Kings Road Bulletin

Term	Autumn 1	Date	19th Oct – 1st Nov

Information

- I am sorry that this week's KRB is late! I just ran out of time. Yesterday I spent most of the day with our wonderful governors. We hold consecutive committee meetings each first half term. Yesterday, we started at 9am discussing the curriculum, moved on to finance and premises (including health and Safety) and finished late into the afternoon with staffing. The governors are a vital component in the high standards we have at Kings Road. We will soon be looking to commence elections for a parent governor.
- Please look at the notice at the end of this newsletter about applying for free music lessons at Gorse Hill Studios
- If your child would like to enter our MP, Andrew Western's Christmas competition please scan your entry by 13th November and email to Andrew.western@paliament.uk Please use strong and bright colours. The card can be free hand or digitally produced. When emailing please include the child's name, age, school and class. Excitingly, he has chosen to launch this year's competition for our school due to previous successful entries.
- We are excited to announce that Ms Lomax will be joining our team after half term as a Reception teacher.
- Grandparents' day was lovely! It was great to meet so many pillars of our community.



- If any parents would like a tour of our wonderful school, please ask myself of Miss Hodges at the gate. If we have the time, we'd love to show anyone around the school whilst it is in full motion.
- Thank you to the children for wearing red as part of our 'show racism the red card.' Day. I did talk to the children that whilst what we wear is important, how we act and what we say and think are more important.



- Last week both attendance and punctuality dipped. Being in school, and on time is very important for all children. One aspect of school is preparing the children for adult life. Part

of adult life is being in work, or contributing to society in some way. We don't want a community that is tardy or unreliable.

- The government announced a law that came into effect on 1st September regarding children not being permitted to use mobile phones on school premises. Whilst we already fully comply in school, the law extends to the school grounds. We will insist on pupils not using their phones on the school grounds. We will also extend this rule to the school building for all adults. From 2nd November no adult, including parents and visitors, may have their phone on show whilst in the school. Frequently, parents (and grandparents) take calls whilst in school – this is no longer permitted. The current exception is that we will allow parents to take pictures of their own children for events such as sports days, performances and class assemblies. Miss Hodges and I debated a whole school ban for all parents across the whole school grounds. Watching how many parents are using their phones has led us to not go this far due to the difficulty in policing this idea. However, we strongly urge you to spend this time with your children, surely that conversation, website or text can wait until you have said goodbye or after you have greeted your beloved children?

Upcoming Events

This week 19th Oct – 1st Nov	Mon 19th: Assembly – Diwali Mon 19th: Governing Body Committee Meetings Tue 20th: TT – SEND Tue 20th: SM – PE Wed 21st: SLT – Ofsted and data Wed 21st: Y6 visiting Manchester War Museum Thu 22nd: 5M Class Celebration Thu 22nd: Staff Movie Night Fri 23rd: Celebration Assembly Fri 23rd: Last day of half term
Next week 2nd – 8th Nov	Mon 2nd: Assembly – Team KR Values Mon 2nd: Y4 performing a Diwali presentation at The Bridgewater Hall Tue 3rd: TT – SEND Tue 3rd: SM – SEND Tue 3rd: Mr Morgan interviewing candidates for the next Director of Children's Services Tue 3rd: Y2 African Drumming workshop Wed 4th: SLT – Self evaluation Wed 4th: Mr Morgan Quality Assuring Woodhouse and Broadheath Wed 4th – EYFS showarounds, 2pm and 4pm Thu 5th – Bonfire Night themed lunch Thu 5th: House assemblies Thu 5th: Mr Morgan Quality Assuring Springfield Fri 6th: Celebration Assembly Fri 6th: Mr Morgan Quality Assuring Victoria Park Infants

Acronyms
PE – Physical Education
KS – Key Stage
SEND – Special Education Needs And Disability
TT – Training Tuesdays (For Teaching Assistants)
SM – Staff Meeting

This week's assembly focus

Diwali

Spotlight



This is Jo Whiteside. Jo is our Children and Families Mentor, which means that she is here to help children and families! Jo has worked at Kings Road for hundreds of years and is really experienced at offering and signposting support to anyone. She ~~smells~~ smiles a lot and offers guidance about mental health in Friday's celebration assemblies. At times all families need support, so please don't be too proud to refuse help or ask for support. Jo, alongside myself, Miss Hodges and Miss Wrigley are the Child Protection Team. Jo can be contacted via the Office on 0161 881 3571.

Celebrations

- Congratulations to our Team KR Awards winners

Class	Name
Reception	
Rec K	Wahid Usman
Rec I	Alaeyah Wallace
Year 1	
1A	Zayd Zeeshan
1J	Khadeeja Kholwadi
1G	Rayyan Mustafa
Year 2	
2RC	Jordan Singh
2B	Zayd Zafar
2S	Zenia Ahmed
Year 3	
3G	Ayra Sharaz-Arif
3A	Almas Hamood
3N	Aayat Shahid
Year 4	
4F	Haaris Ramzan
4A	Zainab Bham
4C	Doua Elatrash
Year 5	
5M	Reyah Hanif
5B	Dania Zimcea
5R	Farah Khan
Year 6	
6N	Perry Mohamed
6H	Savannah-Renee Lazarus
6DB	Aayyaan Attri
MR Morgan & Miss Hodges Award Amaya Shaikh	

- Great attendance from 2B, 3A, 5M, 5R and 6H
- Only 1G with perfect punctuality for this week

Last week's winning house was

Hare Hill

Reliability - Class Attendance (%age present)

	NA	NC	RI	RK	
	95.2	88.6	93.3	91	
1A	1G	1J	**2B**	2S	2RC
96.8	95.6	95.4	**98.7**	97.1	95.5
3G	3N	**3A**	4A	4C	4F
97	92.8	**98.6**	91.3	91.5	95
5B	**5M**	**5R**	6B	6N	**6H**
96.7	**98.2**	**99.1**	92.4	95.9	**99.1**

Reliability - Class Punctuality (Number of lates)

	NA	NC	RI	RK	
	4	2	9	3	
1A	**1G**	1J	2B	2S	2RC
3	**0**	4	4	4	2
3G	3N	3A	4A	4C	4F
1	7	4	4	4	5
5B	5M	5R	6B	6N	6H
7	2	1	3	3	1

Pupil Achievements

Merit Winners		
Class	Name	Reason
NA	Cassius Guishard	For listening really well during phonics and making great pet sounds!
NC	Mahi Kaur	For amazing work in Maths this week - you are so good at sorting and matching objects. Well Done!
RK	Dua Khan	For always coming into school with a smile, spreading positivity and showing kindness by making others feel welcome and included. Keep shining!
RI	Hanifa Afaq	You are showing you want to be an independent learner - we are already seeing you make lots of progress - keep it up!
1J	Adam Usman	For being such a fab little role model during our questions and answer sessions! Well done Adam!
1G	Adam Aziz	For joining in well in phonics sessions and practicing this letter sounds! Great work!
1A	Raheem Choudhary	For being respectful, hardworking and kind.
2B	Subita Chaudhry	For your excellent attitude towards your learning - you always put in 100% effort!
2RC		
2S	Suvyuha Gujjala	For having a fantastic week - you've been helpful, kind to others and the first to start your learning. Well done and thank you.
3N	Alayna Shaikh	For always displaying a great attitude towards her learning. You are always contributing in class discussions. Keep it up!
3A	Mariam Ali	Her excellent attitude to school. Mariam always shows good listening, works hard and supports her classmates to be their best.
3G	Amina Hussain	You are an active learner in 3G, you ask questions to support your own understanding and we admire your brilliance!
4F	Minahil Nauman	For showing excellent pride in all her work. Well done!
4A	Rahim Abdelrahim	For always listening carefully and following instructions. You are a superb role model.
4C	Joseph Bond	For impressing us all with your amazing vocabulary and wonderful ideas, and for helping others by sharing them so proudly. Well done!
5R	Aqeel Hussain	For your cheerful attitude, consistent effort and positive approach to learning every day. Well done!
5M	Lucas Carter	For superb effort with his writing and taking on board feedback so positively
5B	Rayna Salejee	Fab attitude this week. I especially loved your enthusiasm for geography!
6H	Nirvair Singh	For an amazing attitude, being curious on the Eco Walk and improving his attendance.
6DB	Mantasaha Imran	For being such a bright, happy, and helpful member of our class. You are trying so hard with your learning, well done!
6N	Aleena Rashid	She is applying herself wonderfully in her lessons and that is having a great impact on her learning.

Kings Road Primary School

Vision

At Kings Road we believe each child should be safe, cherished, valued, free to develop and encouraged to succeed.

Kings Road Values

(What we think is important in order to achieve our vision)

- Equality
- Happiness
- Respect
- Positive attitude
- Curiosity
- Honesty

Our school Ethos

- Warmth
- Love
- Caring
- Belonging
- Team-work
- Family

Our Golden Aims

We aim to create a learning environment to;

- Provide enriching experiences
- Develop resilient individuals
- Promote ambitious mind-sets
- Develop responsible citizens
- Provide a nurturing and safe environment
- Develop creative thinkers

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ACCESS FOR MUSIC working in partnership with

Trafford Music Service and Gorse Hill Studios

Fully Funded Music Lessons at Gorse Hill Studios

Apply for a Free Music Lesson Place

We are pleased to offer a limited number of fully funded music lesson places for children and young people aged 8-16 years.

Successful applicants will receive:

- A free weekly 20-minute one-to-one lesson
- Tuition on violin, viola, guitar or voice
- Free loan of an instrument where required
- Weekly lessons throughout the academic year
- Opportunities to develop musical skills, confidence and enjoyment through music

When and where?

Gorse Hill Studios,

Cavendish Rd

Stretford,

Manchester

M32 0PR

Lessons will take place every Saturday afternoon during term time.

Commitment

This programme is designed to provide sustained musical learning over a full academic year. Children offered a place are expected to:

- Attend lessons every week during term time
- Practise regularly between lessons

- Commit to the programme for the full year
- Inform the Music Service if they are unable to attend

Places are limited and demand is expected to be high. Continued funding is dependent upon good attendance and commitment. Repeated absence may result in a place being offered to another child.

Who Can Apply?

Applications are welcome from children and young people aged 8-16 years. No previous musical experience is required.

The programme is intended to support children and families who may face financial or other barriers to accessing music education.

Application via **https://forms.gle/ZVhYPkDz5ktzyMdY9**

How Are Places Allocated?

As the number of funded places is limited, applications will be assessed against a range of social and economic factors, including:

- Household income
- Number of children in the household
- Additional dependants within the household
- Refugee or asylum-seeking status
- Housing circumstances
- Single-parent households

Places will be offered to applicants whose circumstances indicate the greatest need and who demonstrate a commitment to participating fully in the programme.

Why Learn Music?

Learning an instrument can help children develop confidence, concentration, creativity and resilience, while providing opportunities to make friends and enjoy new experiences.

We believe every child should have the opportunity to benefit from high-quality music education, regardless of their family's financial circumstances.