



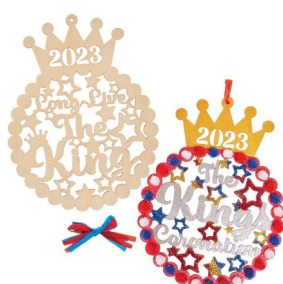
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HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers

This week has been extra-special celebrating the 50th anniversary of our Keevill unit. Our unit sits at the heart of our school and provides a valuable teaching and therapy area for our Keevill pupils. The unit brings with it a strong sense of inclusiveness with mainstream and Keevill pupils working side by side together. I asked our pupils what they liked best about being in the Keevill and they replied:

Marley: I like singing, exercising and Jackie.

Franky: He likes watching stories and singing.

Aaliyah: I like the whiteboard games on the big screen.

Isaac: I like playing with toy animals and puzzles.

Henry: I like the automatic door and the speech and language sounds.

Awstin: I like colouring and doing physio.

Ava: I like colouring and touch typing.

Evie: I like being with my friends in the Keevill.

Last Saturday, Evie, Henry and Awstin took part in the Kennet Games. It was wonderful to see them and other disabled children, including ex Keevill pupils, participating in a range of activities. There was a supportive, friendly atmosphere which still allowed the children (and some parents) to show their competitive spirit and determination to win. Mrs Green was incredibly proud watching our Keevill pupils aiming for the high scoring targets!

On Wednesday, all children across the school enjoyed a special drumming workshop to mark the 50th anniversary. It was wonderful to see and hear all the children engaged in their drumming – concentrating on their coordination and rhythm whilst expressing themselves in the free-style sections! A huge thank you should go to Mrs Green who organised the event.

Finally, we are excited to announce that we have secured a grant with the local authority to develop our outdoor Keevill area. Mrs Green has lots of super ideas on how we can improve the outside area to make it more inclusive for all our pupils to enjoy. Watch this space for updates!

Wishing you a restful and happy long weekend.

Mrs J Lewry
Headteacher



English Schools' Football Association ESFA Reward and Recognition Awards

We are delighted to advise that our amazing Sports Coach, Mr Page, has been nominated for the above award. To register your vote, please ensure you click the 'VOTE' button at the bottom of the relevant category.

<https://schoolsfootball.org/2023/05/02/esfa-reward-and-recognition-awards-place-your-votes/>

Good luck Mr Page!



Parents' Meetings Summer Term 2023

10-05-23 6 pm	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check Evening
17-05-23 6 pm	PSHE (relationships/sex) Whole School



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AWARDS

AND THE
WINNERS
ARE...



Achievement and PSHE Awards

SCHOOL	PSHE
Wisteria	Isaac Walton
Cherry	Elizabeth Collins
Oak	Ali Uras Durdu
Ash	Mirabel Iboje
Willow	Angelina Alimova
Hawthorn	Elizabeth Sproule
Juniper	Ananya Arya
Maple	Adyan Hussain
Acer	Oscar Little
Redwood	Oliver Bickerton
Cedar	Liam Blake



HOUSE WINNER THIS WEEK

The Dragon's Eggs results for this week are:

- 1st Azul 201
- 2nd Zolty 182
- 3rd Laal 167
- 4th Verde 138

Congratulations to Azul!

ATTENDANCE

This week's attendance is 93.70%

Last week's attendance was 92.98%

There was also learning 248 minutes lost this week through late arrivals.

Please ensure your child is in class for 8.30 am.

EVERY DAY REALLY DOES MATTER!

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day



Below are the results for the class that had the most children read 3 times or more from Monday 24th April to Sunday 30th April.

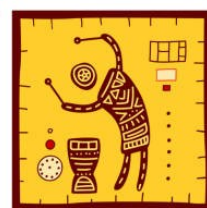
An improvement this week but let's keep improving!

- Wisteria 27 children
- Cherry 18 children
- Oak 17 children
- Acer 17 children
- Hawthorn 16 children
- Cedar 15 children
- Redwood 15 children
- Ash 13 children
- Maple 12 children
- Juniper 12 children
- Willow 9 children



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THE KEEVILL'S 50th ANNIVERSARY AND KENNET GAMES



Pupils having fun at Kennet Games followed by an exciting and sparkling day on Wednesday celebrating The Keevill's 50th Birthday.



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LUNCH MENU



Aspens



Please see below our cook's yummy lunch menu for next week.

Just book via Parent Pay and enjoy!

Aspens



FOOD FESTIVAL
by Aspen's



Spring / Summer 2023 : 6/3, 27/3, 17/4, 8/5, 29/5, 19/6, 10/7, 31/7

LUNCH WEEK 3 MENU

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY



MAIN EVENT



MEAT-FREE MAGIC



PASTA TWIRLER



BIG TOPPING



PICK AND MIX



DESSERT TROLLEY

Bank Holiday	All In One Sausage & Cheesy Potato Bake Carrots	Roast Chicken & Stuffing Roasties Fresh Veg & Gravy	Mild chilli beef & cheese Whole Grain Rice and Cauliflower	Golden Fish Fingers (Salmon or Pollock) Chips Beans
Bank Holiday	All In One Veggie Sausage & Cheesy Potato Bake Carrots	Carrot & Stuffing Pastry Plait Roasties Fresh Veg & Gravy	Cheese & veggie chilli Whole Grain Rice Cauliflower	Vegetable Fingers Chips Beans
Hot Tomato Pasta				
Crispy Skin Jackets with Tasty Toppings				
Pick & Mix Packed Lunch				
Bank Holiday	Vanilla Iced Sponge	Citrus Rice Crispie Cake	Apple Sponge Cake	Flapjack

King Charles' Coronation



The children who ordered, thoroughly enjoyed their delicious street party food yesterday to celebrate King Charles' Coronation.

Thank you to our cook and her team for organising this wonderful event. The decorations looked amazing too!



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