



King's Oak Primary School

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Friday 29th April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we have had a really successful session for parents of Reception children joining us in September and have also welcomed a number of trainee teachers to see what the school has to offer. In both sessions, the feedback was overwhelmingly positive and what stood out most was the behaviour of the children, their excitement and engagement in learning and the high quality support and teaching they were receiving. As always I am grateful to the committed staff for their hard work and commitment to the children in the school.

On Monday, some members of the school staff will be taking part in a marathon relay in Milton Keynes. The team are running to raise money for The British Heart Foundation. This was the chosen charity of Chris Dennis, a previous member of staff at the school, who sadly passed away in October. Chris was well known to many of the children and parents at the school in her 32 years as a member of staff. If anyone would like to donate to this cause, a link to the 'gofundme' page is below.

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/kwa5zd-mk-relay-marathon-for-chris-dennis>

Farm Open Day tomorrow morning:

We would like to invite everyone to come and visit the school where we will be offering opportunities to read with the rabbits, spend time with the animals and sample the school dinner menu. There will also be the opportunity for new parents or parents thinking about joining the school in September to have a tour of the school and meet some of the staff. There will be a bouncy castle and ice cream van to make the event even more enjoyable! The event runs from **10am-1pm** and there is no charge for entrance. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible - this is a great opportunity for the school to offer more community activities as we move into the summer. A flyer for this event is attached at the end of this letter.

Eid Mubarak:

I would like to wish all members of the community who are currently fasting for Ramadan a very happy Eid for next week. I hope you and your families enjoy the celebrations and we look forward to hearing about what you have been doing when you return to school.

As always, if you would like to ask any questions or have any concerns, please contact the school office and a member of the team will discuss this with you.

Many thanks for your continued support

Rob Morley-Smith
Headteacher

Breakfast and After School Club Vacancies:

We currently have vacancies for staff in our breakfast and after-school clubs. We are looking to expand our successful provision to be able to offer this to more parents. These valued staff support children before and after school, working from 7:30am until 9:00am each day for the breakfast club, and 3:00pm to 6:00pm for the after school club. If you think you would like to be more involved with the life of the school, this is a great opportunity. Previous experience of working with children, ideally in a similar setting would be desirable and full training and support will be given. If you are interested, we want to hear from you. Please see the details in the vacancies section of the school website from 19th April for more information.

No products containing nuts in school please:

Could we remind parents that we are a nut free school and that no products containing nuts should be sent in lunchboxes.



Dates for your diary

- 30th April - 10am - 1pm - Farm Open day
- Friday 22nd July - this is now a non-school day. This is because of the Queen's Jubilee falling in the May half term and us needing to put an additional day in for this.

KING'S OAK PRIMARY

Tours of the school for prospective parents for all year groups

Come along and see our amazing facilities within our extensive grounds.

Animal encounters Including:
rabbits, guinea pigs, goats, pigs and chickens

Bouncy castles

Candy floss

Ice cream

Other refreshments

Saturday 30th April

10am - 1pm



OPEN DAY!

“My child is so happy at King's Oak Primary. The facilities they have are incredible and it has given my child so many new experiences”

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