



# NORTH KIDLINGTON SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER No: 6

North Kidlington School inspires and develops every individual to enjoy, achieve and succeed



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back to the final half-term of the year! I cannot believe that in just over seven weeks it will be the end of the school year and we will be looking forward to the summer holidays!

I know that we have a very busy term ahead of us with lots of activities planned both during and outside of the school week. Here's to a great last term of the 2016-2017 academic year and hopefully the famous British weather will be kind to us this year!

### OUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Can you (or do you know anyone who can) spare a few hours a week to help to maintain our areas of foliage and some very low level maintenance? If you can help then please let the School Office know. Thank-you

### PARENT MAIL

If you have not already done so please download the Parent Mail App to your phone. This will then enable you to see a lot more information more quickly than relying on your e-mail. It is really quick and easy to download via your phone's app store or by typing in Parent Mail App into your preferred internet search engine.

### PARENT PAY

You can now use Parent Pay to make payments to school. This is a brand new method for payments and hopefully payments will go through smoothly! Thank you.

### CHEQUES FOR SCHOOL

Please can you make sure that cheques for school dinners or swimming sessions are made out to Oxfordshire County Council and NOT O.C.C. All other payments e.g. trips, uniform etc. need to be payable to North Kidlington School. Thank you.

### SAINSBURY ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

Please hand in any Sainsbury Active Kids Vouchers to the School Office by Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June

#### ★ CLASS STARS OF THE WEEK! ★

Well done to the following Class Stars of the Week:

**FSU:** Max McMahon & Sienna Sollis.

**Year 1-2:** Olivia Andrews, Esme Brouwer & Maria Buda.

**Year 3-4:** Rosie-May Bingham-O'Shea, Evelina Giorgi & Zaid Yaqub.

**Year 5-6:** Kalista Collins, Leo Ford & Adam Riseley.

#### 8 SILVER BOOK CERTIFICATE 8

Congratulations to Brian Brown, who received a Silver Book Certificate this week.

#### SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Congratulations to Josh Elston, George Page, Adam Riseley, Bella Turnock, Ollie Fellows, Luke Rouse, Hugo Stone, Sam Kordbacheh, Stanley Haynes, Ruby Smith, Alice Gardener, Rhys McMahon, Harry Elston & Oliver Wiggins, who all received a Sporting Achievement Award for sporting participation outside of school.

#### ✍ WRITING WIZARD ✍

Congratulations to Lucia Garcia-Coin, Louis Pepper & Maggie Pittam, who received a Writing Wizard Certificate.

#### MATHS MAGICIAN

Congratulations to Leo Cara & Erin Dickinson, who both received a Maths Magician Certificate this week.

#### ✍ CREATIVITY AWARD ✍

Congratulations to Charlie Spicer, who received a Creativity Award this week.

#### SCOOTERS/CYCLING

The riding of bicycles, scooters and skateboards is not allowed on school grounds due to the risk of injury to pedestrians. Please dismount before entering the front or back gates. Thank you.

### NKS HAS GOT TALENT

Tickets are available from the School Office for £1.50 per person. **TICKETS WILL ONLY BE SOLD BEFORE FRIDAY AND ONLY PEOPLE WITH TICKETS WILL BE ADMITTED ENTRANCE.** This is due to very strict fire regulations and we need to know how many people will be attending before the event.

### FONKS-SURPRISE FATHER'S DAY GIFT WRAPPING

FoNKS will be providing a Surprise Father's Day Gift Wrapping service for children wanting to give their Father a surprise gift on Father's Day. For **£2.00** children will be able to buy and wrap their gift on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017. This service will run during the school day and each class will have an allotted time so that the children can have the chance buy and wrap a gift for their Father. Thank you.

### CLASS ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGES (W/C 22-05-2017)

*The National Average is 97.00% and we are aiming for a whole school attendance of between 96.00-97.00%*

Class	Attendance (%)
Apple	92.27%
Ash	91.72%
Maple	98.33%
Oak	95.33%
Cedar	94.58%
Chestnut	95.83%
Willow	96.30%
Acer	98.52%
Beech	96.30%
Pine	97.50%
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>95.48%</b>

Well done to **Class Acer** who achieved 98.52 % attendance!

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## EVENTS HAPPENING SOON

### **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Start of 2<sup>nd</sup> Half of Summer Term 2017.

School open for all pupils.

### **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> -Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Year 3/4 Reading Assessments

### **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

NKS Has Got Talent

### **Monday 12<sup>th</sup>-Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Year 1 Phonics Testing Week

### **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

BAGS 2 SCHOOLS – Please your bags to the

Infant Hall by 9 a.m.

### **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Year 5/6 Sex Education Workshops

### **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Full Governing Board Meeting

### **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Years 3-6 Fire Safety Talk

### **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>-Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Year 3/4 Maths Assessments

### **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Sept 17 FSU New Starters Open Afternoon

### **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Year 5/6 Kwik Cricket Tournament

### **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

FoNKS Father's Day Gift wrapping Event

Gary Kemp  
Head Teacher

5<sup>th</sup> June 2017