



What a busy week! It was lovely to see lots of you at our open classroom session on Tuesday. I hope you enjoyed visiting school! It's great to see how hard the children have worked this week. Years 4 and 5 have thoroughly enjoyed beginning Band Time this week. In my Headteacher assemblies today I have discussed protective behaviours with the children. We have talked about how we all have the right to feel safe within school and how we can access different support networks available to us.

I hope you have a super weekend!

Rebecca Negrello

Macmillan Coffee Morning: Friday 29th September

We will be hosting our annual Macmillan coffee morning again from the Lodge. Bring in your donations on either Thursday 28th at pick up or on Friday 29th at drop off. Donations can be whole cakes or individual small cakes and this year there will be prizes for the best ones! Come along and buy from 8.30am on the Friday and stay for a coffee if you have time! They will also be on sale after school. This is a great cause so we'd like to raise a good amount of money.

Reminder

A reminder that the class teacher should always be your first point of call for all queries regarding your child.

Are you a Parent of a Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 Child?

Your child may already be having Universal Infant Free School Meals or a packed lunch from home.

Did you know you can get extra money (pupil premium) for the school which will help support your child in school, not just this year but for the whole time they are at school?

Please apply for 'income based free school meals' (*even though you are not paying for meals at the present time or they bring a packed lunch*) by following on the link below.

It's easy and will help us to support your child at school.

<https://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/services/schools-and-education/at-school/free-school-meals/free-school-meals.aspx>

We can also access additional funding for children who have been adopted or children of a Service parent. If this applies to you and your family please speak to Mrs Salt or Mrs Dudley in the School Office.

SEN support

Children with Stepping Stones or Steps to Success targets will have new targets written by the first week of October. Your class teacher will be in contact with you soon. These targets will be reviewed and new ones given in February 2018. The summer review will be in July 2018.

Homework Club

We confirm Homework Club has recommenced on Mondays and Wednesdays until 4pm. Please collect your child from the school office at 4pm.

After School Football Club – Yrs 5 & 6

For those who have signed up, Mr McKenzie's after school Football Club, starts on Tuesdays to 4.15pm, commencing 19th September until 5th December (not 17th Oct or 24th Oct).

After School Netball Club – Yrs 5 & 6

For those who have signed up, Miss Blackwell's after school Netball Club starts on Thursdays to 4.15pm, commencing 21st September until 7th December (not 19th Oct or 26th Oct).

Badminton Clubs – Yrs 5 & 6

For those who have signed up, Mrs Chapman's Badminton Club sessions are on:

Y5 before school @ 8am: 26 Sept and 3, 10, 17 & 31 Oct.
Y6 after school to 4.10pm: 21 & 28 Sept, 5 & 12 Oct & 2 Nov.
After these dates children will be invited to sign up again for further sessions.

All clubs are subject to changes/cancellations due to school events.

Secondary Open Evening

Kings Langley Secondary School are holding their open evening on 4th October 7pm – 9pm for anyone who is interested in visiting.

ALSA events this term:

26 September - committee meeting at Royal Oak, 8pm. All welcome
13 October* - Happy's Circus. 5.30-8pm on the school field.
17 October - committee meeting at Royal Oak, 8pm. All welcome
14 November - committee meeting at Royal Oak, 8pm. All welcome
21 November - committee meeting at Royal Oak, 8pm. All welcome
8 November* - Christmas Pudding Night
November (tbc) - School Disco
5 December - committee meeting at Royal Oak, 8pm. All welcome
10 December - Christmas Fair
16 December* - Panto (Aladdin at St Albans Arena). Hugely discounted ticket prices, including an ice cream!
* advance bookings only.

School Disco -

We'd like to re-introduce discos for the children. Can anyone recommend a DJ that would be able to do after school discos including bringing their own equipment (decks, speakers, lighting etc)? Please email alsacommittee@googlemail.com with your recommendations.

ALSA information -

We've attached a copy of the info pack that we give to new parents. It gives lots of contact details, booking info and some ideas how you can help when time and money are precious! Please take a look and get in touch if you have any questions.
Alsacommittee@googlemail.com

Upcoming Dates

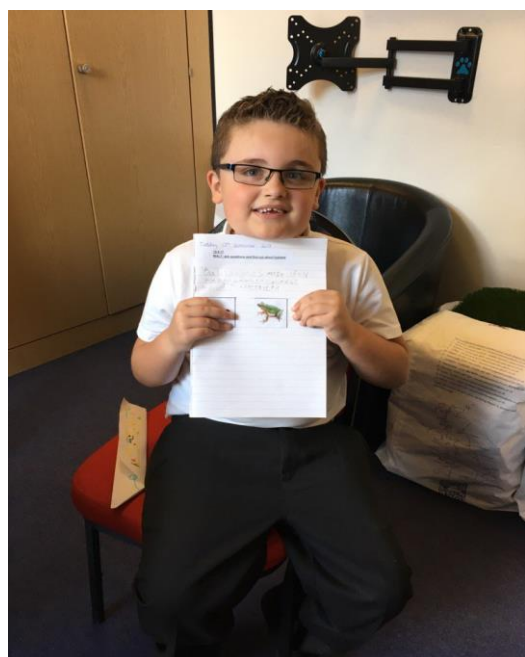
Macmillan coffee morning: 29th September
Parents evenings: Tuesday 17th October 5pm – 8pm
and Thursday 19th October 3.30pm – 6pm

Letters out this week:

Yr 6: Height & Weight Letter
All: (e-mail) Crossing Patrol Vacancies
Yr4: (e-mail) Tri Golf
Yr5: (e-mail) Fun Run



Our new Year 6 Captains in their 'Captain' hoodies.



Amazing Science work from Year 2.



Reception enjoying learning outside.