

20th October 2023 - No. 467

A message from Mr Witts, Executive Headteacher

Once again I would like to thank you for your continued support and encouragement towards the staff at Kingsnorth Primary School.

This has been a challenging term, managing significant illness of children and staff, an unexpected water leak, the installation of a new boiler system and dealing with some strange weather for the time of year. This week, the weather has definitely turned, just in time for the half term!

We have seen so much learning from our children this term. It has been a pleasure to talk to children about their Anderson Shelters in Year 6, the Harvest Festival that Year 2 performed was fantastic, watching our youngest children in Year R settle into their primary school career and watching the children enthralled with our Rocksteady workshop.

We are so thankful to our PFA and the local community for the wonderful fireworks we can expect on Saturday 04 November. Please get your tickets in advance from the PFA.

If you know any children due to start school in Reception next September, please share the date for our Open Evening – Wednesday 22 November 5:30-6:30pm. Parents will be able to book tours on the evening.

We really hope you all have a restful and peaceful break and that the children are able to come back fully refreshed and reenergised for Term 2. This is always a fun term with Christmas to look forward to at the end of it.

Happy holiday!

Things to Remember

Year 5 - PE block week is the week after half term (31.10.23 - 03.11.23). The children will need to bring their PE kit on Tuesday so they can change into their kit at school.

Christmas cards order deadline is Friday 3rd November.

A reminder that the deadline to complete Secondary school applications is Tuesday 31st October.

School Photos are being sent home today, orders to be completed online.

Dates for the Diary

30.10.23 - No school - Development day
03.11.23 - PFA non-school uniform day
04.11.23 - PFA Fireworks night
6th - 10th November - Y6 PGL Residential
17.11.23 - Children in Need - Odd sock day
22.11.23 - Open Evening for New YR
23.11.23 - 3G Class Assembly
24.11.23 - Parent Device Safety Workshop
28.11.23 - Flu Vaccinations
01.12.23 - PFA non-school uniform day
02.12.23 - PFA Christmas Fayre
05.12.23 - Pantomime show in school

ACHIEVEMENTS

Learning Award

1A Freya H, 1M Amelia-Rose C, 2H Alvin G, 2K Henry S, 3B Jess S, 3G Elizabeth M, 4C Jessica M, 4MP Jemima F, 5N Evan L, 5R Lucie T, 6C Josie K, 6L Adam O

Values Award

1A Alexis W, 1M Paisley N, 2H Ahan S, 2K Grace S, 3B Honour A, 3G Ethan M, 4C Chelsey C, 4MP Isabella R, 5N Isabella B, 5R Diar M, 6C Cameron T, 6L Ted W



The trophy this **term** is for the most read minutes each week.

This week the trophy goes to **6L**

House Points

Beckett	706
Dickens	694
Churchill	862
Harvey	785
Holmes	696
Shakespeare	666

CONGRATULATIONS TO
CHURCHILL
This week's Winners

School News

On Monday 30th October there is no school due to a Staff Development Day.

FSM vouchers have been issued. No holiday voucher this term, they will be issued ahead of December break.

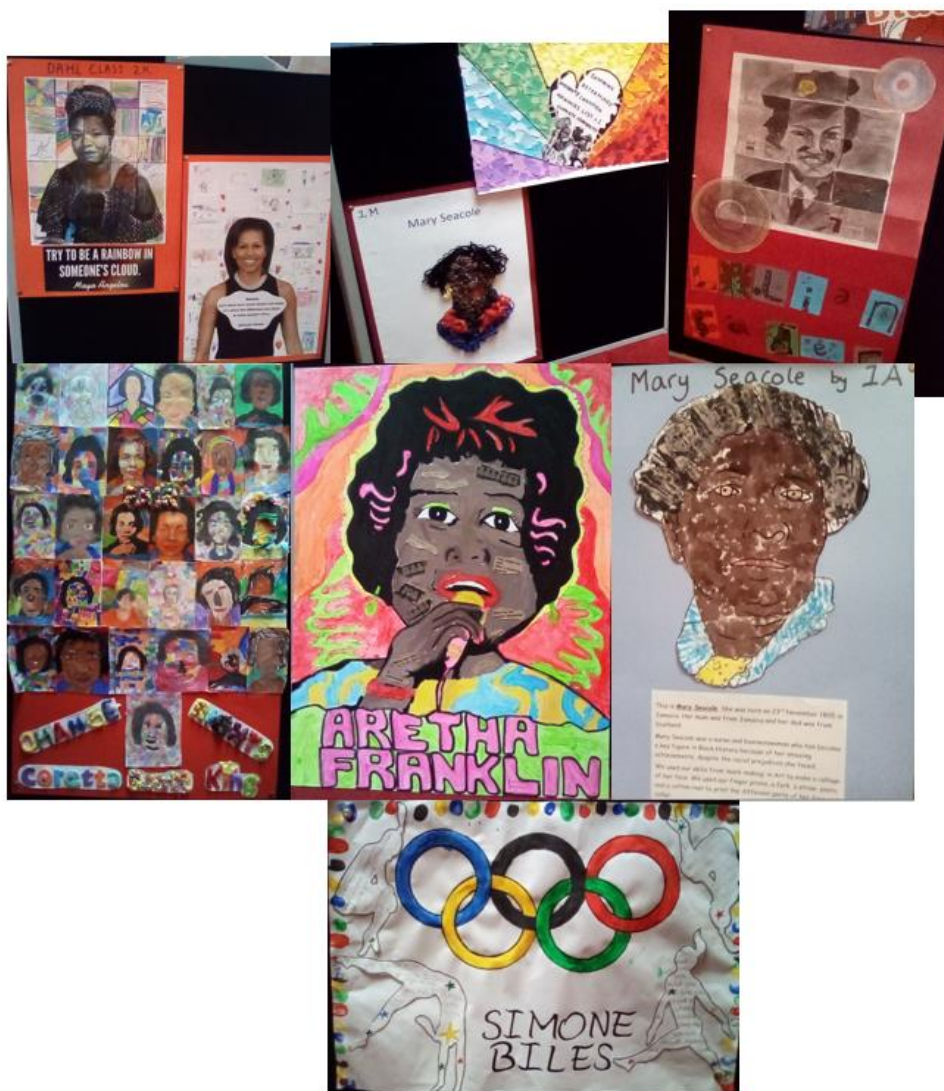


As we work towards making our playtimes more exciting, no matter what the weather, we need some equipment to help us to do this. Donations of any of the following would be greatly received:

- Dressing up clothes / items (in good condition)
- Small toys (farm animals/ dinosaurs / dolls / cars / Lego/ wooden toys)
- Suitcases
- Large cardboard boxes
- Fabric (Sheets / Saris / Curtains)

Black History Month

October is Black History Month, and theme this year is “Saluting our Sisters” – celebrating the power, courage and determination of black women who have fought to have their voice heard and who have been inspirational. Children across the school have been learning about the achievements of these inspirational women, and have created some fabulous art for our display to showcase their learning!



CONTACT
US

Main Office: 01233 622673

Email: office@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk

Breakfast Club: breakfastclub@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk

After School Club: Vanessa 07749 280043/ 01233 713813

Caterlink Catering: kitchen@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk

KMAC Uniform: www.kentschooluniform.com

If your child tests positive, please email the school: cv19positive@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk

Website: www.kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk

School Mobile: 07415 026209

PFA email: kingsnorthschoolpfa@gmail.com



We were pleased to welcome back Pastor Ian Fowkes from Bright City Church, who was overjoyed to receive such a generous Harvest Collection from the Kingsnorth School Community. Thank you for your compassion and kindness.
Mrs Riseley and the Worship Leaders.



Harriet in Year 5 competed in the British Taekwondo Poomsae National Championships on Sunday at the University of Worcester.

Harriet won the gold medal for her age and belt category which qualifies her for a trial with the Great Britain team.

This is an amazing achievement! Well done Harriet

