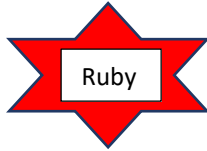


Weekly Newsletter: 17th May 2024

Our value this term is Enthusiasm.

Team Points Weekly Winners

Congratulations this week goes to:



Well done to everyone for earning their team points this week. There are always team points ready for anyone showing our values and following our Golden Rules. 😊

PCO Hazel Visit

Year 5 Tigers were transported to a British courtroom on Thursday with the help of PCSO Hazel, to act out the trial of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. The children wore wigs, set out the classroom like a real courtroom and had a jury of peers who discussed and gave a final verdict. As you might have guessed, Goldilocks was found GUILTY of trespassing, theft, and criminal damage. The judge sentenced her to five long years in prison, much to the delight of the whole Bear family.



★ Mrs Barlow's Handwriting Heroes ★

Nursery Turtles: Lyla

Reception Penguins: Avaya and Cydni

Year 1 Dolphins: Luca and Bertie

Year 2 Pandas: Sophia and Ivy

Year 3 Leopards: Leo and Hannah

Year 4 Jaguars: Lillie and Ellis

Year 5 Tigers: Oliver and Jessica

Year 6 Lions: Lampros and Maxwell

The children all received a certificate and enjoyed choosing a prize.



Healthy Families Course

NHS Knowsley are returning after half term for another 5-week Healthy Families Course. The sessions will run weekly each Thursday beginning on Thursday 13th June 2024 in school from 2pm – 3pm.

The course is designed to support families with children in Year 3,4,5 and 6 to make healthy lifestyle changes together.

Please see information with instructions on to sign up in the noticeboards.

Goodbye and Good Luck

Congratulations to Miss Jess who after two happy years at Knowsley Village is leaving us to start a new career. Her last day will be Friday 24th May. We wish her every



success.

SAT'S

Well Done to Year 6 Lions for working hard in their SAT exams this week. We are very proud of them all.



🏆 Weekly Attendance 🏆

Our weekly attendance target is 97%

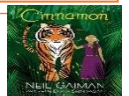
Class	Percentage
KV Penguins	95.3%
KV Dolphins	92.3%
KV Pandas	91.1%
KV Leopards	96%
KV Jaguars	87.2%
KV Tigers	92.7%
KV Lions	97.4%
Overall, School Percentage Attendance	93.1%

★ Well done to KV Lions who all enjoyed their attendance party today Excellent! ★

Book Review

***Cinnamon* by Neil Gaiman**

A stunningly illustrated modern fable set in India, Cinnamon is the story of a princess with pearls for eyes. She can't see and doesn't speak. Many people try to help her but it's only when a fearsome talking tiger befriends her, that her life is changed forever. A perfect choice for KS1 but an enjoyable read for all ages.



Dates for your diary

Monday 20th May – Reverend Hugh joining assembly.

Friday 24th May – PCO Hazel Year 6 Lions Careers talk.

Friday 24th May - End of Term (Normal finish time)

Monday 10th June - School reopens after half term,

Breakfast Club from 7:45am

Nursery door opens at 8.30am

Reception to Year 6: Classroom doors open from 8:40am

Monday 10th June – Friday 14th June- Phonics Check Year 1 Dolphins

Monday 10th June – Friday 14th June-Year 4 Jaguars Multiplication check

Tuesday 11th June – Year 6 Lions Judo Education Workshop

Thursday 13th June – Healthy Families Workshop Starts.

Class Curriculum Information

Homework information is on class Seesaw. For more curriculum information see school website.



This week Nursery Turtles have enjoyed learning about spiders. The children created their own spider webs by threading string. The children are continuing to enjoy our Read Write Inc phonics activities, they have learned 'm, a, s, t, d, i and n'. We have enjoyed sharing stories about different minibeasts.



Reception Penguins have enjoyed writing our 'Sunny Days' poems this week. We've had some excellent discussions about our senses on a sunny day. We have continued to watch our caterpillars grow and we're excited that they are now in their cocoons.



We have had another fun-filled week of learning in Year 1 Dolphins. In Geography we have used Google Earth to look at a birds eye view of our school as we start a new project exploring maps. In Maths they have been learning to identify a quarter of an object. In Art the children each created a house in the style of James Rizzi which we put together as a huge collage. We have continued to explore Toys in Space; writing our own letters and creating video messages using Green Screen technology. We created our own Hootopize hats and even had our own Toys in Space party during today's Golden Time.



This week Year 2 Pandas finished designing their beach huts which look amazing! The children have continued their English work around the book 'Tiny' written by Emily Gravett which they have thoroughly enjoyed. This week they focused on recognising and using the correct homophone or near homophone. Next week during science the children will be making bird food and feeders which is very exciting!



This week in Year 3 Leopards we have been working hard learning to tell the time on a digital and analogue clock and find durations of time. We have also researched roles in the Roman army and created our own letters from a Roman Soldier. Well done everyone.



Year 4 Jaguars have enjoyed learning all about teeth and dental hygiene this week in Science. We are continuing to work on our times tables in preparation for our Multiplication Tables Check when we come back to school after the half term. Thank you for your support!



Year 5 Tigers have had a very busy week investigating, crafting, acting and writing. We had a very messy but productive art session creating our own recycled paper using our brand new paper frames. We investigated dissolving and thermal conductors in our science lessons and practised our discus throwing in PE. In English we have begun to plan and write our leaflets about saving the coral reefs -the culmination of several weeks work.



Year 6 Lions have been working extremely hard on their SATs this week. The children have all arrived early each day, to have breakfast together, showing great maturity and determination in their approach to the tests. We are so proud of the children and they all enjoyed a well deserved party and fun Friday to end the week. Well done Year 6 Lions 🌟