

13<sup>th</sup> March 2026 - No. 560

## ACHIEVEMENTS

### Learning Award

RF - Ruby P	RH - Harry B
1A - Phoebe G	1B - Gracie W
2K - Noah B	2M - Nathan C
3G - Vito C	3H - Ethan N
4N - Millie T	4S - Niamh C
5B - Oliver R	5T - Grace S
6C - Ellie W	6L - Felicity R

### Value Award

RF - Phoebe C	RH - Arthur P
1A - Joshua J	1B - Jensen HC
2K - Arthur G	2M - Hayden W
3G - Carter S	3H - Thomas J
4N - Tommy M	4S - Sophie M
5B - Jess S	5T - Ali D
6C - Amelie F	6L - Emerson C

### House Points

Beckett	2969
Dickens	2705
Churchill	2783
Harvey	2684
Holmes	2790
Shakespeare	2646

**We are rolling over the house points to next week**

### Hot Chocolate Friday

Year R - Ivy-Rose  
Year 1 - Ethan F  
Year 2 - Finley R  
Year 3 - Harry L  
Year 4 - Tegh R  
Year 5 - Harry S  
Year 6 - Lottie H



### Dates for the Diary

16.03.26 - KS2 Author visit  
17.03.26 - Y6 Parent SATS meeting at 15:30  
20.03.26 - PFA Bend the rules Day  
20.03.26 - PFA Spring Disco - tickets via Classlist  
20.03.26 - Y3/4 Learn to ride - Bikeability  
W/C 23.03.26 - Y4 Level 1 - Bikeability  
23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> March - 4S Parent Consultations  
24.03.26 - School Class Photos  
30.03.26 - Rocksteady Concert to parents  
30.03.26 - Ashford Mobile Library visit  
31.03.26 - Y4 Easter Performance @ 9am  
02.04.26 - End of Term 13.30 finish  
03.04.26 - **BANK HOLIDAY**  
6<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> April - **EASTER HOLIDAYS**  
20.04.26 - Term 5 Begins  
04.05.26 - **BANK HOLIDAY**  
6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> May - Y4 PGL residential trip  
07.05.26 - Y3 PGL day trip

### Spirituality Reflection

Can you think of something in school or at home that you help to look after?



## School News

A reminder, as part of our school policy and therefore home school agreement, children should NOT wear make-up or nail varnish to school. A wrist watch and stud earrings are the only pieces of jewellery permitted for health and safety reasons.

Please can we ask that when the gates open at 08.30, that children do not play ball games, tag or play on the playground equipment before coming into the classrooms. This is for the Health and Safety of all children.

### TT Rockstars Weekly Tournament

#### Y2 & 3

3G are our winners this week with 3.963 correct answers  
Congratulations!

Our top contributors this week:

1<sup>st</sup>: James DK 3G

2<sup>nd</sup>: Freddie B 3G

3<sup>rd</sup>: Hope G 2M

#### Y4, 5 & 6

The winners this week were 5B with 750 correct answers.  
Congratulations!

Our top contributors this week:

1<sup>st</sup>: Samuel X 5T

2<sup>nd</sup>: Faith S 4N

3<sup>rd</sup>: Thomas W 5B

The winners of the 'Shelfie Competition' for World Book Week last week are:

David J, Primrose A, Emmie T, Gracie-Faith MW and Edie B for guessing them all correctly. The children with the highest score in Y3 was Amelia C and in Y4 were Florence and Aubree.

They have all won a book token for the book vending machine.

The overall winner was Ava W who received a **£10 book token**.

Congratulations to everyone who took part!



# Reading for Pleasure

## Weekly Book Recommendations



**KS1 - Hank goes Honk by Maudie Powell-Tuck.** Hank, a loud and disruptive goose, struggles with his behaviour and its impact on others in the book. His disruptive actions, such as interrupting conversation and causing chaos, lead him to realise the value of being considerate. This book addresses themes of friendship and empathy, offering a light hearted approach to understanding and improving social interactions.

**KS2 - The Elementals: Wanzu sets Sail by Love Ssega.** Wanzu lives on Sealand, where every child is linked to an element: air, water, earth or fire. When storms bring the threat of flooding, he leads a perilous rescue mission beyond the island in this distinctive fantasy adventure. An unforgettable, magical first chapter book for Year 3 children.



**KS2 - The Violet Veil Mysteries by Sophie Cleverly.** When Violet's father is arrested for crimes he did not commit, she is thrust into a world of intrigue and ghostly goings-on. Violet is determined to walk in her father's footsteps and one day run the family firm. With fast paced plotting, short chapters and a strong female protagonist, this story is ideal for upper KS2 murder mystery fans.

## Kingsnorth Vocab Challenge

This week's word is **accumulate**

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: **accumulate**

Pronunciation / Syllables

(ac-cu-mu-late)

Word Class  
(verb)

### Definition:

When you accumulate things or when they accumulate, they collect or are gathered over a period of time.



Esther had **accumulated** many gymnastics awards.

Synonym:

gather  
collect

Antonym:

dissipate  
scatter

Prefix / Suffix:

-ed  
-tion

Rhyme:

cumulate  
stimulate

Link Word:

gradually  
knowledge

This week Year 5 have been looking at how the Earth moves around the sun and how it spins on an axis. They created mini models of the earth and used torches to represent the sun. They then acted out how the planet moved.



On Wednesday and Thursday we were delighted to welcome the mums of our YR children into school for a special Mother's Day event. The children and their mums spent time together making beautiful photo frames, creating lovely keepsakes to take home. Everyone then enjoyed tea and cake together, making it a warm and memorable occasion for all involved.

We would like to wish all mothers and the special women in our community a very happy Mother's Day.





# Kingsnorth PFA Newsletter



**Next Friday (20th) is  
Bend the Rules Day!**

**Children can wear:**  
Own clothes/shoes  
Temporary Tattoos  
Nail Varnish

**Have Crazy hair styles/colour!**  
Children are invited to bring in a donation  
for our Easter Raffle Hampers  
in their House Colour! Thank you!

**Easter Discos  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March  
Tickets on sale NOW  
via Classlist**



**Easter Movie  
HOP**

@3.15pm

**Thurs 19th March**

School Hall

Tickets Via Classlist



Friday  
20<sup>th</sup> March

## PFA Bend the Rules Day

School Rules

1. Wear School Uniform
2. School Shoes only
3. No Crazy Hair styles
4. No Hair colour
5. No nail varnish
6. No temporary Tattoos



Bring in something  
from your  
house colour for  
our  
Easter Raffle  
Hamper!



### Easter Raffle Draw

during collective worship

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March**

Please return all ticket counterfoils and  
payments by 26<sup>th</sup> March

Prizes include our very popular House Colour  
Hampers and days out vouchers for  
Easter/Summer!

