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Kings' Forest
Primary School

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you again to our PTA for organising the Rags to Riches collection. This is vital fundraising for the school. I wanted to let you know how your children benefit from this, also the projects that we look to work on with your kind donations.

Without the money raised by you and the PTA we could not afford:



The costs associated with the Playpod including the restocking and the building itself.



The upkeep and resourcing of the Forest School area including the pizza oven, the outdoor cookery area, seating area and gazebo.



The yearly Panto plus a whole host of other exciting opportunities such as the Y6 leavers treats, trip to Life Skills, general playground repairs and removal of unsafe play equipment. We now have school football kits and a whole host of little extras which enhance Kings' Forest for all children.

In short without the work of the PTA and your kind donations, the extras that bring joy and make Kings' Forest unique would not be possible.

Next projects:

As well as continuing to fund all of the above, we are now going to enhance our playground. As yet we cannot afford to replace the large play equipment which you may have noticed is disappearing as it comes to the end of it's life. The cost of this is tens of thousands of pounds so this will take years to achieve.

We are however going to develop:

An outdoor library and reading/craft area by the Play Pod;

Redevelop the bare strip of land by Beaver Lodge and incorporate this into the main playground, developing a lovely area for the children;

Re-floor and open up the remaining gazebo;

Replace the seating in Forest School.

Watch this space! And thank you all. Ms Porter

05.02.24- 09.02.24		Art week
09.02.24	4	Term 3 ends
19.02.24	1	Term 4 starts
07.03.24	4	World Book Day
11.03.24- 15.03.24		STEM week
26.03.24	1	Parents Evening
28.03.24	1	Parents Evening Term 4 ends

15.04.24	INSET
16.04.24	Term 5 starts for children
26.04.24	Class photos & Y6 leave photos
30.04.24	Year 4 and Year 5 performance
	9:30am and again at 2pm
	Families welcome
01.05.24	Year 4 and Year 5 performance
	2pm
	Families welcome
13.05.24—	Year 6 SATs.
16.05.24	
24.05.24	Term 5 ends
03.06.24	Term 6 starts
	Year 6 camp week.



Beyonce says:

'If you liked it, then you shoulda put a <u>name on it!</u>'

Please, please, please can you label all items of clothing including coats, hats and scarves. Our dream is to have no lost property in school as it can all be returned to the owners.



