in East Northants and KCEPS are the champions! We are proudly displaying the shield which has the school name on it. Well done to all the children who took part in the competition.



House Captains Friday

Today the House Captains continued with their lunchtime activities. The activities were Yoga, Hockey, Relay races and hoops and beanbags. Another amazing lunchtime! Thank you to Miss McMullen and the House Captains.



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

Reception

Amazing Achiever- Ruby
Awesome Attitude- Willow
Value of the Week- Jack

Year 1

Amazing Achiever- Chester
Awesome Attitude- Alfie
Value of the Week- Camden

Year 2

Amazing Achiever- Lily
Awesome Attitude- Elodie
Value of the Week- Rowan

Year 3

Amazing Achiever- Cleona
Awesome Attitude- Ana
Value of the Week- Esmee

Year 4

Amazing Achiever- Nell
Awesome Attitude— Harry Cu & All of Year 4
Value of the Week- Isabelle

Year 5

Amazing Achiever- Gracie & all of Year 5
Awesome Attitude- Martha, Talia & Tom
Value of the Week- Aleigha & Talia

Year 6

Amazing Achiever- Sophia
Awesome Attitude- Rosie
Value of the Week- All of Year 6

Headteacher Awards

Cansu—Reception
Arthur—Y5
Jereign—Y6
Oscar -Y6

Well Done Everyone!

School Place Applications

A reminder for parent(s)/carers of children in current Year 6 that they need to apply for their child's Secondary School place by 5pm on Tuesday, 31st October 2023.

Also, parent(s)/carers of children who have their 4th birthday between 1st September 2023 and 31st August 2024 need to apply for their primary school place by 5pm on Monday, 15th January 2024.

Open days

Tuesday was the last of our open days for this year; we had several families come and look round the school. It was lovely to hear such wonderful comments about our school, the building and the children. The children were in good spirits and welcomed our guests with great enthusiasm.

Hello Yellow Mental Health Day 2023

On Tuesday the 10th of October we will be celebrating the Hello Yellow Mental Health Awareness Day again. We raised an incredible amount of money last year all of which went to the Young Minds Mental Health Service and it would be great if we could do this again this year.

A JustGiving Page will be set up like last year and if you would like to take part by coming to school in as much or as little yellow as you like, then if you could make a donation to this page that would be very much appreciated. We will be taking part in Mental Health related activities during the day along with the #HelloYellow Challenge.

Link to the just giving page is: https://www.justgiving.com/page/jocelyn-knight-1694595936882?utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=page%2Fjocelyn-knight-1694595936882&utm_source=copyLink&utm_campaign=pfp-share

Harvest Festival

Harvest Festival is on Wednesday the 11th of October and we will be supporting Stamford Foodbank.

We will be walking down to the church at around 1.30pm where you are welcome to wave to the children if you would like to. Whilst we unfortunately can't accommodate the parents in the church anymore due to there being so many of us, a recording will be uploaded to tapestry for you to watch.

We have been asked if we can collect; tinned meats (braising steak, minced beef, curry etc.), Rice Pudding, tinned fruit and veg, biscuits, long-life milk, tea, coffee, sugar, packaged ready to eat snacks, shower gel, toothpaste and toilet roll. Of course any donation is gratefully received, these are just examples of items they are short of.

Can children please bring in any donations on Wednesday Morning (they will be required to carry any donations to the church themselves) as we will not have space to store food. Thank You!

PFA News

Thank you to all who attended the PFA AGM on Tuesday night. The committee remains unchanged this year. If you'd like to help out either by joining the PFA or just being a 'helping hand' then please contact Cat Raitt—Chair by email at kcespfagmail.com. We are looking forward to all our upcoming events; we will keep you posted as soon as possible.

A couple of dates for your diary are:

31st October (Tuesday): Halloween dress up day £1, and a cake sale after school in the playground - cake donations will be much appreciated.

11th November 2023: Silent Disco - SAVE THE DATE (Over 18's only)

DIARY DATES

10th October—Wear Yellow Day

10th October—Parents evening

11th October - Harvest Festival

12th October—Parent evening

Wk Commencing 16th October - Year 6 TASC week

19th October—Year 4 Trip to Burghley House

19th October—Year 6 Class Assembly

20th October—POW Gallery for parents—further details to follow

20th October—School closes

31st October—Halloween Dress up day

8th November—Cross Country—further details to follow

8th November—Year 1 Trip—further details to follow

13th November— Individual and Sibling Photographs

17th November—Children In Need—More info to follow

17th November—Year 5 Space camp—further details to follow

Wk commencing 20th November—Year 5 TASC week

23rd November—KS1 Space camp—further details to follow

24th November—Year 5 Class Assembly

1st December —Whole school Flu vaccinations

11th December - KS1 & Reception Nativity

12th December—KS1 & Reception Nativity

18th December—KS2 carol Concert

20th December—School closes