

# The Kingfisher School Newsletter 25th April 2024

Term 5: Issue 6



# **Dear Families**

Welcome back to Term 5. We have had a busy start to the term with lots of different events already!

It was lovely to see so many families at our Eid celebration last week. Thank-you to everyone who helped make the event such a great success! I know the children really enjoyed it. We hope to organise more events like this in the future.

Last week, Pine and Willow Classes had a fantastic Roman Day – read on to find more about this exciting event! I have to say I absolutely loved the outfits – everyone looked amazing.

There are quite a few dates for your diary this year so please make a note of these.

Claire Barker Acting Headteacher

# **Roman Day**

Pine & Willow had a great start to the term with their Roman Day! We launched our history topic - What did the Romans do for Great Britain? We looked at the life of a Roman Soldier, made shields and talked about how the Romans extended their empire. We also thought about daily life, including making some coarse ware pottery and some honey biscuits. We discussed how historians and archaeologists use evidence and artifacts to understand how life was lived before living memory.





# **Diary Dates**

Thursday 2nd May -Polling Day

Tuesday 7th May -Headteacher Q & A

Wednesday 8h May -Year 5 Science Trip

13th - 17th May SATs Week

Friday 24th May -Last Day of Term

### **BANK HOLIDAYS:**

Monday 6th May

#### **INSET DAYS:**

Monday 24th June

Monday 22nd July

Tuesday 23rd July

# **Eid Party**

A big thank you to all parents who attended the Eid Party last Thursday.







# **Easter Hat Winners**

A big thank you to Keeley for organizing this. Well done to those children who won a prize.



# **Year 6 SATS Breakfast**

This will be held in the hall every morning of SATS week at 8am.

# **Entrance Lobby**

Please remember to be respectful of all users of the entrance lobby for Kingfisher School, Venturers Academy & St Anne's Park Children's Centre. Please do not block the entrance or reception windows while waiting.

# **Bristol Half Marathon**



Hannah Hughes (from the office) is running the Bristol half marathon on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May. Having never run that far before it's quite a challenge! The money raised will be split between local Bristol charities supporting those in poverty, and International Justice Mission who work worldwide to end modern slavery. If you would like to find out more about this speak to Hannah in the office. And if you see her hobbling around the school it's because of all the training she's having to do!

## Absence

If you are taking your child out of school for a medical appointment, please make sure to provide evidence to the school office.



# **Play Park**

A reminder that the play park is not to be used before or after school.

# Medication

Please remember to bring any medication for your child to the office, as you will need to fill a form out for consent. It needs to be in its box with the prescription label.



### **Attendance**

We are now doing an attendance raffle at the end of each term. If your child has 100% attendance at the end of the week, a raffle ticket gets put into the draw at the end of term. The more weeks they have with 100% attendance the more tickets in the draw and the higher the chance of winning a prize.



### **Term Dates**

<u>Term Dates - The Kingfisher School (kingfisherschoolbristol.org)</u>