

**We do our best to: Use Our Head, Have a Heart, Give a Hand**

“I came so that they could have life – indeed, so that they could live life to the fullest.”

*John 10:10*

**KINDNESS RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY RESILIENCE**

As we come to the end of **Week 3**, we hope all the children have now settled back into the school routine and are enjoying their learning. A warm welcome once again to all our **new starters** – we’re so pleased to see how confidently they’ve begun their journey with us.

### Year 6 Leadership Roles

Our Year 6 students have made a fantastic start to the year, and we were incredibly impressed by the high standard of their applications for leadership roles across the school.

This week, successful applicants were presented with their badges and have already shown excellent maturity, teamwork, and initiative in organising their responsibilities.

### Leadership Roles Awarded:

- **Student Leader** – Clara

### House Captains:

- **Fordson Major** – Harry M
- **John Deere** – Alex
- **Massey Ferguson** – Harry B

### Sports Leaders:

Judah, Phoebe, Jack, Sophia, Stanley and Willam

### Assembly Monitors:

Clara, Alex, Emma, William, Sophia and Sienna

### Librarians:

Connie and Emma



We are especially excited that our Year 6 pupils will also have the opportunity to run clubs throughout the year, open to all year groups. We can’t wait to see what creative and fun ideas they come up with, and we’ll be sure to share updates with you in future newsletters.

### Roadworks Update:

A quick update regarding local travel arrangements: The final phase of roadworks on Kingston Road is due to begin on Monday, with the road expected to reopen by Thursday.

- The recommended official diversion is via Bishops Lydeard.
- Wales & West have advised they will do their best to keep the Nailsbourne road open under two-way traffic lights, but this cannot be guaranteed. The road may close at short notice, so please plan ahead.

We appreciate your patience and understanding during this time and encourage families to allow extra time for school drop-offs and pick-ups.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to sharing more of the fantastic things happening here at Kingston St Mary in the coming weeks.

Have a good weekend.

## Dates

**(AS) indicates where it is an after-school tournament**

**(P) indicates that parents are invited to attend the event**

### OCTOBER

Weds 1 <sup>st</sup>	PTFA AGM 7pm – School Hall
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup>	AM Woodpeckers out at Sports Festival
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup>	PM Flu Vaccinations
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 Harvest Festival (P)
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup>	Parent Meetings
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup>	Parents Meetings
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Scholastic Book Fair
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	PTFA Non-uniform Day Break-up

### NOVEMBER

Tues 4 <sup>th</sup>	Scholastic Book Fair last day
Tues 11 <sup>th</sup>	School Photos
Wed 19 <sup>th</sup>	
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	Bikeability for Year 6
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	

### DECEMBER

Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	2.30 KSI Nativity - for parents who need to bring pre-school age children
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup>	2.30 KSI Nativity (P)
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	2.30 KSI Nativity (P)
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	Whole School Pantomime Trip - Cinderella
Tues 16 <sup>th</sup>	6.00 KS2 Carol Service (P)
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup>	PTFA Non-Uniform Day Break-up
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup>	Inset Day

**Our Christian Value this term is**

*Compassion*

*The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.*

*Psalm 145:9*



## Safeguarding

**Please see below for a link to a Free Online Safety website for families**

### Reporting Safeguarding Concerns

If you have any safeguarding concerns, you can contact Somerset Direct on 0300 123 2224.

Our school Safeguarding email is [safeguarding@ksm.somerset.sch.uk](mailto:safeguarding@ksm.somerset.sch.uk)

## PARKING

### PARENT CAR PARK

Please reverse into car park spaces.  
Driving out means better out better  
visibility of children walking.

### Parking Outside the School

DO NOT PARK OPPOSITE THE SCHOOL  
ENTRANCE



NO TURNING



No  
parking



Keep  
clear

DO NOT USE THE SCHOOL ENTRANCE AS A  
TURNING POINT

## NAMING PROPERTY

Please make sure children's uniform  
and property is named, including lunch  
boxes and snack containers.

Thank you

