



**The NEWSLETTER
for
KINSALE JUNIOR
SCHOOL
Number 13
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DIARY DATES & NOTICES

03-01-19 Welcome back to the start of the Spring Term
07-01-19 FKJS Committee meeting 7pm at the Cock PH, Drayton.
11-01-19 Panto arrives at KJS



School Bank - Open every Thursday before school, from 8:30am in the School Library.

HOUSE POINTS

w/e 14-12-18

Weekly and running total
BRANCASTER 199/1526
CROMER 197/1462
HOLKHAM 187/1402
OVERSTRAND 218/1542
SHERINGHAM 229/1577
WELLS 211/1418

EDP BOOK TOKENS

Many thanks, you sent in a fantastic
4176 book tokens.
We look forward to receiving the books in the new year.
As ever great support from the community.

HALF-TERM WHOLE SCHOOL COMPETITION

We had 40 entries and choosing the winner was very difficult.
Congratulations to **Gaby**, her wreath was splendid.

SCHOOL CHOIR

Yesterday some members of the school choir went to sing carols at Tesco, Blue Boar Lane in Sprowston. The Friends organised the visit and collected donations for the school which amounted to **£34.76**. We arrived at 9:30am and sang for 30 minutes and were pleased with the amount raised given the relatively quiet footfall. The children sang amazingly well and they didn't really need the music on the CD to support them. They sang with much confidence and gusto! My thanks to the FKJS who came along (**Sarah Carpenter** and **Rayner Finch**, neither of whom currently have children in school so this really is impressive commitment to KJS. Ms Finch was wonderful organising the children and took the role of Choir Leader very competently!), the parents who came along to support and **Ms Rolfe** who drove the mini-bus for us. **Kelly Lawrence** and Ms Carpenter then went shopping to buy crackers, napkins, and tablecloths for the children's Christmas lunch, which took place today with almost **200** children's meals being cooked by the Norse Catering Team.

MR PETERS/SITE MANAGER

Mr Peters our wonderful **Site Manager** is moving on to work for the NHS with greater hours; our loss is their gain. Mr Peters has been with us since October 2017 and he has been absolutely fantastic in every way. We wish him well in his new job and will miss him hugely. **Miss Rolfe** will start as our new **Caretaker** on 2 January and has worked closely with Mr Peters recently so she can hit the ground running in the new term. We are thrilled with this new appointment and look forward to welcoming Ms Rolfe back as an MSA and Caretaker.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

w/e 07-12-18

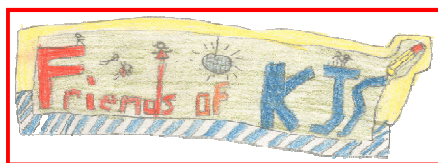
3AC Alfie
3JC Alika
3E Brooke
4C Rhys
4R Hadlee
5B Jack
5HW Kyron
6B Grace
6H Annmariya



ATTENDANCE

w/e 14-12-18

Whole school 95.9% & Highest class 6H 99.4%



FKJS Diary Dates

Monday 7th January 2019

Friends Meeting, 7pm at the Cock PH, Drayton. Everyone welcome.

Saturday 26th January

HHS Car-Boot. We will be having a stall at the High School Car-Boot. Come along and grab a bargain!

Thursday 31st January

Disco, 6.00-7.30pm. £2.00 entry plus optional spending money.

Fundraising Update..

This term we have been very busy fundraising for the school. Our fundraising efforts so far have raised a total of **£1,680.25**, from our discos, movie nights and Xmas Fair. We have also raised another **£766.00** so far from the Xmas Table Decorations, Xmas Cards and Xmas Raffle. (Final figures for these events to follow.) Together with a fantastic donation of **£10,000** from the Town Close Charity for the IT project, we have been able to give your school a total of **£ 15,049.29** this term. This has gone towards the School's IT project to replace the computers in the IT suite, School Trips throughout the year, Maths resources, seating in the Wild Area garden and replacement Hi-Vis jackets for the children. Thank you to everyone who has helped!

Easyfundraising Christmas Shopping!

The Friends have registered with an online shopping site which can earn us money every time it is used. Please follow the link www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fokinsale for more details.

Facebook

The Friends have a fundraising page on Facebook, for parents, grandparents and carers of children at the school. Please search for **Friends of Kinsale Junior School** or follow this link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1226654030685426/> A copy of the rules governing this group is available on request.

Glenys Black / Treasurer

The FKJS have supported the school fantastically throughout the term and we are very grateful for their time, commitment and energy. The committee work so well together and their achievements impact on all the children within the school. Thank you.

CHARITY COLLECTION AFTER 'KJSs CHRISTMAS CRACKER'

Thursday morning **£67.69**, Thursday afternoon **£61.68**, Friday morning **£63.99** and Friday afternoon **£50.07**.

Grand total **£243.43**

HOUSE CHARITY FUNDRAISING

This last half-term it was **Sheringham's** turn and they raised a superb total of **£58.68**.

Well done to the House Captains who organised the events to raise this amount.

HONOURS BOARD - OCTOBER

Congratulations to:

3AC Hayden, Flynn

3E George, Shanelli

3JC Aston, Anujan

4C Isaac, Nathan

4R Eva, Toby

5B Rebecca, Grace

5HW Kyanne, Philip

6B Ela, Oliver

6H Kyson, Przemyslaw, Oliver, Alfie



JANUARY'S NEWSLETTER

This will include all the items I haven't had time to include within this issue.

May I wish you all a Very Happy Christmas and New Year.

I hope you all have a wonderful break and enjoy family time together at this special time of year.

Mrs Baxter