



Weekly Newsletter

Friday 16th October

Discussion of the Week

Harvest donations have begun to come in thick and fast. Whilst we are not making this a whole school event this year due to COVID, it is great to be able to participate in collecting items that we will be able to donate to others that need it during what has undoubtedly been a difficult time for everyone. Collections will be kept in classes and then transferred to the Food Bank at the King's Community Church.

In my visits to classes this week there has been lots of merits awarded, which all add up to equate to the merit certificates at multiples of ten. It has been fantastic to listen to children confidently talking about all the things that they have been learning and sharing their enthusiasm about this. All children are continuing to work hard, and it is great to celebrate all the different things we do well, whilst recognising there is different things that we all need help with and that this help looks different for each and every one of us.

Google Classroom

This week, you have been sent a link to a Google Survey which will help us to ascertain information about the use of Google Classroom as part of our plan to prepare to provide learning in the event of bubbles needing to close if this happens in our school.

A link has also come out to you about after school club provision. Whether you have used this ever before or intend to use it in future or not at all, your responses would be useful. Please note that this survey is not just for the families who have used Hedgehogs. It is designed to help us plan for future provision.

After School Club

We are in the final stages of procuring a new provider for After School Club. When this is finalised, I will let you know. I am still finalising, along with the support of our local authority personnel department, how this provision will be provided between Hedgehogs finishing and the new one starting. Apologies for not having this answer yet. I want to be able to clarify the final details before letting you know. Thank you for your patience with this.

Staffing update

Miss Smith, our Admin Officer, will be leaving us to go onto maternity leave shortly after October half term. Next week, Mrs Jenkins will be stepping in to the Admin Officer role for the duration of the maternity leave, working alongside Mrs Sampson in the office. We are also shortlisting to interview for a new Site Manager. I will keep you up to date with the outcome of this process.

We hope you enjoy a restful weekend.

Hayley Ferguson and Team Kings Copse

"Respect helps you have a warm feeling in your tummy that someone has listened. It's good to be safe and kind."

Fraizer (Y3)

Birthday of the Week



Margaret Thatcher

1925 - 2013

This week in assemblies we have been discussing how Margaret Thatcher was famous for being the first female British Prime minister.

Lost Property

We have an overwhelming amount of lost property here at school. If you think your child is missing an item of clothing or a lunch box please come and look in the box.

Thank you

Dates for Diary

21st October – School Photos

Individual ones only

19th October – Y6 Bikeability

26th – 30th October – Half Term

Outstanding Dinner and Breakfast

Club Money

Please make sure that any outstanding balances are paid and that if your child is having a dinner please can it be paid for in advance.

Thank you

Harvest Collection

Hedge End Food bank are continuing to collect all of their usual products.

They have asked particularly for tinned meat/fish/vegetable alternatives. We are happy to donate whatever you have available. **Thank you!**

INSET dates 12th February 2021, 7th & 8th June 2021