# The Royal News



Friday 9th 2023

### Headlines

It's been wonderful to see the sun shining brightly as this week has progressed, enabling the children to really make the most of the outdoor space that we are very fortunate to have here at school. At this time of year, it is especially important that we remember to refresh water bottles and if necessary, apply sun cream before the start of the school day. We do have plenty of shaded areas on most of our outdoor play spaces to make sure children can take shelter from the Sun if they need to... I have booked the same weather for our sports day for Reception to Year 3 Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June and Year 4,5, & 6 on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023.

Planning is already underway for our extended day program in September, and information will be coming out to you shortly relating to bookings for that. We will also be celebrating the successes of children's additional activities in our Children's University graduation services for children in year 3,4,5 and 6. Mr Berry has been very busy counting all of the hours of extra activity that each child has completed in order to send to the children's University for them to arrange the right certificates to be given out. An invitation will be sent through to you shortly informing you more about this wonderful event.

At the end of this term, we will be presenting 100% attendance awards to the children who have not missed any time at school through the whole year. Our attendance is currently 95.2%

As a school, we would really like this figure to be around 97% or above. Please can you continue to support us by ensuring pupils arrive at school on time and inform us in a timely fashion of any absences. Thank you for your continued support in this matter.

Mrs K Jefferson Head Teacher



# **Drowning Prevention Week is 17-24th June,**

During this week we would ask that Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 bring in their PJs to their swimming lesson.

Our aim is to teach:

Entry into water

Float to survive

Beach flags

Climb out with clothes on

Please could we ask that children bring in light weight PJs only (shorts and T-shirts are best)

# Year 4 Kingswood 2023

Just before half term, Year 4 went on their residential visit to Kingswood. Throughout the stay, the students displayed exemplary behaviour and showcased The Royal in a very positive manner. The children were a credit to us all and their teamwork and communication skills shone through when completing the wide range of activities offered to them.

A key highlight was seeing how resilient the students were. Their 'can do' attitude was amazing and their support for one another through difficult decisions was wonderful to see.

The trip was a brilliant way to celebrate the hard work the students have put in every day at school and we are sure that these skills will continue to build throughout the last half term of Year 4.

Well done to all of you!







# **Music Service Lessons - September Sign Ups**

Thank you to all of the students and parents who have signed up to continue with their musical instrument lessons next year. We also have lots of new sign ups who will be learning instruments for the first time!

We still have some availability for lessons on the following instruments:

- Violin, Viola, Cello
- Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Oboe
- Trumpet, Trombone, French Horn, Baritone
- Tabla

If you or your child are interested in lessons on any of these instruments, then please do get in touch with <a href="mailto:kcooper@theroyal.school">kcooper@theroyal.school</a> to discuss!

# **Sports Day 2023**



KS1 Sports Day (Reception – Year 3)

Wednesday 28th June 2023 1pm - 3:20pm

KS2 Sports Day (Years 4 – Year 6)

Thursday 6th July 2023 10am - 1pm

**KS1 Sports Day** 

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023

To be held on the **Primary School field.** 

Reception - Year 1: bottom field

Year 2 – Year 3: top field

KS2 (Years 4 – 6)

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023 10am-1pm

To be held at Aldersley track and indoor arena.

It will include competitive track and field events and dodgeball.



Year 5 had a visit from the Local Community Support Officer, who did a workshop with them. They discussed what taking a "Risk" means and how this can be done safely in the community.

Our school is a welcoming, safe and inclusive place where we all show respect and look out for each other.

# SAFE KINSIVE

Everyone benefits from a positive school culture, and everyone has a part to play - thank you for playing yours.



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\*\*Active\*\* Number of students who have travelled to school walking, park and stride, cycling, public transport NOT travelled in a car.

# This week's Year Group winners are YEAR 6 Individual class winners are 3AC 89%



	Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Active	28%	59%	69%	70%	59%	69%	85%

Polite reminder: -

Please could we ask that the school is given advanced notice if other family relatives are picking up your children at the end of the school day. It is not always possible for our reception team to pass the message onto the class teacher at such short notice. Many thanks for your support in this matter.

Housepoints

Sandringham 4th

Buckingham 1st

Balmoral 2nd

Windsor 3rd



City of Wolverhampton Council

Please click here for cost of living support:-

https://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk/cost-of-living-support



Now the summer term has started, we would like to remind parents that the sun's rays are particularly strong over the summer period.

Therefore, please could we request that parents apply a high factor, waterproof sunscreen to their child before school to ensure they are protected during the day. The school does not supply sunscreen or apply it.

Please provide a sunhat for your child - plain navy/black only (no bright colours or character logos)

Finally, please ensure that your child brings into school a bottle of water which can be topped up during the school day.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

# ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES



# FREE ENTRY

The Royal School PTA presents

# Summer Festival 2023

Friday 23rd June 3pm-6pm



+ NEW for 2023! +

Check out the VR experience\* & climbing wall

\*Advance booking required



- + Bouncy castle & inflatables
- + Donkey rides
- +School choir performance
- + Reading corner
- +Garden games



- + Tombola & Raffle
- + Lucky Dip
- ◆Face painting & mehndi



- + Book stall
- Pre-loved uniform

Hot & cold food and refreshments including:



Samosas +

**Pimms** 

Ice cream vans

& more...





## **Dates for the Diary**

- Monday 12th June Year 3 & Year 4
   Maths Workshop
- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June Yr 4 Dentist Visit
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June Coffee Morning Adopters
   & Carers

# **Sporting Fixtures**

- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Yr 5-6 Rounders v Lodge Farm
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Yr 1 Yr 2 Cricket Festival
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Swim Gala Year 4 Year 6 v
   Old Hall (H)

On Thursday, Year 4 participated in their final team building day of the academic year.

Throughout the three days, the children have engaged in a range of exciting problem-solving activities, allowing them to enhance their decision making and teamwork skills! Well done Year 4!



# **Sporting Fixtures**

Year 6 Girls Dodgeball

On Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June, Year 6 girls took part in a dodgeball match against West Acre school. West Acre won 1-0. Player of the match: Sophia H

Well done everyone!



# Year 6 Rounders

On Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June, Year 6 girls participated in a rounders match against Tettenhall College.

A team lost 19-5.5 B team won 9.5-6

