

# Kings Worthy

Primary School

## Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Carers,

### Remember, Remember The 5<sup>th</sup> Of November

Not wanting to let a chance to celebrate a national event pass them by, the year Rs celebrated Guy Fawkes Night during their time in the woodland walk this week. They made firework pictures out of natural resources, and by rolling conkers coated in paint and straws to blow paint. But best of all, after a safety talk, everyone who wanted to, had a sparkler. The children were so sensible and well-behaved and thought about the way they sound, smell and look as they tried to make shapes and letters from their names with their sparklers. They especially liked the hissing sound they made as they were immersed in the bucket of water at the end! What a fun morning! (*written by Mrs Windram*).



### Indian Dance Workshop

Yesterday, Year 4 took part in an amazing Indian dance workshop. First, we shared what we already knew about India and then we learned a little more about dance styles including that Indian dance is a form of street dance. I didn't know that. We were taught a complicated routine with really cool modern Indian music. The highlight for some of us was the colourful costumes and noisy bells. I'll be practising this routine when I get home.

(Gabriel, Thalia and Naomi 4B)

I loved watching the year 4s do their routine – it was so long, with so many moves to remember – great job year 4 (Mr Dodson)



## Pumpkins on parade!

Despite the fact that we were unable to enjoy everyone together after school in the Woodland Walk every class still managed to get down to see the amazing pumpkins that so many of you worked on over half term. As usual, I was blown away by the effort that had gone into each one and we took as many pictures as we could.

Thanks to Mr Carr for preparing the Woodland Walk so we could see them in all their glory. Fingers crossed that this time next year we will be back to enjoying the pumpkins together.



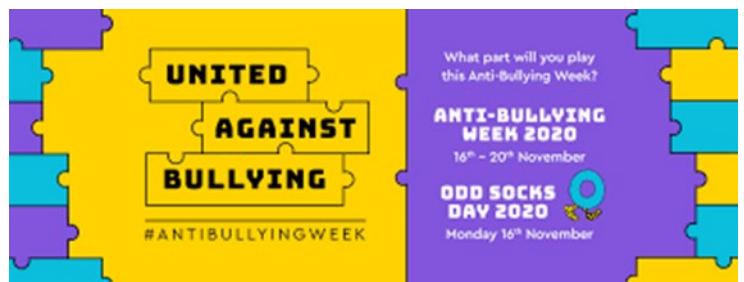
## Anti-Bullying Week

From **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November** we will be taking part in anti-bullying week. The theme this year is '**United Against Bullying**' and as a school we hope to support themes of kindness, friendship and support for each other.

The week will start with odd socks day where we would like to invite all the children to wear odd socks to school to celebrate everyone's individuality and uniqueness.

Throughout the week, there will be assemblies and age appropriate activities and discussions that we aim to continue throughout the year ahead and beyond.

**"We're all a piece in the puzzle, and together, we're united against bullying."**



### Google Classroom update

Many of you will have noticed a new folder on your child's Google classroom account entitled 'Self-isolation tasks'. For years R and 1 the folder can be found in the documents section on your Tapestry account. These are home learning tasks that will get your child started should you find that you need to self-isolate due to reasons related to COVID-19. Individual work will be set through your child's online account from day 3 of your self-isolation period and Mrs O'Sullivan, not their class teacher, will check in with these children via their online accounts while they are at home. Please note that these tasks only need to be completed if you find your child needs to self-isolate.

### Mark Making Session

Next **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November** there is due to be a parent information session for Year R parents about mark making. There will be further information next week in regards to how you can access the session. We plan to upload the PowerPoint to either Tapestry or our website, where you can listen to the information shared at a time most suited to you.

### Remembrance Day

Poppies have been on sale this week and will continue to be sold next week. Thank you for your donations so far.



### Coats

Now that the weather is turning colder and wetter I will be asking teachers to check that all children have coats at break and lunch time. Children always have the opportunity to ask a member of staff if they can take their coat off if they are warm after running around. Please ensure that your child brings a coat into school every day.

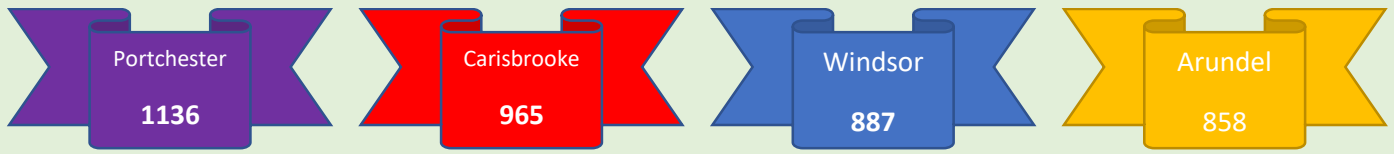
### BBC Children in Need

We will be supporting 'Children in Need' on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November**. The theme this year is, 'Together, we can change lives'.

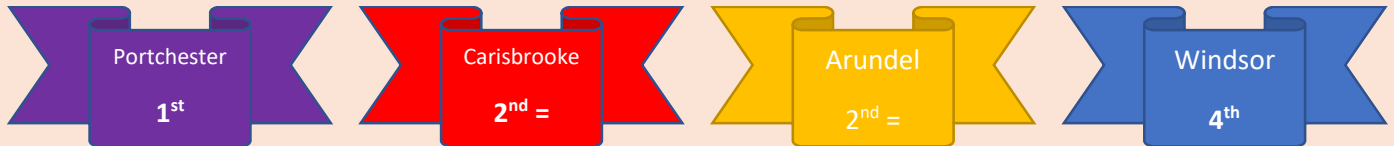
To support this, for a donation of £1, we would like to encourage the children to come to school in their own 'sporty' clothes ready to get moving - should you wish to put a spotty twist on this please feel free! All donations will be sent to 'Children in Need'. Together, we can support thousands of children and young people and help change lives.

<https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/schools/primary-school/>

## House Points – Week 8



## House Points – Termly Placing



Jamie Dodson  
Headteacher

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020/2021

AUTUMN TERM			
<b>November</b>			
<b>Mon</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>		<b>INSET DAY</b>
Tue	3 <sup>rd</sup>	11:00—15:00	School reopens for children Pumpkin walk (children only)
Wed	4 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	5 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Year 4—Indian Dance Workshop
Fri	6 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Flu vaccination
Sun	8 <sup>th</sup>		Remembrance Sunday
Mon	9 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	10 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am 6.00pm	Mark Making information session for Yr R parents Mark making information session for Yr R parents
Wed	11 <sup>th</sup>		World Science Day
Thu	12 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Year 3—Winchester Cathedral Workshop
Fri	13 <sup>th</sup>	All day	'Children in Need' non-uniform day
Mon	16 <sup>th</sup>		ANTI-BULLYING WEEK
Tue	17 <sup>th</sup>	1-3.00pm	Year 3/Year 4 School Football Competition (year group bubbles)
Wed	18 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	19 <sup>st</sup>	1-3.00pm	Year 5/Year 6 School Tag Rugby Competition (year group bubbles)
Fri	20 <sup>th</sup>		
Mon	23 <sup>rd</sup>		
Tue	24 <sup>th</sup>	All day	School photos – main hall
Wed	25 <sup>th</sup>	All day	'No pens day' Wednesday
Thu	26 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	27 <sup>th</sup>		
Mon	30 <sup>th</sup>		
<b>December</b>			
Tue	1 <sup>st</sup>		
Wed	2 <sup>nd</sup>		
Thu	3 <sup>rd</sup>		'Dress as you please day' - PTFA
Fri	4 <sup>th</sup>	All day	PTFA Christmas Fair
Mon	7 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	8 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Year R Christmas Play rehearsal
Wed	9 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am 1.30pm	Year R Christmas Play performance <b>1</b> Year 1/2 Christmas Play rehearsal
Thu	10 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am 1.30pm	Year R Christmas Play performance <b>2</b> Year 1/2 Christmas Play performance <b>1</b>
Fri	11 <sup>th</sup>		Christmas Jumper Day
Mon	14 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am 2.00pm	Year 1/2 Christmas Play performance <b>2</b> M & M productions – 'Peter Pan' (tbc)
Tue	15 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	16 <sup>th</sup>		
Thurs	17 <sup>th</sup>	am/pm	School Christmas lunch
Fri	18 <sup>th</sup>	1.15pm	END OF TERM
<b>Christmas Holidays</b>			
<b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> December – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> January</b>			

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020/2021

SPRING TERM			
<b>January</b>			
Mon	4 <sup>th</sup>		School reopens for children
Tue	5 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	6 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	7 <sup>th</sup>	am	Parent/helper information for reading volunteers
Fri	8 <sup>th</sup>		
Mon	11 <sup>th</sup>		Clubs start (10 weeks → Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> March)
Tue	12 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	13 <sup>th</sup>		Termly newsletters distributed
Thu	14 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	15 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	5A class assembly
Mon	18 <sup>th</sup>		Reading volunteers to start this week
Tue	19 <sup>th</sup>	1.30 to 3pm	Year 1/2 School Gym/Dance Competition
Wed	20 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	21 <sup>st</sup>		
Fri	22 <sup>nd</sup>		
Mon	25 <sup>th</sup>		'500 words' assembly launch
Tue	26 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	27 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	28 <sup>th</sup>	1.30 to 3pm	Year 2/3 School Football Fun Competition
<b>Fri</b>	<b>29<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>INSET DAY (3) – COMMON CLOSURE DAY</b>
<b>February</b>			
Mon	1 <sup>st</sup>		Children's Mental Health Week
Tue	2 <sup>nd</sup>		
Wed	3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.00pm	Parents' Meeting (Year 6) – SATs
Thu	4 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	5 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	2S class assembly
Mon	8 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	9 <sup>th</sup>		Safer Internet Day
Wed	10 <sup>th</sup>	1-2.30pm	Year 5/6 School Basketball Competition
Thu	11 <sup>th</sup>	1-2.30pm	Year 3/4 School Netball Competition
Fri	12 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	6K class assembly
BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM			
HALF TERM			
Monday 15 <sup>h</sup> – Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February			

Mon	22 <sup>nd</sup>		School reopens for children
Tue	23 <sup>rd</sup>	All week (3.30pm – 4.00pm)	Book Fair
Wed	24 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	25 <sup>th</sup>	1-3pm	Year 3-6 School Exhibition Sports Matches
Fri	26 <sup>th</sup>		
<b>March</b>			
Mon	1 <sup>st</sup>	3.50-6.50pm	Book Week Parent Interviews (1)
Tue	2 <sup>nd</sup>		
Wed	3 <sup>rd</sup>		
Thu	4 <sup>th</sup>	3.50-6.50pm	WORLD BOOK DAY – theme to be confirmed Parent Interviews (2)
Fri	5 <sup>th</sup>		
Mon	8 <sup>th</sup>	3.05pm	Oratory Cup launch
Tue	9 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	10 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	11 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	12 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mother's Day Share-a-story
Mon	15 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	16 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	17 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	18 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	19 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Red Nose Day
Mon	22 <sup>nd</sup>		Oratory Cup performances in classes Last week of clubs
Tue	23 <sup>rd</sup>		
Wed	24 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	25 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	26 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am pm	6C class assembly Oratory Cup Final
Mon	29 <sup>th</sup>		
Tues	30 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	Y3/4 Dress rehearsal
Wed	31 <sup>st</sup>	9.15am 2.45pm	Y3/4 Easter performance (1) Y3/4 Easter performance (2)
<b>April</b>			
Thu	1 <sup>st</sup>	1.15pm	END OF TERM
Fri	2 <sup>nd</sup>		<b>GOOD FRIDAY</b>
<b>Easter Holidays</b> <b>Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April</b>			

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020/2021

SUMMER TERM			
<b>April</b>			
<b>Mon</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>INSET DAY (4)</b>
Tue	20 <sup>th</sup>		School re-opens for children
Wed	21 <sup>st</sup>		
Thu	22 <sup>nd</sup>		
Fri	23 <sup>rd</sup>		
Mon	26 <sup>th</sup>		Clubs start (10 weeks → Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> July)
Tue	27 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	28 <sup>th</sup>		Termly newsletters distributed
Thu	29 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	30 <sup>th</sup>		KS1 SATS test period (throughout May)
<b>May</b>			
Mon	3 <sup>rd</sup>		<b>MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY</b>
Tue	4 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	5 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	6 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	7 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	1W class assembly
Mon	10 <sup>th</sup>		<b>Year 6: KEY STAGE 2 SATS</b>
Tue	11 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	12 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	13 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	14 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am 3.30-7.30pm	4S class assembly PTFA Summer Festival
Mon	17 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	18 <sup>th</sup>	6.15pm	Parents' Meeting Year 6 residential
Wed	19 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	20 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	21 <sup>st</sup>	9.15am	3M class assembly
Mon	24 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	25 <sup>th</sup>	1-3pm	Year 1/2 School Football Rounders Competition
Wed	26 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	27 <sup>th</sup>	1-3pm	Year 4-6 School Cricket Competition
Fri	28 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am 3.30pm	Rabbits class assembly BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM
<b>HALF TERM</b>			
<b>Monday 31<sup>st</sup> – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June</b>			



June			
Mon	7 <sup>th</sup>		<b>INSET DAY (5)</b>
Tue	8 <sup>th</sup>		School reopens for children
Wed	9 <sup>th</sup>	All week 6.15pm	WHOLE SCHOOL ART WEEK Parents' Meeting - Year 5 Camp
Thu	10 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	11 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	5R class assembly
Mon	14 <sup>th</sup>		Healthy Living Week Year 1 Phonics screening check week Year 4 Multiplication Check (3 week window opens today)
Tue	15 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	16 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	17 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Sports Day (including family picnic)
Fri	18 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am 9.00am	1H class assembly Father's Day 'Share-a-story' (Father's Day Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> June)
Mon	21 <sup>st</sup>		
Tue	22 <sup>nd</sup>		
Wed	23 <sup>rd</sup>		
Thu	24 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	25 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	Hedgehogs class assembly
Sat	26 <sup>th</sup>		Year 5 Camp
Mon	28 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	29 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	30 <sup>th</sup>	am	'Shuffle Up' morning
July			
Thu	1 <sup>st</sup>		
Fri	2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.15am	3A class assembly
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 9 <sup>th</sup>			Year 6 residential
Mon	5 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	6 <sup>th</sup>		
Wed	7 <sup>th</sup>		
Thu	8 <sup>th</sup>		
Fri	9 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	Annual reports to parents 2W class assembly
Mon	12 <sup>th</sup>		Last week of clubs
Tue	13 <sup>th</sup>	All day	Year 6 leavers day event
Wed	14 <sup>th</sup>	12.30pm 3.45pm – 5.00pm	School Council Thank you lunch Open evening for current parents
Thu	15 <sup>th</sup>	All Day	Sports Day (alternative date)
Fri	16 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am 5.00-10.30pm	4B class assembly PTFA – Woodland Wonderland Evening
Mon	19 <sup>th</sup>		
Tue	20 <sup>th</sup>	7.00-9.00pm	End of year production 1 (Hope Church Winchester)
Wed	21 <sup>st</sup>	7.00-9.00pm	End of year Production 2 (Hope Church Winchester)
Thu	22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.15am pm 6.00-8.00pm	Year 6 Leavers Assembly – school House Rounders Competition (Year 6) Year 6 Farewell Party
Fri	23 <sup>rd</sup>	9.15am 1.15pm	Year 6 Leavers Assembly – parents (tea and coffee available afterwards) END OF TERM