

5<sup>th</sup> December 2025 - No. 550

## ACHIEVEMENTS

### Learning Award

RF - Marnie T	RH - Ellia S
1A - Ace T	1B - Wilfred C
2K - Ibrahim A	2M - Harrison H
3G - Ace M	3H - Emilia B
4N - Frankie M	4S - Freya-Rose H
5B - Oliver R	5T - Elizabeth Mo
6C - Isabella R	6L - Elisa & Primrose

### Value Award

RF - Myla C	RH - Ron V
1A - Edward A	1B - Axel T
2K - Noah Bre	2M - George S
3G - Rosie-Rouge O	3H - Sophia W
4N - Aiden A	4S - Yanny R
5B - Mya B	5T - Isabelle L
6C - Albert R	6L - Max T

### House Points

Beckett	1871
Dickens	1728
Churchill	1721
Harvey	1672
Holmes	1681
Shakespeare	1486

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO**

### **BECKETT**

**This week's Winners**

### Hot Chocolate Friday

Year R - Cayson R  
Year 1 - Maia D  
Year 2 - Gracie B  
Year 3 - Harry L  
Year 4 - Daisy W  
Year 5 - Olivia S  
Year 6 - Thea H



### Dates for the Diary

10.12.25 - EYFS Nativity to parents @ 2pm  
11.12.25 - EYFS Nativity to parents @ 2pm  
11.12.25 - Panto to the whole school  
12.12.25 - PFA Christmas Disco - tickets via Classlist  
14.12.25 - PFA Christmas movie - tickets via Classlist  
15.12.25 - Rocksteady concert to parents  
17.12.25 - Christmas Jumper Day  
17.12.25 - Christmas Dinner Day  
17.12.25 - Carols around the Tree @ 15.30  
19.12.25 - Last day of Term - **13.30 Finish**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> Dec - 2<sup>nd</sup> Jan - Christmas Break**  
05.01.26 - **Staff Development Day - NO SCHOOL**  
06.01.26 - Term 3 Begins  
08.01.25 - Y5 swimming begins

### School News

Breakfast Club - a polite reminder that children should not bring their own food due to allergies. Please contact the school office if you have any questions.

Year 6 enjoyed a fantastic visit from a local historian this week. They learned all about how WWII impacted the local area, including the bombing that took place nearby and how the area was affected. This workshop links directly to their History learning this term and has really helped bring the topic to life.



A big thank you to Centrica British Gas this week who donated over £2500 worth of equipment and a day of labour to revamp Year R's messy area. A new sand pit and mud kitchen along with fencing and safety bark was installed for the children to use in their outdoor play. This supports so many areas of all our Year R children's learning and development and we are hugely grateful for this.



# Reading for Pleasure

## Book of the Year!

The Café at the Edge of the Woods, by Mikey Please. 'The Café at the Edge of the Woods bursts with charm and delight, juggling the delicious and the disgusting through addictive rhymes and exquisite illustration. Sweetly slapstick and quirkily surreal, it crams silliness and splendour into every tiniest detail.' BEA CARVALHO, HEAD OF BOOKS



## Kingsnorth Vocab Challenge

This week's word is **squander**

Remember, if you can use it in your writing correctly, show your teacher and you'll earn 2 house points for completing the challenge. Try and talk about the word around the dinner table or with your friends.

The more you say it, the more you'll remember it!



## Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

**squander**  
(squan-der)

Word Class  
(verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

### Definition:

If you squander money, resources, or opportunities, you waste them.



Shahib didn't want to **squander** his time playing games.

Synonym:

waste  
throw away

Antonym:

save  
hoard

Prefix / Suffix:

-ing  
-ed

Rhyme:

wander  
ponder

Link Word:

money  
time

This year, each class has chosen a special Christmas carol to inspire their Advent door decoration. Together, children and staff are using these carols to reflect on the meaning of Christmas and to prepare for the season with joy and creativity. The doors are already looking wonderfully festive and are helping us all to share in the excitement of Advent.



5B It Was  
On A Starry  
Night



5T



6C  
Silent  
Night



6L

O Come, All Ye Faithful



**Kingsnorth PFA  
Newsletter**

**Kingsnorth School PFA  
Annual Christmas Fayre**

5.12.25



*Festive treats*

*Carol singing*



**Tomorrow  
11am - 1.30pm**



*Santa's grotto*



*Festive Games!*



**PFA CHRISTMAS MOVIE  
SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER  
@11AM SCHOOL HALL**

**£4 ENTRY & FREE  
POPCORN!**



Tickets via Classlist events

**Christmas Discos**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December**

Tickets available on Classlist now

**Lower Disco Years R, 1 & 2 @4.30 - 5.30pm**

**Upper SILENT disco Years 3 -6 @6-7.15pm**

