KSJ Fortnightly Flyer



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to our new look fortnightly flyer. Please find details of upcoming events and dates for your diaries.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Mles Jones

Harvest Service

Our Harvest Service will be held at St John's Church, Kingsley on Thursday 9th October at 9:15am. Parents and carers are very welcome to join us at this time of thankfulness and gratitude. Donations of tinned or dry goods for the local foodbanks would be very gratefully received.

Friday 3rd October 2025

'Believe in the light, whilst you have the light, so that you may become children of light.' John 12:36

Congratulations

A huge well done to Amina in Y6 who completed her first triathlon with an amazing 4th place and a smile on her face. This is a great achievement and there are plans afoot for her next race with continued support from our other triathlete Mrs Heald.



Open Day

We are holding an open day on Saturday 11^{th} October for prospective reception 2026 pupils and parents.

We would be grateful if you could spread the word, we welcome the chance to show off our amazing school and increase the size of our school family.

We are also opening up our Friday afternoon Forest School sessions to pre-school children and their parents. Any interested parties can contact Mrs Bennett in the office.





Social Media

Thank you to those families who are so proactive in supporting our social media presence. We now have Twitter, Facebook and Instagram pages. We are encouraging our families to share our tags and posts. Sharon has been busy liking and reposting this week. Mrs Gibson is looking for who will win this week – please encourage friends and family to follow our school pages.



https://www.facebook.com/Kingsleystjohns/ X @ksjceaided

PTA

Friends are holding their ever-popular spooky party on 23rd October. Please see Sharon or Sarah for more details. The next meeting will be at school on Friday 10th October at 3:30pm and it would be lovely to see some new faces-all are welcome.

CAULIFLOWER CARDS

Christmas Card Project raising money for our School





Our KSJers have been busy creating their Cauliflower Christmas cards this week. They will be coming home shortly for you to order your cards, wrapping paper, gift tags etc. Instructions for ordering will be sent home along with your child's artwork. School receives a percentage of the money raised so you can be organised, Christmassy and support our school.

Parents Evenings

We will be holding our autumn term parents evening on the 22^{nd} October for Falcons and Barn Owls and the 21^{st} October for Wrens. Appointments will be available to book nearer the time via School Spider.

SEND parents evening will be with Mrs Gibson on the 4th November.

Secondary School Applications

Secondary applications for our current Y6 need to be completed by $31^{\rm st}$ October to be considered on-time. This can be done via the admission portal via the CWAC website. Notification of offers will be 2 March 2026. The process is the same for all our Y6 pupils including those with EHCPs. The closing date for Reception 2026 applications is $15^{\rm th}$ January 2026.

Punctuality

We now have an improved system in school for our entry management on the gate, school door and hall doors. These are programmed for key times in the day to be unlocked. The main gate will be open from 8.35am. It will also open again at the end of the day. Just a reminder, also, that the school day begins at 8.45am when the children line up on the school playground. There are a range of important systems in place in the morning that support the children significantly.

Late Collection

Whilst we appreciate that there are times when we are all unavoidably late, we have had to review our late collection procedure. From Monday 6^{th} October any child who is still at school 10 minutes after pick up will be placed into Buddies and charged accordingly. Many thanks for your support in this.



Please could we ask that all parents take care when travelling to and from school and when parking. The speed through Kingsley Village is 20 mph once you reach Pike Lane. Please also be mindful of our neighbors when parking at the beginning and the end of the day. Many thanks for your support.

Attendance

This week's whole school attendance is 95.12% Our whole school target is 95% Thank you for your support

Dates for your diary - Next Week

Monday	Football After School Club-Mr Jones
Tuesday	Swimming Y4,5,6.
Wednesday	Lego Club
Thursday	Harvest Service at St John's Church 9:15
Friday	Group A Forest School, Celebration Worship, PTA meeting

Save the Dates

Saturday 11 th October	Open day for prospective Reception 2026 parents 10am-12pm
Wednesday 22 nd October	Parents Evening - appointments will be on School Spider nearer the time.
Friday 17 th October and 7 th November	Parent workshop with Rory Roberts - all welcome see Mrs Gibson
Friday 31 st October	Closing date for secondary applications.
Tuesday 4 th November	SEND Parents Evening - appointments will be on School Spider nearer the time.