



07/03/2025

Oxhey Newsletter



A message from Mrs Jukes

Dear parents and carers,

We have spent the last two days celebrating World Book Day at Oxhey! The children looked absolutely fabulous in their costumes yesterday. Thank you for all the time and effort that you have put in to creating such amazing themed outfits. Congratulations to our 'reading den' winners too... The children are looking forward to seeing the finished reading den display in our library. Everyone enjoyed the workshops today by the children's author, Matt Buckingham. Feel free to click the link, learn about Matt as an author and discuss more about his stories/illustrations with your child following on from today's sessions.

[Books - Matt Buckingham Illustration](#)

Our KS1 children have also had an exciting trip to Stafford Castle this week; exploring the grounds and learning lots of interesting facts about different types of castles and how they have changed over time. We are very proud of how well-behaved they were and wish to thank all the parent volunteers for coming along.

Finally, a BIG shout-out goes to our Headboy and Headgirl for greeting and showing parents around classes at parents' evening. They did a great job. It was also lovely to chat to lots of you and receive such wonderful feedback about our school.

Have a great weekend enjoying the spring sunshine.

Best wishes from Mrs Jukes and the Oxhey Staff Team.



Diary Dates

KS1 SHINE MORNING

12th March

KS2 SHINE MORNING 9.15am

(all classes)

13th March

EYFS SHINE MORNING

14th March

SCIENCE WEEK

14th March



Inspire Dance Show

19th March



Spring reports

9th April

KS2 trip - Roman Experience

10th April

Easter Bingo—5pm

10th April



EYFS Easter Bonnet Parade

11th April

Last day of term

11th April

Easter Holidays

14th-25th April

Bank Holiday Monday

5th May

Last day of term

23rd May

Half term

26th-30th May

Inset day school closed to pupils

2nd June



Class

Attendance

**This Week's
Winners.....**

**Perfect
Pandas**



Sparkly Spiders	94%
Fabulous Foxes	97%
Terrific Turtles	93%
Perfect Pandas	100%
Amazing Alligators	97%
Marvellous Meerkats	93%
Outstanding Owls	98%

School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow



Shine mornings

Donations of the following greatly accepted:

- Wild flower seeds
- Seasonal Bulbs
- Small plant pots
- Wooden pallets

Our whole school attendance target is 96.4%.
This week, our school attendance was 96.26%

Rewards and Celebrations



Pupils of the Week & TIGER Learners

LL Ozzie, Elsie
Kiefer & Ada
SS Evie & Toby
PP Henry & Harry W
AA Rosie & Angelysse
MM Milo & Lilly
OO Hollie & George M
FF Millie & Izzy



TT Rockstars

Winning class
Outstanding Owls

1st place
Annabelle
Tyler
Hollie

2nd place
Milo
Stanley
Ralphie Joe

3rd place
Emily
Thomas
Toby R

Most improved
Scarlett
Ralph
Max C



Numbots

Winning class

Amazing Alligators

AA Edward

PP Edwin

TT Rose



House points

Ravenclaw	305
Slytherin	606
Gryffindor	339
Hufflepuff	396

Ready, Steady, Read!

The results are based on the number of children who have read four or more times in the week.



1st Sparkly Spiders &

Terrific Turtles

100%

2nd Marvellous Meerkats

68%

3rd Perfect Pandas

67%

Well done to everyone who read and took part in the challenge last week.

In the spotlight this week

World Book Day





IMPORTANT MESSAGE

From 1st April there will be the following price increase:

- ♦ **Nursery** - will be £16.29 per child per afternoon (where sessions are payable and not funded).

From 28th April there will be the following price increase:

- ♦ **Lunches** - will be £3.20 per child per day (universal free school meals & free schools are not affected).

#WakeUpWednesday

#WakeUpWednesday aims to equip every trusted adult with the knowledge and skills that they need to keep up with the latest information, implement best practice and heighten their awareness of issues around three core topics; online safety, mental health & wellbeing; and climate change & sustainability.

Relevant to all parents and educators, from early years through to secondary school, the #WakeUpWednesday resources can be accessed both on a desktop and via our #WakeUpWednesday app, providing instant and easy access to world-class expertise in the areas they need the most anytime, anywhere.

This week I would like to direct your attention to **Online Safety Guide for Minecraft**

[Free Online Safety Guide | Minecraft](#)



Notice Board



Shine Week

10th—14th March

This term we are focussing on our ECO Schools award!

EYFS will be making some bird

KS1 will be making some hedgehog houses

KS2 will be creating wild-flower areas and planting as well as making some bird houses



feed- ers



bulbs ,



We welcome any and all donations of

- wild flower seeds
- seasonal bulbs
- small plant pots
- Wooden pallets



JOIN US TO CELEBRATE EASTER

MULTI SPORTS HOLIDAY CLUBS

KINGSFIELD FIRST SCHOOL, BIDDULPH

Come and join us for some sports, games and activities from **April 14-24**. Our action-packed program gives children the chance to remain active, develop skills and make new friends within a safe and secure program.

MULTI-SPORTS • ASSAULT COURSE • INFLATABLES
BRING-A-BIKE • CIRCUS SKILLS • COMBAT SPORTS
TEAM-BUILDING • BUG CLUB • EASTER EGG HUNT
WOW SPORTS • FRISBEE GOLF • SCOOT SKILLS

FULL DAY 09:00-15:30 £22.50

Half Day:

AM 09:00-12:15 PM 12:15-15:30 £12.50

Wrap-Around:

AM 08:00-09:00 £4.00 PM 15:30-17:00 £6.00



EXPIRES MARCH 31

We value the importance of accomodating children who have come to us from different backgrounds. We aim to provide an environment where everyone is challenged and given an enjoyable experience.

FREE PLACES

HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AND FOOD



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COMMUNITY SEND SUPPORT COFFEE MORNING

28TH MARCH- 9:15AM-10:15AM @ KNYPERSLEY FIRST SCHOOL

WE ARE THRILLED TO HOST OUR FIRST SEND COFFEE MORNING.

OUR SEND COFFEE MORNING OFFERS A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT FOR PARENTS/ CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH SEND TO RELAX AND TALK WITH OTHERS. THERE WILL BE OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU TO SPEAK WITH THE SCHOOL SENDCO - MISS LEESE ALONG WITH OTHER SPECIALISTS WHO WORK WITHIN OUR LOCAL AREA. THIS TIME WE WILL BE HOSTING AMANDA ROWLEY FROM THE FAMILY HUB/ EARLY YEARS FORUM.

THIS IS A FREE SPACE FOR PARENTS/ CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH ANY SEND REQUIREMENT (BOTH WITHIN OUR SCHOOL OR ACROSS OUR COMMUNITY) TO COME TOGETHER AND TO OFFER ADVICE AND SUPPORT OR TO JUST CHAT WITH A HOT DRINK.

TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE CALL: 01782 973810

