

Kingstone and Thruxton

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Even though it has been a four-day week, we seem to have fitted in enough activities to more than make up for the Bank Holiday! We have really enjoyed the VE Day celebrations, with a wonderful whole-school picnic to enjoy

the amazing array of cakes that came into school! Mrs and Mr Morgan created some incredible VE Day planters, which provided the perfect photo opportunity - thank you so much to them for their talents and generosity. It was also wonderful to hear the children showcase their beautiful voices this morning in Celebration Assembly, as they joined together to sing 'I'll Remember.'

Year 3 have had a particularly busy week, as they successfully completed a brilliant residential trip to Oakerwood. They faced challenges and new experiences, overcoming them in style. Miss Wood, Mrs Preece, Miss Massey and Miss Evans were so proud of the children, as am I—a huge thank you to the adults for making it such a positive and memorable occasion for the class. You can check out more photos

on Facebook, so do give us a 'follow' if you haven't already!

Year 1 have been enjoying their topic, 'Under the Sea'. They have been busy reading books about the beach, investigating sea creatures and chalking sea animals from the stories. They have particularly enjoyed reading *The Snail and the Whale* and have written some brilliant postcards from the whale on his adventure!

And finally, I'm delighted to welcome Mrs Tanya Musisi to Kingstone, as she started in her role as Pastoral Lead and SENDCo Admin this week. Mrs Musisi has had a busy first few days and has fitted into the team brilliantly. She will be getting to know our families more over the coming weeks, so do pop in and say hello!

With best wishes for a lovely weekend,

Elissa Vigus Headteacher

Stars of the Week

<u>Reception - Rupert</u> for his independence and effort for his 'Space Mission' writing.

Rosie for trying really hard in phonics, with both her reading and writing.

Year 1 - Eleanor for always lending a helping hand.

Isabelle for being a brilliant role model.

Year 2 - Flo for her brilliantly descriptive independent writing.

Juno for her endless positivity and tireless determination.

<u>Year 3</u> - Louie for showing amazing determination and teamwork skills throughout our residential trip.

Paisley for your resilience and bravery with all the activities at Oaker Wood.

<u>Year 4 - </u>Karina for creating accurate codes for some exceptionally challenging letters in computing. Sienna for amazing progress with Times Table Rockstars.

<u>Year 5 - Teddy</u> for always having a positive attitude and showing lots of enthusiasm towards his learning. **Archie** for making great improvements with his writing stamina.

Year 6 - Jack for being a great learning partner.

Preston for putting so much effort into his revision.





Poet **SPOZ** will be visiting our school!

BUY COPIES OF HIS BOOKS AND HAVE THEM SIGNED PERSONALLY TO YOU DETAILS WILL BE IN A LETTER HOME SOON





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12th

13th

14th

15th

16th













The winners this week are....

Jessica

Kaelan



The winner this week:

Tom

Class Trophy: Year 6



Calendar of Events ART

Year 4 PE

Year 6 SATs Week

Reception PE

Year 1 PE

Year 2 PE & Swimming

Year 5 PE

Reception Forest School Year 3 PE

Year 6 PE & Forest School

Year 1 Showcase

Year 6 Treat Day



The winner this week are.... Leanne

Class Trophy: Year 4