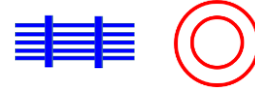


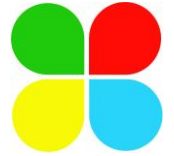
# Weekly News



*'Together we achieve'*

Kelvedon Core Values: \*Respect \*Caring \*Co-operation \*Perseverance \*Honesty \*Responsibility  
*Reverence Compassion Service Endurance Virtue Trust*

Autumn term  
Issue 5



Making  
Great  
Memories

*Our Vision is to create an environment where every learner has the opportunity to amaze us*

**Good learners are: Responsible; Reflective; Resourceful; Resilient; Reasoning; Risk Taking**

Dear Parents/Carers,

It was a privilege to join Year 6 on their Kingswood residential visit in Kent on Tuesday. The team were supporting each other well and making a positive impression on all of the Kingswood staff. The children and teachers are making great memories – check their blog to share their experiences.

My visit to The Manchester Teaching School on Monday with colleagues from Braintree schools was a very rewarding learning experience. I saw great teachers, like our own, making huge differences to children's lives no matter what life or government throw at them. I picked up, and shared, great ideas for continued school improvement. Our hosts are looking forward to visiting Essex and continuing to build our relationship later in this academic year.

Our autumn 'join your child for learning' sessions have been completed and once again your support was fantastic. All of the Kelvedon teaching team appreciate the time and effort that you have made to attend these sessions – thank you everyone.

Next Thursday we have our first visit to our church this academic year.

Classes will attend services at the following times:

09:30 service RJ 1M 2H 3T 4B 5F and 6L

10:30 service RB 1C 2J 3C 4H 5H and 6T

Please remember that the service is for the children to help them to understand and experience church and that you are welcome to join us for one or both services.

The Rota Kids are supporting the Braintree Food Bank and St Mary's Msaada Dairy Cows for families in Rwanda. Food donations brought to school will be presented by the Rota Kids to the food bank and any monetary donations you wish to give will go towards a cow for Rwanda.

Attached are flyers to support these charities.

Please can I remind all parents and carers that our adventure playground is out of bounds before and after school; that our school gates are locked at 09:00 and 15:30 and that the car park is for staff use only. I thank you in advance for remembering these points.

Finally, may I remind you that tomorrow's sharing assembly will be 1M, Mrs Metson's class. It starts at 09:10 and parents/carers of class 1M are welcome to join us.

Learning together, *M. Walsh*

PTFA News: The lottery winner for last week was Elizabeth, winning £14.10

Buy your tickets from [www.yourschoollottery.co.uk](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk)

A huge thank you from the PTFA to you all for your Non-uniform Day prizes last Thursday. These will help us enormously with our fundraising and are greatly appreciated.

Thank you to those of you who entered the Fireworks Poster Design Competition, we had some amazing entries in. The competition winner is Finley Doughton from 1M. Congratulations to Finley who has won a free ticket to the fireworks display on Saturday 3rd November, well done!

**Wine Tasting TOMORROW! 8pm @ the Labour Club, Kelvedon**

### Community Notices

There will be a family service at St Mary's Church this Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> October. Crafts and refreshments from 09:15 and the service begins at 10:00.

Everyone is most welcome. Sarah Openshaw, Church Director.

**Dates for your diary:**

**Non pupil day:**

- Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Oct

**Half Term:**

- Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> to Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Oct

**Last day of Autumn Term:**

- Wed 19<sup>th</sup> Dec

**Special events/days:**

- Harvest Thu 11<sup>th</sup> Oct
- School photos Thu 8<sup>th</sup> Nov
- Flu immunizations Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov

**Open Door**

- Thu 18<sup>th</sup> Oct

**Sharing assemblies:**

- 5<sup>th</sup> Oct 1M
- 12<sup>th</sup> Oct Y6
- 9<sup>th</sup> Nov 2J
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov 3T
- 30<sup>th</sup> Nov 4H

**PTFA**

- Wine Tasting Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Oct
- Fireworks Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov
- Christmas Fayre and Enterprise Sale Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov

### What's on next week?

**Harvest church services Thursday**

**Sharing assembly on Friday 12<sup>h</sup> Oct at 09:10 will be Year 6 Kingswood**

**Attendance award winners**

KS 1: RJ/RB 100%  
KS 2: 4B

School attendance: 97%  
Target: 97%

**\* Stars of the week \***

**Gold Book Honours - Building Learning Power**

**These Good Learners display one of our focused 6Rs or have been awarded their bronze, silver or gold**

