



Pupils of the Week				
	Betty Bee Award	Wilbur Woodpecker Award	Olive Owl Award	Samuel Squirrel Award
Kingfishers	Luke, Caroline, Montanna & Jaxon	Hayden	Arli	Arli
Jackdaws	--	Willow	Charlie	Angus
Ospreys	--	Daisie ALL OF YEAR 6	Emi	Freya + Lottie
Head of School Award				
Rosie D – Being so kind and helpful with Oscar				

Dear Parents

Congratulations to all our Year 6 pupils who have completed their first batch of formal testing. The Statutory Assessment Tests (SATs) were administered across the country to all Year 6 pupils. The children were extremely focused and worked like professionals – we commend them for their maturity and stamina. Whatever the results, we know that they did their best and we are immensely proud of them. Well done Year 6!

I would also like to commend the Year 5 children who had their week disrupted due to the SATs. They adapted and really just carried on as normal which shows good resilience – an essential skill for life-long learning!

#### JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

On Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May we will be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and will be asking everyone to wear red, white and blue to school that day. During the afternoon we will be having a tea party, the PTFA are providing cakes for the children and will be selling cream teas for the grown-ups. Each class are planning a short country dance to perform for you so we would like to invite families along to share in our celebrations from 2.00pm.

#### BANK HOLIDAY

Due to the Queen's Jubilee extra Bank Holiday being in half term we have allocated Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May to compensate for this.

**There will be NO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

#### SPORTS

It has been lovely to be able to use the field more frequently for PE and some lunchtimes. The team did very well at the mini tennis and have shown good improvements already. We have used some of the games that they were playing in our outdoor PE lessons and all children in Jackdaws are therefore benefitting from the course.

I am also looking at refurbishing and updating the PE equipment over the next term to enhance our provision. We will also look to increase the toys available at playtimes and possibly have a rota of equipment out, to vary the experiences for the children regularly.

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# School Diary Dates

Our forthcoming events and diary dates are on our website listed in the *News & Events* section.

More specific details can be viewed online by clicking on the relevant event,  
this will then display the letter content or additional information

[www.kilmington-primary.org.uk/news/school-diary/](http://www.kilmington-primary.org.uk/news/school-diary/)



<b>May</b>	
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup>	Y3-Y4 Mini Tennis (team event) – parents to transport
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	Y5-Y6 Quadkids (team event)
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup>	Ospreys Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup>	Jackdaws Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup>	Y3-Y4 Mini Tennis (team event) – parents to transport
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup>	Platinum Jubilee Tea Party – Parents invited from 2.00pm
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup>	School Closed - Governor Approved Additional holiday (Queen's Jubilee)
<b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June Half Term</b>	
<b>June</b>	
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup>	Rec & Y6 Childhood Measurements
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Y5-Y6 Residential
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Jackdaws Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup>	The Woodroffe School – Y6 Transition Day
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup>	Y5-Y6 Music Concert – PACKED LUNCH / parents to transport
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Class Photos
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Jackdaws Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Ospreys Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Colyton Grammar School – Y6 Transition Day
<b>July</b>	
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Axe Valley Academy – Y6 Transition Day
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup>	Ospreys Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Jackdaws Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	Kingfishers Outdoor Learning (after lunch)
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Camping (overnight) – parents to drop off
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Camping – parents to collect
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Leavers Assembly (Y6 parent/carers only)
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Ospreys Outdoor Learning (morning only)
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Whole School Picnic Lunch – PACKED LUNCH</b> Last day of term
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	Non Pupil Day – Staff Training
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup>	Non Pupil Day – Staff Training
<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September Summer Break</b>	
<b>MONDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER - NON PUPIL DAY</b>	