

13<sup>th</sup> October 2017

**Deputy Headteacher Awards - Well Done to .....**  
 Dylan and George from Blue Class for their super story writing.



### Year 2 – Ball Skills and Fitness

This week in PE Year 2 children have been perfecting their ball skills and fitness in readiness for a mini competition with each other. After warming up with a game of Fox and Hounds the children moved on to do a circuit of steps, star jumps, jogging and skipping. Ball skills were next, they dribbled and bounced the ball around cones and chest passed to the next in their team. After they discussed what they did well and what they would like to do better.

### Year 1 – English

In English this week Year 1 children used the library to look at non fiction books. They were looking at the different features of the books, compared to fiction books, such as the index and contents pages.

The children selected a book and were shown how to use the contents to choose pages to read in the book they had chosen.



### Reception – Little Red Hen

After reading the story of The Little Red Hen together this week, where Red Hen found a grain of wheat and planted it to make flour and then bread, the children made their own bread roll.

The children made a list of all the ingredients they needed before starting and talked about making sure you followed the recipe in the correct order.



### DIARY DATES AUTUMN TERM 2017

#### **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October**

PCSO visit to Year 2  
 Parent Consultations from 3.30pm

#### **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October**

Parent Consultations from 3.30pm

#### **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October**

Volunteer Induction Meeting 1.45-3.00pm

#### **HALF TERM**

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup>-Fri 27<sup>th</sup> October

#### **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November**

School Disco 5.00-6.00pm

#### **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

Flu Vaccinations

#### **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November**

Deadline for ordering Christmas Cards

#### **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November**

Open Day

Quiz Night

#### **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November**

Anti Bullying Week

#### **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November**

Children in Need Dress Up Day

£1 or raffle prizes for Christmas Fair

#### **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November**

Road Safety Week

#### **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November**

Road Safety Assembly

Non uniform day – bottles & jazzy jars for Christmas Fair

#### **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November**

Film Night for Children

#### **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December**

Non uniform day – cakes for Christmas Fair

Fair

Christmas Fair 2.30-4.30pm

#### **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December**

Yr1 Christmas Performance 2.00pm

#### **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December**

Rec Christmas Performance 2.00pm

#### **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December**

Christmas Dinner & Parties

#### **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December**

Yr2 Christmas Performance 2.00pm

#### **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December**

Rocksteady Assembly

+ rocksteady parents

#### **AUTUMN TERM ENDS**

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm



## Harvest Festival

I hope those families who were able to join us for our Harvest Assembly today enjoyed listening to the children performing the songs and verses they have been learning. We were very proud of them.

Thank you to all our families who very generously supported our collection for Watford Foodbank. The foodbank helps feed local families in crisis and will be very grateful to receive our donations. The photograph shows our School Council pupils with all the donations we received.



## Friday Parent to Lunch Starts Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017

Would you like to join your child for Fun Lunch on a Friday lunchtime? Have you ever wondered what the lunchtime routine is? How big the portions are? What does the food taste like? If so come and experience it for yourself for only £3.20, starting Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017! If you are interested please contact the school office to make your reservation. Numbers are limited so booking in advance is essential. Payment in advance is preferable but can be made on the day (ring before 9.30 if you need to cancel). Please inform us beforehand if you have any special dietary requirements or food allergies.

## Safeguarding – Collecting from School

At the end of the school day children stay in the classroom until the adult who is collecting them can be seen by the teacher or teaching assistant. **It is school policy that children are not collected by anyone under 18 years of age.**

## Attendance

Orange and Green Classes both won the attendance cup last week, well done! Orange, Red, Blue and Green Classes all had brilliant punctuality with no late arrivals ☺

*Late arrivals will be marked as unauthorised absence. If you arrive late, after 8.55 am, it is important to sign your child in at the school office.*

<b>ORANGE</b> 🏆	99.0%	<b>RED</b>	93.1%
<b>GREEN</b> 🏆	99.3%	<b>YELLOW</b>	97.2%
<b>BLUE</b>	94.5%	<b>PURPLE</b>	93.4%

## Philosophy For Children (P4C)

### English Challenge

Can you recite the letters of the alphabet in order?

Is donating to charities a good thing to do?

What do you think?

**Reminder – all lost property items without a name will be disposed of at the end of this half term.**

**If you are missing any items please check before next Friday.**

## DIARY DATES

### SPRING TERM 2018

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January**

Spring Term starts

### HALF TERM

Mon 12<sup>th</sup>-Fri 16<sup>th</sup> February

### SPRING TERM ENDS

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March at 1.30pm

### SUMMER TERM 2018

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April**

Summer Term starts

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

Bank Holiday – School Closed

### HALF TERM

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> May – Fri 1<sup>st</sup> June

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June**

INSET Day – School Closed for Children

### SUMMER TERM ENDS

FRIDAY 20<sup>th</sup> July at 1.30pm

**23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> July**

INSET Days – School Closed for Children

**25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> July**

INSET Days – School Closed for Children

## Twitter

See what's happening at Kingsway!

Purple Class will be tweeting next week.



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@kingswayInfants

## School Photographs

If you are ordering through school please return your order with payment by **17<sup>th</sup> October at the latest.**

## Letters

**Sent Out This Week**

Photograph Proof Order Cards

Yr 2 Cooking Club

Cobwebs & Spiders Disco

Winter/Spring Menu

Christmas Art Competition