



Dear Parents,

Dates for Diaries

Next Week

Tuesday 25th January-Y5/6 Mixed Hockey Tournament 12-3.30pm at Langley Boys.

Wednesday 26th January- Parent Forum meeting 9-10am in the Dome.

Future dates

Tuesday 1st February-2.30pm PTA meeting in the dome.

Monday 7th February-**1.30-6pm Parent Consultations**. Please note school will close at 1.15pm. There will be no after school clubs.

Tuesday 8th February-Safer Internet Day-Workshops

Wednesday 9th February-Y2 Scootsure Training am.

Thursday 10th February-**3.30-8pm Parent Consultations**

Friday 11th February-Inset Day School closed to pupils

Half Term Holiday-**Monday 14th –Friday 18th February**

Tuesday 22nd February- Provisional PTA school disco TBC.

Awards

The Spike Trophy (for attendance and punctuality) Was awarded to Y4. Well done!

Silver Awards-were awarded to Ben C and Leela (Y6)

Times Tables Rock Stars

Congratulations to the following children who were awarded a certificate for the highest improvement in accuracy in their class.

Y3-Dora

Y4-Mason

Y5-Evan

Y6-Kyle

Congratulations to the following children who were awarded a certificate for the highest improvement in accuracy across KS2.

1st Mason Y4

2nd Ava Y5

3rd Dora Y3

School News

Sports for Champions Visit

Today, former Great Britain basketball player Pierre Henry Fontaine visited Keston.

He led an assembly to the whole school during which he showed a video of him playing basketball and he then held a question and answer session.

Each class then took part in a fitness circuit. Thank you for all your generous sponsorship money. We raised £331.32 for the school.

Friday 11th February

Please note that school will be closed to pupils on Friday 11th February for the Aquinas Inset Day.

Nourish Competition

Congratulations to LJ (Y4) who won the Nourish Sudoku puzzle competition. She will be awarded her prize next week.

Parking

I was made aware again this week that still people are parking over residents' drives which is totally unacceptable and inconsiderate.

Under no circumstances should driveways be blocked in anyway. Residents must be able to access their property at all times. Thank you

Covid self-isolation changes

If you have a positive result from either types of covid tests

People who are self-isolating now have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a LFD test on both day 5 and day 6, and they do not have a temperature. If they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their setting immediately on day 6. If the result of either of their tests are positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is the earliest.

Health Week

We have a number of parental contributions outstanding. If you are able to make a donation of £10 we would be very grateful. Payments should be made on school gateway.

Parent Consultations Bookings

Online bookings are open. Please go to www.kestonce.parentseveningsystem.co.uk or follow the

link on the school website to book. Bookings will stay open until 6pm on Wednesday 2nd February. Parent consultations will be Monday 7th Feb from 1.30pm-6pm and Thursday 10th Feb from 3.30pm-8pm. **School will close at 1.15pm on the Monday and there will be no clubs that day. We close at 1.15pm to allow for 15 minute sessions per child.**

Community News

If your child enjoyed taking part in the Karate sessions in Health Week there are some leaflets in reception for classes in Coney Hall, Warlingham and Caterham.

Have a lovely weekend!

Julia Evison
Head Teacher