



THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Kingsland CE (VA) Primary School



# The Kingsland Times

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018



1 Thessalonians 5:11

*'Learn to Love – Love to Learn'*

Our Christian value for this half-term is **FRIENDSHIP**

Please help your child to reflect on the importance of this Christian value.

**Life at Kingsland CE Primary School: life in all its fullness (John 10:10)**

Hasn't this first half term flown by?! 'Living life in all its fullness' has definitely been a key feature over the last eight weeks, and will continue to do so as we approach the festive season. Thank you for attending parents' evening last week – having strong home-school connections is vitally important to supporting your child's learning and promoting a life-long love of learning. We wish you a relaxing and peaceful half term.



**PLEASE DO NOT PLAN HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME**

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### Children in Need

We shall be thinking about Children in Need on 16<sup>th</sup> November. Children will be able to wear spotty non-uniform on that day in exchange for a £1 donation. On that day, there will also be the first PTA disco of the year:

Classes 1, 2 and 3: 5.15pm – 6.15pm

Class 4 and 5: 6.30pm – 7.30pm

On Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November, we shall be having a “surprise” visit from a certain “yellow bear” at 8.30am. We are very aware that this is rather early! However, that is the time that we have been allocated by BBC Radio Hereford and Worcester. It would be great to have as many of the children there as possible.

### Choir

There are still places available in our new KS2 after school choir – Tuesdays from 3.15 – 4.30pm. If you would like to come, please book a place with the school office.

### Messy Church

Messy Church at Leominster Priory is on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October, Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November and Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December. 4-6pm or come straight from school. Messy Church is great fun for all ages. We have loads of messy activities to explore a Bible story, a short celebration with a Bible story, song and prayer and a cooked meal for everyone. There is no charge but donations are very welcome. Children must bring an adult with them. New people are always welcome. For more information contact Kathy Bland 07780 55571.

### Sport Scene

On Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October, a number of Year 5 children took part in a cluster football and netball tournament at Shobdon Primary School. The footballers drew one match and lost three. The netballers won two matches and lost two. It was a great experience for our Year 5 teams.



### Year 6s visit to EMC

On Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October Year Six went to Earl Mortimer College and Sixth Form Centre (EMC) for a STEAM visit (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Maths) to learn about planes and how they fly; we then went on to build our own group aeroplanes and test them to see which one flew the furthest.

Our projects (aeroplanes) were able to fly at least 100 yards as they were perfectly designed- of course! There were two teachers who were involved in helping us to understand and make the planes. We were then allowed to bring them back with us to Kingsland School.

It was a pleasure to visit EMC and we hope that we will be able to visit again.

Report by Ellie and James

## House Tokens

**Congratulations to the following children for achieving a house token!**

<b>Ambrey</b>	<b>Berrington</b>	<b>Croft</b>	<b>Mortimer</b>
Ellie	Ashton	Callum	Hollie
Dan	Ruben	Max	Poppy
James	Rory	Beau	Alan
Harry	Ollie	Eva	Nate
Lottie	Jamie	Sam	Austin
Aaron	Bonnie	Rosie	Jessica
Charley	Eve	Anna	Olivia
Malvina	Florence	Riley	Millie
Evie	Sienna	Lexi	Sophie
Ada	Scarlett	Harry	Lily
Darcy	Poppy	Lily	Harley
Peter	Flo	Ela	Rosie
Jacob		Ollie	
Jasmine		Maxwell	
Evie			
Miah			
Jacob			
Faith			



Congratulations go to the following children who have received Headteacher's Awards:

**Theodore** for super sounds and blending; **Malvina** and **Eva** for great descriptive writing; **Maizie, Evie, Hollie, Callum** and **Poppy** for super newspaper report writing; **Emily** for deep reflections in RE; **Jacob, Ollie, Ada, Flo** and **Flynn** for super progress with phonics; **Will** for great progress in maths; **Louise** for super art work – well done to you all!

## Science in Class 3

Class 3 experimented with jelly cubes. First, they had to pick the jelly cube up with chopsticks (tricky). Then oil was added to coat the jelly cube and they tried again to pick up the jelly cube (near impossible!). They discussed which was easier to pick up and why.



Class 3 sat on different materials when sliding down the new slide. They were investigating which material created the most friction and slowed them down.

We also used ramps and cars to investigate which material created the least friction.



### Dates for your diary

29 <sup>th</sup> October – 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Half term
21 <sup>st</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Y5/6 to Manor Adventure
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	PTA meeting 3.30pm
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	Y1/2 visit to the panto – oh, yes it is!
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA film night 3.30pm
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 visit to the theatre in Birmingham
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas dinner and parties
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas jumper day
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Nativity performance 1.45pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Nativity performance 1.45pm
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Christmas Service at Kingsland church 9.30am
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	End of term
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	Start of term
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	Y5/6/choir at Young Voices in Birmingham
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Winter Concert 6pm
18 <sup>th</sup> – 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	Half term
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	Parents' evening 3.30 – 6.30pm
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	Parents' evening 4.30 – 7.30pm
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	World Day of Prayer
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Service at Kingsland Church 9.30am

**The full 2018-2019 term dates can be found on the school website.**

Our Key Stage 1 children had a fabulous time at Queenswood this week!



### Shoeboxes

Mrs Priddy talked to the children yesterday about the annual shoebox appeal – please see the leaflet that went home with children yesterday. If you would like to donate a shoebox, please bring them to school by the 16<sup>th</sup> November.



# Halloween in Ceilidh

**WITH  
The EARDISLAND  
VILLAGE BAND**

*EARDISLAND VILLAGE HALL  
FRIDAY 26<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER  
Doors open 7.00pm*

BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS – GLASSES  
PROVIDED.

Tickets: £7.00 adults  
Accompanied under 16's £3.50  
Tickets from Eardisland Community Shop  
or call/text 07989 692472

