



Kelsey Primary

Responsibility Determination Respect

Friday 17th October, 2025

To all our Kelsey families,

Unfortunately, our newsletter begins with news of some disappointing events this week. A couple of weeks ago we came into school on a Monday morning to find that one of the tables from our KS1 outdoor area was damaged. The legs had been removed and thrown around our school site. It looked as though they'd also been used to damage brick walls – though we didn't find any damage to our walls.

I came into school this morning to find that damage had been done to one of our outdoor solar lights.



This is purposeful damage, caused by someone - or a group of individuals - being on our school site without permission. We are aware of a group of boys, some of which are ex pupils of our school, hanging around the pedestrian entrance to school in an evening. They were seen there last night. We do know their names and we do know their families. I cannot say that this group of boys were responsible for the damage done, but we are asking our school community to let us know if they see anything of concern regarding our school site. We take pride in our school site and want our pupils to have a lovely outdoor environment. The mindless actions of others are spoiling this.

On a much more positive note, we had a brilliant response to Parents Evening this week. Thank you for joining us to discuss how pupils have settled into the new academic year, and thank you to the teachers for the time and effort they take in preparing for these meetings. We will be holding another Parents Evening towards the end of the Spring term.

Updates for this week:

Request for cardboard -

Ms Gray has been inundated with cardboard, she is incredibly grateful for your donations and has plenty now – thank you!

Keeping your child off school -

Please find attached an information sheet which explains what to do if your child is unwell. Nothing has changed in terms of our school policy, but it is always useful to have a reminder.

Attendance –

This week, our class attendance with the highest attendance was **Elm Class**
Congratulations!

PE kits –

We frequently lend out PE kit when children have forgotten theirs, but this rarely comes back to school. Please can we request that any loaned kit is returned to us? Thank you.

PTA updates –

Our Spooky Halloween Disco is coming up on Thursday – tickets are available online at www.nkpta.com.





Calendar events –

Week beginning 20.10.15

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch time	Mindful Colouring with Miss Grantham (KS2)		Makaton Club with Ellen	Chess Club with Oscar (KS2) Messy Massey Club (Craft Club!) (KS1)	Running Club with Mrs Trotter and Mrs Chamberlin (KS2)
After school (4:30pm finish)	Basketball with Mr Clinch (KS1)	Mini Football Club with Miss Hunt (EYFS & KS1) Football Club with Mr Clinch (KS2)	Badminton Club with JB Sports (KS2)	Film Club with Mrs Heeley (EYFS – KS2)	
				Cherry Blossom Class visit to the Pumpkin Patch	Staff training day

Future events –

Monday 3rd November – **Return to school for the second half of the autumn term**

Tuesday 4th November – **KS2 Cross Country event at De Aston**

Monday 10th November – **Oak Class visit to Lincoln Zoo**

Thursday 13th November – **Michael Rosen Poetry Day, Tag Rugby event for Year 5 & 6 in the afternoon**

Friday 14th November – **Swimming begins for Year 1 & 2 in the afternoon at Brigg Leisure Centre**

Tuesday 18th November – **Boccia & New Age Kurling event for Year 3 & 4 at De Aston**

Thursday 20th November – **Flu immunisations ‘mop ups’**

Monday 24th November – **the beginning of UK Parliament Week**

Tuesday 25th November – **Year 5 & 6 boys football tournament**

Monday 1st December – **SEND Coffee morning with Mrs Mann**

Monday 8th December – **EYFS and KS1 Nativity performances**

Thursday 11th December – **Whole school visit to see Beauty & the Beast at Grimsby Auditorium**

Tuesday 16th December – **Reception class visit to Rand Farm**

Thursday 18th December – **Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas Service at Church with Reverend Marian and Christmas Dinner day**

Friday 19th December – **the last day of the autumn term**

Looking ahead:

KS2 SATs week: Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May 2026

And finally –

We received our Music Mark last week – this recognises the musical opportunities we provide for our children. We are very lucky to have weekly specialist teaching in our key stage 2 classes, as well as weekly guitar lessons and piano lessons available too.

Have a lovely weekend!

Warmest regards,
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