



# Kingsland CE Primary School



'Learn to Love – Love to Learn'

Newsletter – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2016

## Our Queen is 90!



It was a joy to celebrate with our nation the 90th birthday of Queen Elizabeth II. Our friends from Eardisland Church generously gave each school family a copy of the wonderful book, 'The Servant Queen' which we are sure will be appreciated by family members and friends of all ages.

Sarah Cameron-Swan and her team organised a Family Fun Day at The Angel which, despite the weather, was a happy time. We are most grateful for the £200 that was raised which will go towards project books for our school library, along with the £2 raised by Arthur Cave-Browne-Cave by selling lemonade. Thank you to Sarah, Arthur and all those involved.

It was great that some of you were able to enjoy a special service of gladness to mark the Queen's birthday that was held in Kingsland Church on Sunday evening. Special thanks to Dulcie Cross for her excellent bell-ringing and to Aeowyn Johnson and Matthew

***Headteacher's Awards*** have been presented to: Lily C for swimming; Alan, Miah, Charlie S, Olivia and Will S for maths; Erin for general knowledge and Hollie and Emily for writing.

## Class Three Visit to Madley Environmental

Yesterday Class Three went to Madley Environmental Centre. A lady called Louise told us what we were going to do. I was a bit annoyed about the weather. It was pouring! I really enjoyed the place because we did pond dipping. *Florence*

We created characters out of branches, thick logs, sticks and very squelchy mud. We used lots of natural materials. It was great fun! *Erin*

With our partner we had a clipboard and the freedom to run around and find story settings. Sadly, we had to leave but despite the rain we had a great day. I would recommend Madley. It was the best day and I really want to go there again. *Lily*





## Cluster Spelling Bee



We have been thrilled to organise and host the second cluster Spelling Bee competition. Pupils from Leintwardine, Luston, Orleton, Wigmore and Shobdon joined us to celebrate their excellent ability to spell and astounded the adults. Our school was represented by Hollie (Year 1), Ben (Year 2), Zach (Year 3), Noah (Year 4), Aeowyn (Year 5) and Jessica (Year 6). Hollie was the cluster Year 1 champion.

We are very grateful to Mrs Pritchard who organises this special event for pupils from our local schools.

## Year Four's Visit to Ludlow Castle



On Thursday 9th June, the Year Fours went to Ludlow Castle where we did lots of activities. One of the activities was dancing and the girls and boys had to hold hands, the boys were scared! The best activity was listening to Owean Leech (who would have been a Doctor in the middle ages). Abbey was judged to be the best screamer, so every time Owean said "it hurt a lot", Abbey had to scream! Also, Jess was the first person in 12 years to get one of his questions right. "What would you do if someone shot an arrow at you and the bullet head got stuck in your arm?" Jess replied, "push the arrow through your arm." We had lots of fun and would love to go again.

*Jess and Abbey*

## Class Five's Visit to Birmingham Art Museum

Class Five went on an exciting visit to Birmingham Art Museum to take a look at the precious Warfare objects that were found in 2009 in Staffordshire, by a man named Terry Herbert. It was an interesting trip in which we learnt lots of new facts to include in our projects objects found by the lucky man who received £3,300,000. We then had a well-deserved lunch and then did more activities. On the coach ride some of us enjoyed singing along to Buggy whilst others preferred to sleep! *Lainee and Phoebe*

## Kingsland School Equestrian Team



On Monday 12th June, we went to Lucton School to compete against other schools in dressage. Sophie with her pony Milly came 3<sup>rd</sup> and Phoebe riding Louis was 5th. Jess, Mary and Lily all rode great tests but although they were just out of the individual rosettes their scores ensured that the team came 2nd. Well done girls! Thank you Mr Powel for letting us go. *Sophie*

We had a great time on Monday at the dressage. (a set test around an arena). We came second and third as teams - with Sophie and Phoebe getting placed in the top six. Those not placed got "special" rosettes which was great. Despite the rain we had loads of fun with our friends and ponies. We were also congratulated by Richard Johnson (champion jockey). *Mary*

## Maths Challenge

On Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June, the maths team travelled to Hereford Cathedral School to participate in their annual maths tournament. There were six rounds, including a logic and math crossword. Even though we tried our best we were unable to retain the title, but still thoroughly enjoyed ourselves.

Thank you Mrs Connop for taking us. *Eti*

## Sports update

**Cricket:** On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, Kingsland played a hardball cricket match against Lucton; we beat them by 53 runs even though we didn't finish the match because the buses had to leave or the children would be late! *Eti*

On Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June, the cricket team played a kwik cricket tournament. We didn't win all our games but we all had fun and enjoyed playing it. *Rhys*

On Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June, we went to Wyeside to play a hardball cricket tournament. We played really well but unfortunately we did not get through. The whole team really enjoyed playing hardball. *Will*

**Rounders:** On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, some of the Year 5 and Year 6 girls played a challenging rounder's match against Lucton - who are an excellent team! At the end of a tense rounder's match the referee announced that Kingsland had won the match-the score was 12.5 to 11. It was an extremely close score. The most important thing was that we all enjoyed ourselves very much! *Sophie and Emma*



## Notices

- Sports day is on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June. KS1 at 10.00am and KS2 at 1.15pm
- Buggy tickets will be on sale, at the school office, from Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June. They will be limited to 4 per family for cast members and 2 per family for rest of school. If there are any spare tickets they will be available from Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June, with priority for Years 5 and 6
- Congratulations to Mrs Castanet who has achieved her Diploma in School Business Management

## DIARY DATES

- 20/6 6.00pm Manor Adventure presentation for Years 4/5
- 21/6 Sports Day 10.00am KS1  
1.15pm KS2
- 24/6 Class and Sports team photos
- 5/7 'Bugsy Malone'  
6.00pm Coronation Hall
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6.00pm Coronation Hall
- 20/7 9.30am End of Year  
Worship, Kingsland Church  
End of term
- 21/7 - 6/9 **SUMMER HOLIDAYS**
- 7/9 Autumn term starts

thank  
you!

To everyone who donated to Christian Aid week.  
£48.28 was raised.

**Messy Church** is on Thursday 23rd June at The Priory from 4-6pm. We will be outside if the weather is dry and we will be having a BBQ. Children must bring an adult. No charge but donations and cakes are always welcome! If you've never been before and would like to find out what it is all about, just come along or phone Kathy Bland on 01568 617516 for more information. All ages welcome.



*Our Value for June is:*  
**'Teamwork'**



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

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