

# Weekly News *"Together we achieve"*

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

Summer term  
Issue 12



Be Safe  
Be Kind  
Be Responsible

"This school is  
one big  
opportunity"  
pupil Ofsted  
2016



*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**

**Teaching is highly effective; pupils' behaviour is exemplary; pupils achieve well throughout the academy; pupils' personal development and welfare is exceptionally well provided for – Ofsted 2016**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Today your children met their new teachers and found out their new class team. As always at this time of year we say goodbye to staff and welcome new members to our school. Next Thursday we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Savill (she doesn't work on a Friday) who is retiring after being at Kelvedon since 2004. She has been a fantastic learning support assistant and has helped many different children achieve great things. Join me in thanking Mrs Savill for her long service to our community and in wishing her a long and happy retirement. Mrs Eastbrook will be supporting Tolleshunt D'Arcy by being Head of School and will be joined for the year by Mr Salmon, Mrs Gibbs and Mrs Bovington.

Joining our teaching team next year will be Mrs Harvey, who has qualified as a teacher after studying hard on her degree over her years as an LSA and in her initial teacher training. Miss Sabir is marrying in August and will return to school in September as Mrs Metson. I know that you will make Mrs Harvey feel very welcome as a member of our teaching team and that you will be joining me in wishing Miss Sabir and her future husband Mr Metson your congratulations.

The new year teams for next year are as follows: Year 6 – Mrs Lawrence and Mr Taylor, Year 5 Mr Faithfull and Mrs Colgrave, Year 4 Mrs Taylor and Mrs Short, Year 3 Mrs Metson and Mrs Harvey, Year 2 Mrs Bull and Miss Hutley, Year 1 Miss Fava, and Miss Burrows/Miss Scotchford, Year R Miss Johnston and Miss Clouting. Miss Baker will be supporting across phase 3.

On Tuesday Mrs Bull and her team staged a great Sports Day and managed to get everything completed before the heavens opened. A great team performance by the teachers and pupils and ably supported by a large number of parents - thank you everyone involved.

On Tuesday Miss Scotchford and her choir took part in the Big Sing at New Rickstones Academy. They performed magnificently; well done to everyone that took part.

Next week's swimming lessons are as follows;

	Morning	Afternoon
Tuesday 18th July	<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Year 1</b>
Wednesday 19th July	<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Year R</b>

Please ensure that your child brings their swimming kit with them on these days.

Over the summer our annual 'Skip Papworth' Poet Laureate Competition for 2017/18 will be held. Any child can enter by writing a poem on any theme of their choice to be submitted by Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September. Who will be our 4<sup>th</sup> Poet Laureate and follow the great tradition of high quality writing that our first three have set?

Learning together, *M. Walsh*

PTFA News: The lottery winner for last week was Anna, winning £15.60  
Buy your tickets from [www.yourschoollottery.co.uk](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk)

**Community Notices** John's Taxi Service – Proud sponsors of The Kelvedon St Mary's Football Team – 07762 437893  
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## Dates for your diary:

### Last day of summer term:

- **Fri 21<sup>st</sup> July**
- **Year 6 Production 18:30 Tue 18<sup>th</sup> July**
- **Year 6 leavers Assembly 09:10 Thu 20<sup>th</sup> July**
- **Year 6 'Leavers Tea & Cakes in the Church rooms' 10:45 Thu 20<sup>th</sup> July**
- **Year 6 Party 15:30 – 17:00 Thu 20<sup>th</sup> July**

### PTFA:

- **Disco 19<sup>th</sup> July**

### AGM : 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept

## What's on next week?

**Year 6 Production Tuesday**

**Y6 leaver's assembly and party Thursday**

### Attendance award winners

KS 1 : RF  
KS 2 : 6L  
School attendance: 97 %  
Target: 97%

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



**Gold Book Honours - Building Learning Power**

**These Good Learners display one of our focused 5Rs or have been awarded their bronze, silver or gold**



**Rota Kids Committee**  
**2017/18**