

Dear Families,

It's hard to believe that we are now at the end of the first half of the summer term! What a blessing this weather has been although and it looks like it's set to stay for half term - enjoy but stay safe in the sun and if out in the countryside or on the water!

This week we were pleased to share with you the plans for leadership here at KC from September. I spent the day with Mr Richards on Tuesday at the Church School Heads' Day and he is incredibly excited to meet everyone and work with the KC team. We are lucky to

have Mr Richards work with us and I look forward to hearing of how the school continues to move forward and stretch beyond.

Many thanks for the words of support you have shown to Mrs Mackenzie too - I, like you, know that she will do an excellent job and will do so because she has the support of our families and team of colleagues here.

Over half term we are having a new sound system installed in the hall which has been kindly supported by our PTA and overseen by our IT technical support team. We look forward to seeing this in use in our assemblies and in our end of year events...

Enjoy the week ahead and I wish you a happy, healthy and safe half term.

Lee

#### Welcome to our new Governor

Welcome to Mr Craig Martin who joins our Governing Board as a community Governor.

He brings a wealth of experience as a former secondary school headteacher and a passionate educator. It is also lovely that he continues a special link with our school as his mum, Mrs Martin, taught some years ago so having him on the team is made that little more special.

#### **Sports Day**

EYFS - 22<sup>nd</sup> June (2pm start - King Charles Field)

KS1 - 19th June (1:45pm start - King Charles Field)

KS2 - 3rd July (1:00pm start - Tregenver Field)

Please be aware that parking around the school and Tregenver field is limited. We also ask that when parking to attend the events, you park considerately being mindful of our neighbours' garages, paths and driveways.

Access to the events on the school site will be via the Sunny Lane gates.



#### **Goodbye and Good Luck**

Last week we said goodbye and good luck to Mrs Keay who has been working in our school office this year. We thank her for all hard work and we know she will continue to shine in her new career.



#### **Commemorative Gift**

Today, your child will come home with their commemorative gift to celebrate King Charles III Coronation earlier this month. We hope everyone enjoys using their bookmark. Special thanks to the PTA who have contributed to the cost of these.









#### Ex-days! Years 1,2,3

"In our next Exday, we will be musicians learning about Rimsky Korsakov and The Flight of the Bumblebee."



### **ATTENDANCE**

#### This week's whole school attendance is 93%.

Class RA 92%	Class RB 93%
Class 1C 94%	Class 1H 97%
Class 2D 95%	Class 2S 96%
Class 3BC 94%	Class 3M 88%
Class 4E 96%	Class 4H 93%
Class 5C 89%	Class 5WS 92%
Class 6J 94%	Class 6T 95%



Well done to class 1Hwho are top of our attendance table this week with 97%

#### **Reading Karate**

Blue: - Nancy W,

Purple: - Ella W, Henry B, Maia S

Green: - Oscar D, Florence L,

**Black:** - Maeve W, Alma O, Horatio T, Ben B, Dylan PW, Evie H, Lotta M, Reuben C,

**Bronze : -** Dakota S, Wilbo A, Evie R, Anna K, Max R,

Silver: Annabella W, Penny H, Merryn H, Javis D, Iggy H



## Reading at KC

#### The Project Fairy

#### Written by Jacqueline Wilson

Reviewed by Isla M 6J

Mab's mum is obsessed with fairies, she named Mab after a fairy queen. Their flat is full of fairy ornaments, lights and furniture. Mab doesn't really love fairies but she knows they make her happy especially since dad left. When her class has to start a new project, Mab is given a book of Victorian fairies. She reads it with her Mum and little brother Robin but the drawings are nothing like the sweet fairies she has always thought of. One of the biggest surprises of all is that a tiny thing tumbles out of the book. Could fairies be real after all?

This book is great for anyone 6+

Rating



## Diary Dates

#### May

29th - 2rd - Half Term

#### June

5th - Inset Day

6th - Return to School

8th - Welcome parents evening

9th - Year 5 Geevor Tin Mine Visit

19th - KS1 Sports Day

19th - 22nd - Y6 Residential

22nd - EYFS Sports Day

#### July

3rd - EYFS Sports day

21st - End of Term

#### September

4th - Inset Day

5th - Return to School

#### October

23rd- 27th - Half Term

30th - Inset Day

#### 2024 Inset Days

3rd January

19th February



<u>Year Group</u>	After Half Term we will be learning (week beginning Tues 6th June)
Reception	We are looking forward to starting a new topic all about Under the Sea.
<u>Year 1</u>	As geographers, we are looking forward to using maps, globes and atlases to locate Greenland.
<u>Year 2</u>	As authors, we will be writing recounts about our holiday, thinking about writing in the past tense.
<u>Year 3</u>	As istorians, we can't wait to start answering our next big question, 'Why was the Roman empire so successful?' We can't wait to start learning all about the Roman army in preparation for our big battle! Good luck with the shield making.
Year 4	As historians, we are looking forward to investigating the past during the Tudor period.
<u>Year 5</u>	After half term we are looking forward to launching our new topic about Cornish mining with a trip to Geevor Tin Mine.
Year 6	As scientists we will be identifying the chambers of the heart.



## **Author of the week**

RA - Bella W & Tommy B RB - Zoe O

1H - Roscoe G 1C - Tessa MF

**2S -** Maia S **2D -** Ivy W

3M - Isla S 3BC- Arlo B & Evie R

4C - Tylor W 4H - Teddy P

5WS - Sennen C 5C - Reuben G

6J - Isla M 6T - Jack S

## **Shine Award**

RA - Alfred O & Lowen M RB - Monty B

1H - Oliver C 1C - Rose F

2S - Wilfred E 2D - Scarlett N

3M - Maisie D 3BC - Zander D & Jude M

4C - Jack Q 4H - Abe R

**5WS -** Zoe F **5C -** Riley R

6J - Delilah W 6T - Bella H

### Mathematician of the week

RA - Seb W RB - Jack G

1H - Amy W 1C - Leroy B

**2S –** Misha K **2D –** Vaga LK

**3M -** AJ G **3BC -** Maddie A

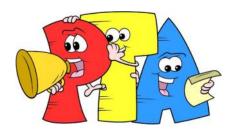
**4C -** Maeve W **4H -** William S

**5WS -** Batoul AQ **5C -** Ella W

6J - Summer L 6T - Leo S



# King Charles C of E (VC) Primary School WHERE EVERYONE SHINES



#### News from the PTA

We tackled the **overflowing Lost Property** chest this week. Named items were given to the School Office to redistribute to the right people/classes. Unnamed sellable items went to the Second-hand Uniform shed. Unnamed unsellable uniform was donated to charity. A variety of coats, hats and gloves were left in the chest and will be donated to charity in July if left unclaimed. To see **detailed photos** of what was sorted, look at our recent <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u> posts. So many items were unnamed or had unreadable, faded or blurred names in pen or sharpie, so please check your items are clearly labelled.

Thanks for your support with today's **Y6 Leavers' Hoodies Ice Lolly Sale** at pick-up! We'll let you know how much we raised when we're back from half-term.

We've had a few of you volunteer to **perform at the Summer Fair**, and we're excited for you to share your talents! If your child took part in **KC's Got Talent** or has a desire to perform, the show will take place on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July, between 12-1pm**. Parents/carers of children who'd like to take part will need to be on hand during the fair, as the performance will be run by parent volunteers. <u>Please get in touch if you'd like to take part in the entertainment!</u>

Thanks to the epic stapling and bundling skills of Josie and Penny Hustler, **Lucky Dip Bags** made their way to your children this week. Decorate them, if you like, and fill them with all the treasure you think your classmates might enjoy. If you're having a **Spring Clean** over the next month, please note the following items would be gratefully received in June:

- Assorted small toys (for the kids' tombola and Lucky Dip Bags)
- Adult tombola items, such as unopened fragrance and beauty products, bottles of wine or spirits, etc.

Beauty Bar products (nail varnish, temporary tattoos, face paints)

You can leave any of these items in the PTA trolley in Main Reception. Thank you for your support and have a wonderful half-term!