

Kingsway Infant School



NEWSLETTER 07

AUTUMN TERM

19th October 2012

Wonder Wall Question

Add one new thing to your playground to make it more fun.
What is it?

Ofsted Report "This is a Good School"

I was delighted to learn this week that the commitment, professionalism and hard work of all the staff and governors' at Kingsway Infant School was recognised and our school was judged to be 'Good' at our recent Ofsted inspection. The behaviour, learning and attendance of the children were all deemed to be good or in some cases outstanding - thank you parents for your support, it really makes a difference. We have already started making changes in the areas that Ofsted said we could improve on and will continue to progress and develop in all areas. A copy of the report was sent home with each child on Monday and is available online at www.ofsted.gov.uk, our URN is 117317 or from the link on our school website.

School Photographs

If you would like to place an order for family or individual photographs please return the order proof card with your payment by the morning of 26th October 2012 at the latest.

Harvest Collection – The Watford New Hope Trust

We are donating our harvest collection to the Watford New Hope Trust. The Watford New Hope Trust have been in to visit us today and explained to the children how they support disadvantaged and homeless people in the local area. Earlier in the week each child was given a card with a shopping list of food and non-food items that are essential to the Watford New Hope Trust as they are used on a regular basis. We hope you will be able to show your support however large or small and I look forward to seeing you all at our Harvest Festival next Friday – see separate letter or diary dates for times. Please send in donations from Monday 22nd October 2012.

Illness

If you suspect or know your child is suffering from a vomiting and/or diarrhoea type of illness please do not send them to school and **do not send them back to school for at least 48hrs after the last episode of vomiting and/or diarrhoea.**

Attendance for week beginning 8th October 2012

Late arrivals will be marked as unauthorised absence.

ORANGE	90.0%	RED	100.0%
GREEN	95.7%	YELLOW	97.7%
PURPLE	94.0%	BLUE	98.5%
		WHITE	99.2%

Congratulations Red class – 100%! 😊

Year 2 Gardening Club

The last session of the Year 2 Gardening Club will be next week, Thursday 25th October 2012. The club will end until the spring term when the brighter afternoons and better weather returns. We will let you know when the club starts again nearer the time.

Christmas Tree Decorations

We have a lovely big Christmas tree ready to be decorated at the end of next month and would like to adorn it with red and gold tree decorations. If you are sorting through your decorations and replacing them this year we would love to give any you no longer need a good home. We hope to have the tree ready around the end of November so if you are able to help please send in any red and/or gold decorations before then. *Thank you.*

Caroline T-Walmsley

Headteacher

Kingsway Infant School



SENT OUT THIS WEEK

Ofsted Report Recorder Club – Yr 2 only Choir Group	Harvest Festival letter Watford New Hope Trust Shopping List card
REMINDERS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Buy School disco tickets - last day to buy – 22nd October 2012 Harvest Festival 26th October – see letter or below for times 	

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

24/10/12	Disco 5-6pm all pupils welcome – please pre-purchase tickets BY 22ND OCT AT THE LATEST
26/10/12	9.15 – 10.00am Harvest Assembly - Blue class, Orange Class, Green Class 2.15 – 3pm Harvest Assembly - White Class, Purple Class, Red Class, Yellow Class School Council Charity Collection for New Hope Trust Families welcome
26/10/11	Break up for half term. Finish 3.05 pm
HALF TERM MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER – FRIDAY 2ND NOVEMBER 2012	

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

NOVEMBER	
05/11/12	Back to School
05-09/11/12	Anti bullying Week
05/11/12	Tom and the Trolls – visiting Theatre – Anti bullying puppet show – Yr1 and Yr2 only
14/11/12	Divali Workshops Help Your Child with Maths 6.00 – 7.00 pm
15/11/12	Help Your Child with Maths 2.00 – 3.00 pm (repeat of 14/11 session)
16/11/12	Children in Need - Dressing Up Day – 'Wear Something Spotty'
23/11/12	Non-Uniform Day – Donations for Christmas Fair – more details to follow
29/11/12	Yr 2 to sing Christmas Songs at Maple Leaf Café 3.00 – 3.30 pm – more details to follow
30/11/12	CHRISTMAS FAIR – 2.00 – 4.00 pm – all families welcome
DECEMBER	
06/12/12	Foundation Stage Christmas Performance Dress Rehearsal 9.30 a.m. Foundation Stage Christmas Performance 2.00 p.m.
10/12/12	Yr1 & Yr2 Christmas Performance Dress Rehearsal – pre-school age siblings + parent welcome
12/12/12	Yr 1 & Yr 2 Christmas Performance 2.00 p.m. – Entry by ticket only – no pre-school children Yr 1 & Yr 2 Christmas Performance 6.00 p.m. – Entry by ticket only – no pre-school children
14/12/12	Yr2 visit Junior School for Christmas Performance a.m.
17/12/12	Visiting Theatre - Nutcracker
19/12/12	Christmas Lunch and Class Parties
21/12/12	Non-Uniform Day £1.00 donation End of Term – School finishes early at 1.30 p.m.
SPRING TERM BEGINS MONDAY 7TH JANUARY 2013 – 8.55 A.M.	