

Kew Woods News

Friday 27th September, 2019



Quidditch Day

On Tuesday, following an introductory assembly, our KS2 classes had the opportunity to learn the rules and play quidditch. Quidditch is the game described in the Harry Potter Books. The children played in their house teams, which were re-named Hufflepuff, Ravenclaw, Gryffindor and Slytherin for the day. They also discussed what each of the houses are known for: Hufflepuff for patience, hard work and bravery; Ravenclaw for valuing intelligence and creativity; Slytherin who are marked for their ambitious and cunning spirit; Gryffindor as brave and courageous. Following some closely fought contests, including chasing the Golden Snitch (the teachers), the winners of the Quidditch Cup were announced. Congratulations to Slitherin House (Dyson). During the day, the children also participated in Harry Potter themed activities. These included creating their own potions, solving Harry Potter maths challenges, including writing Platform 3/4 in as many ways as possible and problem solving which Harry Potter character had the most money in the vault. Some classes designed a kit for a new Kew Woods Quidditch team too.

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ATTENDANCE

School attendance this week is 97.4% which is **above** national average. Well done to classes **1K, 2W, 3W, 4K & 5K** who had the highest attendance this week with **100%**.

Diary Dates:

September

30th Year 5 Parent Meeting London

October

9th Reception Stay and Read (8.45 - 9.15)

11th Class RW Welcome Assembly

16th Reception Stay and Count (8.45 - 9.15)

18th Class RK Welcome Assembly

Next weeks dinner menu is week 1



Year 6 loved playing Quidditch!

PIC-COLLAGE



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House Captains 2019

Congratulation to our Year 6 pupils who were elected as House Captains this week. Staff had a very difficult decision selecting the house captains as the standard of speeches delivered was excellent. The first role they had was to lead their houses in the Quidditch Cup.



Kew Leaders

In assembly this week we also introduced pupils who have been given positions of responsibility in the school. We announced our Librarians, Lunch Box Monitors and Sports Ambassadors



Year 5 London Meeting

There is a meeting for parents on Monday 30th September at 3.30pm. The meeting will take place in class 5K. Parents are asked to come to the School Office at 3.25 to be taken up the class for the meeting. In the meeting we will discuss the staff accompanying the children on the educational visit, share the itinerary for the visit and share important information. There will also be an opportunity for parents to ask any questions.

School Council Success

This week, pupils in Years 1-6 were invited to consider applying to be School Council Representatives. Mrs Foster shared the successes of last year. Pupils interested have been asked to prepare a speech at home over the weekend. They can bring their speech into school and read it to the class. Pupils will then learn about the democratic process and vote for their peers. Good luck to everyone who applies.

Aldi Kit for Schools

Our poster is filling up nicely now. Thank you to all of the parents and friends who have sent in vouchers so far. Please can you continue to send them into the office.



This Week's Class Dojo Winners

Theadora	RK
Ava	RW
Aayaan	1K
Jacob	1W
Thomas	2K
Lottie	2W
Joseph	3K
Lola	3W
Charlie	4K
Izzie & Alfie	4W
Louis	5K
Jessica	5W
Torrin	6K
Isaac	6W



Learning about
evacuees in History



Developing our French
language skills

WOODS SCHOOL
YEAR 6
CURRICULUM
TASTER DAY AT
STANLEY HIGH
SCHOOL



Developing our
teamwork and tactical
skills in P.E.



Creating and
testing rockets in

Science COLLAGE

Poetry Workshop

On Tuesday, ten of our Year 6 pupils worked with ten Year 8 pupils from Stanley High School, focusing on writing poetry based around the theme of remembrance. Together they produced a poignant and moving poem that they were extremely proud of. They will share their poem with the rest of the school during the Remembrance assembly led by Year 6 on 11th November. Thank you to Stanley High English Department for working together with us on this project.



We don't know your name but.....United we stand



The 11th November, we reflect on times long gone.....

To salute and respect the angels that battled on.

Through heartache, through injury, through depression and so much more,

Millions of lives lost: the nation's heart tore.

Families at home whose lives were cut with fear,

Nobody comprehends their pain or silent tear,

As it cascades from their eyes causing a puddle of sorrow,

Knowing their loved ones won't see tomorrow.



Millions of deaths caused devastation

Sorrow and sadness infected the nation

Remembering the innocent, the heroic courageous Men,

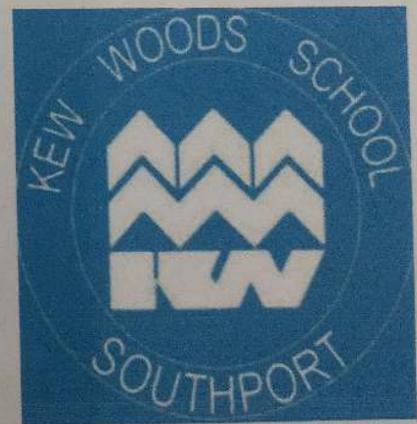
God prayed for survival pleading 'Amen'

All hope was lost we took comfort hand in hand

Discovering the truth in no man's land....

I do not know your name; or the date you died,

I do not know your home or the number of hours that you cried.



As we pause today, united we stand,

We thank the men who saved our land.

Making it a safe place where we can love

Thanks to the sacrificing heroes in heaven above.

By Kew Woods and Stanley High School