



THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Kingsland CE (VA) Primary School



# The Kingsland Times

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018

*'Learn to Love – Love to Learn'*



1 Thessalonians 5:11

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)**

**Welcome to a new school year!** We hope you enjoyed a peaceful and relaxing summer. It has been a busy time at school over the summer holidays – this edition of the newsletter will aim to summarise all that has been going on!

There has been furious work happening on three areas of the school – the playground, the electrics and the “Sunshine Room”. The school governors and staff were determined to use local contractors for the work – GP Thomas undertook the playground work, and haven’t they done a wonderful job?! Thank you! CF Roberts have upgraded all our electrics, installing new fuse boards across the school.

And the Sunshine Room ... well, the Sunshine Room is now the “**RAINBOW ROOM**” courtesy of the dedication and hard work of Mrs Southgate and her team who painted the walls, recovered the chairs and re-carpeted. This is such a kind gesture and the **RAINBOW ROOM** will be enjoyed by many children over the coming years – THANK YOU.



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

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## THANK YOU to all our DIY enthusiasts!

A huge 'THANK YOU' to everyone who helped with our Working Party in July to clear the playground ready for its transformation. The playground equipment was removed thanks to Mr Black and his digger; trees were cut back; the pond area was cleared; sheds were dismantled; the list is endless!

THANK YOU – Mr Black, Mr Marfell, Mrs Connop and Mary, Dr McKinzey and Ada, Mr Woodcock, Ms Burn and Harris, Mr Railton, Mr Hunt, Mr Davies, Mr Green, Mr Davis, Mrs Thorp, Mrs Bedford, Mr Young, and all the staff (many apologies if I have forgotten anybody!).



# The Story of the Playground Transformation ... in pictures



Underneath the large shed is an enormous attenuation tank, which stretches most of the way along the side of the playground. It is about 2m deep and is filled with lots of "crates", designed to hold water when it rains, so that the playground no longer floods.



# THE RAINBOW ROOM



THANK YOU  
Mrs Southgate!



We are truly blessed at Kingsland CE Primary School that we have such a wonderful school community – people who are generous with their time, skills and energy, and give to the school in many different ways. But all for one reason ... for the benefit of ALL our children. It is humbling to see such generosity and kindness, and on behalf of all the children may I say a huge THANK YOU for everyone who has contributed over the summer holiday period.

### **Dates for your diary**

Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	“Meet the teacher” meeting for parents 2.30pm
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> September	YR / Y1 Welcome Party at Kingsland church 2pm
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	Education Sunday 10.30am Kingsland Church
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Parents’ Information Evening EYFS / KS1: 4.30-5.30pm; KS2: 5.45-6.45pm
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	Concert given to children by Hereford 6 <sup>th</sup> Form College
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Festival at Kingsland church 9.30am
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents’ Evening 3.30-6.30pm
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents’ Evening 4.30-7.30pm
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
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Christmas Service at Kingsland church 9.30am
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	End of term

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

### **Tesco Bags of Help Grant Scheme**

Thank you if you have supported the Tesco Bags of Help Grant Scheme in Tesco Ludlow during July and August. We await to see how much funding we will receive from the scheme ...

### **Administrative Assistant**

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Juliet Simon to Kingsland CE Primary School. Mrs Simon will work in the school office on Thursday afternoons and Fridays.

### **New Parent Governor**

We shall shortly be advertising for a new parent governor ... watch this space!

### **Welcome**

We welcome new children to Kingsland at the start of the year. We have sixteen YR children who are beginning their exciting school journey. But we also welcome a few older children too ... Louise, Lexi, Riley and Hayden joined us just at the end of last term. This term we welcome Gwen, Henry, Jack and Jessica to the Kingsland “family”.

## Safeguarding

The following extract is taken from our school prospectus, available on the school website. Please note that the playground is not supervised before 8.50am, and school is not in a position to accept responsibility for children before this time. Breakfast Club is available from 8.00am, where children will receive a healthy breakfast in a safe environment. Please contact the school office if you wish to book your child into Breakfast Club.

## School hours, teaching time and breaks

Our school day starts at 9.00am and finishes at 3.15pm.

Children should not arrive at school before ...	8.50am
Children line up to enter the school building	9.00am
Registration	9.05am
Morning Break	10.30am - 10.45am
Lunchtime	12 noon - 1pm
KS1 Afternoon Break	2.30pm - 2.45pm
School finishes at...	3.15pm

Please ensure that your child is on the playground only 10 minutes before school starts. We are not in a position to accept responsibility for children before staff begin their playground duties at 8.50am. Similarly, please make every effort to meet your child at 3.15pm. Children will be kept safe in the school entrance if you are unforeseeably delayed.

## Stay and Play Club

Bookings for Stay and Play Club are now being taken – please contact the school office.

Timings and fees for Stay and Play Club will be as follows:

3:15pm up until 4.45pm: £6.00

3:15pm up until 5:30pm: £9.00

If a child attends an alternative after school club until 4.30pm and then wishes to join Stay and Play Club afterwards, a charge of £4.00 will be due for Stay and Play Club between 4.30pm – 5.30pm.

It is essential that the club is self-sustaining, and will require a certain number of children to attend in order to make it viable. If the club is not financially viable, the provision will have to be reconsidered.



### **Parking outside school**

In order to prevent an accident, we ask that you avoid parking / dropping off on the yellow zigzag lines outside the front of the school. We also ask that parents park respectfully and with consideration of our neighbours.

### **Education Sunday**

You are ALL invited to the Education Sunday service at Kingsland Church on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 10.30am. This will be a joyous occasion, so please do join us. There will be the opportunity for children to write / say prayers and to be involved in the service.

### **Breakfast Club**

Don't forget Breakfast Club is available to all children every day from 8.00am. The cost is £3.00 per session. Children will receive a healthy breakfast to set them up for the day ahead. Please book via the school office.

### **NEW Parent / Carer Declaration**

At the end of the summer term, you will have received a new parent / carer declaration form, requesting your permission to take photographs etc. If you have not already done so, please return these forms to the school office as soon as possible.

### **Information Meeting for Parents**

We shall be holding an 'Information for Parents' evening on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September:**

**EYFS and KS1: 4.30 – 5.30pm**

**KS2: 5.45 – 6.45pm**

This will be an interesting evening where staff will explain how teaching and learning in different subjects works at Kingsland. Three areas will be covered:

- **Teaching for Mastery in Mathematics**
- **Read Write Inc. and English**
- **General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR)**

Please do join us to find out more about how your child will be learning this year.

### **Meet the Teacher**

Parents are invited to "**Meet the Teacher**" on **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September at 2.30pm**. This will be an opportunity to meet your child's new class teacher, find out useful information about the workings of the class and ask any questions you may have. If you have more than one child at the school, please attend the class which you believe you know least about. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.



## Betty's Prize Bingo

in aid of Kingsland School Playground

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> September at Kingsland Coronation Hall

Doors open 6.30 pm – Eyes down 7.30 pm.

*Contributions of goodies to make up hamper prizes would be gratefully received e.g. toiletries, dried and tinned food, confectionary, bottles etc.*

*Please deliver them to your child's class by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September.*

*Your support is greatly appreciated.*

### After School Clubs

At the end of this newsletter you will find the After School Club booking form. We are pleased to be able to continue to offer a wide range of after school clubs. In order for the clubs to remain sustainable, we shall need to introduce a new charging structure, in line with many other local schools. We are lucky that we are able to use the expertise of quality coaches for our clubs (e.g. from Luctonians, Courtyard Theatre etc.). Currently, the cost of after school clubs is heavily subsidised by the school budget, and unfortunately this is no longer possible.

We shall be introducing a charge of £16.00 a term per child for each after school club. This equates to £1.60 per session. Payment will be required for the whole term at the same time as completing the enclosed return form.

We shall do our very best to ensure the clubs do not get cancelled. If, however, a club is cancelled by the school for bad weather, or other circumstances, children will need to be collected at normal school pick-up times, or they can be booked into Stay and Play Club (normal Stay and Play Club costs will apply). A Stay and Play Booking form is also enclosed. There will an opportunity at the end of each term to claim back costs where the school has had to cancel an after school club – please contact the school office at the end of each term.

Online payments can be made, accessed via the school website. We would not wish for costs to restrict any child's access to after school clubs – please speak to Mr Debenham in confidence if the costs are prohibitive.

The following clubs are FULL:

- Spotlight, Y3/4 football, Y5/6 football, art

The following clubs have SPACES AVAILABLE:

- Hockey (4 places available) – Y4/5/6 Tuesdays; Choir (unlimited places) – KS2 Tuesdays, Drama (5 places) – Y2 to Y6 Tuesdays; Steel Pans – Y5/6 Thursdays; Multi-sport (4 Places) – Y3/4 Thursdays; Netball (9 places) – Y4/5/6 Fridays

Please complete and return the After School Clubs form as soon as possible – places are allocated on a first come, first served basis. Online payments can be made via the school website. **After School Club places will be allocated once payment and completed forms have been received.**



# Stay and Play Club Booking



**Dear Parents / Carers,**

We are very pleased to be able to offer a new Stay and Play Club, providing after school child care provision. The club will start on **5th September**. It is essential that the club is self-sustaining, and will require a certain number of children to attend in order to make it viable. If the club is not financially viable, the provision will have to be reconsidered. The demand received from the consultation questionnaire sent out was high, so please do book in and use the provision.

## **Times and Fees**

There are three possible pick up / fee options:

- 3:15pm up until 4.45pm: £6.00
- 3:15pm up until 5:30pm: £9.00
- If a child attends an alternative after school club until 4.30pm and then wishes to join Stay and Play Club afterwards, a charge of £4.00 will be due between the hours of 4.30pm – 5.30pm.

## **Do they have to be regular bookings?**

Regular bookings in advance are advised to secure a place. However, we are happy to offer places on an ad-hoc basis as long as your child is registered with us and a space is available and payment is received.

Cancellations should be made 24hrs in advance.

## **How do I book a place for my child?**

Complete a Stay and Play Club Booking Form and return it to the school office as soon as possible with your payment. **Please TICK the days you wish to book and CIRCLE the pick-up time / fee option.**

Payments must be made in advance online or by cheque. We do not accept cash.



# Stay and Play Club Booking Form

Autumn Term (first half) 2018

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

W/C	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Total Cost Due
	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	
<b>03/09/18</b>	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)	
<b>10/09/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)	
<b>17/09/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)	
<b>24/09/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
<b>01/10/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
<b>08/10/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	

<b>15/10/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
<b>22/10/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9) attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	



# Stay and Play Club Booking Form

Autumn Term (second half) 2018

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

W/C	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Total Cost Due
	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	Tick to book	Pick up time (circle an option)	
05/11/18		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)	
		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)	
		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
12/11/18		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)	
		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)	
		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
19/11/18		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)	
		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)	
		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
26/11/18		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)	
		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)	
		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)		attending Stay and Play Club from 4.30 – 5.30pm (£4)	
03/12/18		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)		by 4.45pm (£6)	
		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)		by 5.30pm (£9)	

<b>10/12/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)	
<b>17/12/18</b>		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)		by 4.45pm (£6) by 5.30pm (£9)	

Half term: week beginning 29<sup>th</sup> October

After school clubs will start on 24<sup>th</sup> September

After school clubs will finish: week beginning 26<sup>th</sup> November



## Stay and Play Club Booking

Please sign to show you have read and understood the following:

- I agree to pay the fees promptly
- I agree to pick my child up promptly at the agreed time

**I understand that this booking form will form an official contract.**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Carer

Date \_\_\_\_\_









## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS



Autumn Term - 2018

Please complete one form for each child. Thank you.

Day	Tick	Activity	Activity	Session Times	Year Groups	Activity Starting	Teacher / Coach	Charge
<b>Monday</b>		Spotlight		3.15 – 4.30	Y1 - Y6	24 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	Mr Whitfield	£16 per term
		Football		3.15 – 4.30	Y4, Y5 & Y6	24 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	External coach	£16 per term
<b>Tuesday</b>		Hockey		3.15 – 4.30	Y3 & Y4	25 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	Mr Johnson	£16 per term
		<b>**NEW**</b> Choir		3.15 – 4.30	Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6	25 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	Mr Davies	£16 per term
		Drama		3.15 – 4.30	Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6	25 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	Ms Ellen Dorsett	£16 per term
		Art		3.15 – 5.00	Y2 & Y3 10 places available	25 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	Mrs Canning	£16 per term
<b>Thursday</b>		Steel Pans		3.15 – 4.15	Y6	27 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	Mrs Green	£16 per term
		Multi-Sport		3.15 – 4.30	Y3 & Y4	27 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	External coach	£16 per term
<b>Friday</b>		Netball		3.15 – 4.30	Y5 & Y6	28 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	External coach	£16 per term

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM AND TICK THE SESSIONS YOU REQUEST FOR YOUR CHILD. PLACES WILL BE AWARDED ON FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS. GROUP LISTS WILL BE POSTED ON LIBRARY WINDOW ON FRIDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER. THANK YOU.**

We shall be introducing a charge of £16.00 a term per child for each after school club. This equates to £1.60 per session. Payment will be required for the whole term at the same time as completing this return form. We shall do our very best to ensure the clubs do not get cancelled. If, however, a club is cancelled by the school for bad weather, or other circumstances, children will need to be collected at normal school pick-up times, or they can be booked into Stay and Play Club (normal Stay and Play Club costs will apply). There will an opportunity at the end of each term to claim back costs where the school has had to cancel an after school club – please contact the school office at the end of each term. We will email or text you to advise any changes due to inclement weather, or any other changes that are out of our control.

Please contact the school office if your child cannot attend any of the sessions. As a safeguarding measure, you will receive a call from the school office to confirm your child's absence. Thank you.

Child's Name:

Child's Class:

Parent/Carer signature:

Contact telephone number: