



# KILLIGREW NEWS

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2023

Dear Parents,

*The children and staff looked fabulous dressed as their favourite book characters yesterday. Photos to follow next week!*

*To launch our science week (w.b. 13<sup>th</sup> March), we are very excited to be having a visit from a mobile farm next Friday. Every class will have the opportunity to visit and interact with the animals.*

Kindest regards,

T.Mylotte  
Head teacher

## Attendance

Congratulations to Parakeets for their fantastic attendance last week. It was great to see so many classes with good attendance last week.

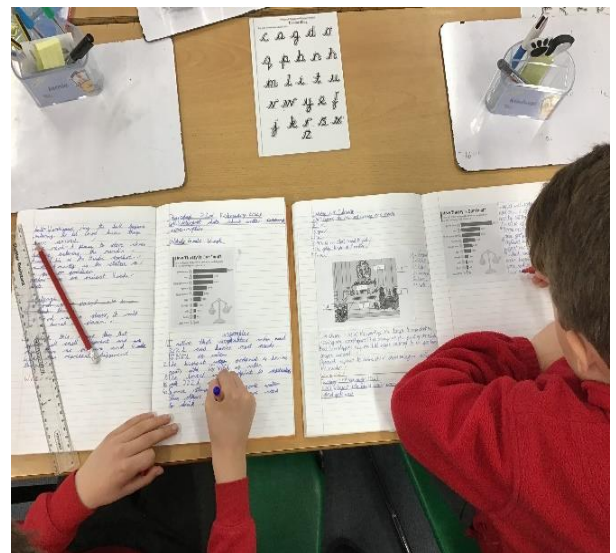
Firecrests	96.5%	Puffins	98.1%
Skylarks	96.1%	Kingfishers	93.7%
Goldfinches	98.5%	Macaws	98.3%
Nightingales	97.9%	Pelicans	98.3%
Cardinals	95.8%	Toucans	96.2%
Parakeets	99.2%	Eagles	98.0%
Bluejays	94.1%	Peacocks	98.0%

## Global Goals Week

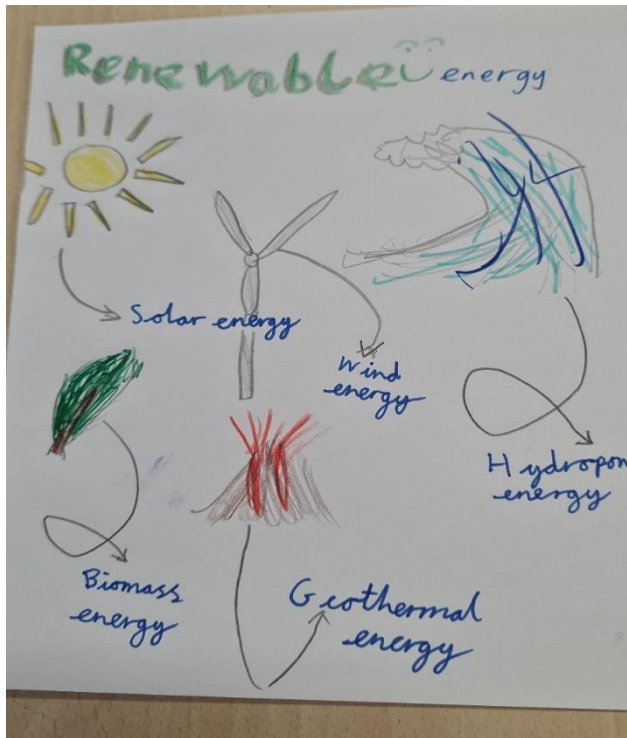
Last week, the children learnt about two of the seventeen Global Goals: affordable and clean energy, and responsible production and consumption. We had several visitors who delivered assemblies and visited classrooms, talking about subjects such as solar panels, electric cars and how to reduce fossil fuel use.



The Year 5 ATA's visited Nursery and Reception and helped them to think about how they could travel to school in an environmentally friendly way.



In addition, children across the school completed a range of activities such as looking at the amount of water used in food and clothing production, the distance travelled by clothes (from where the cotton is grown, to the factory and then to the shops) and completed energy saving challenges.



The children are now more aware of how their daily choices impact on the world.

## Regular Eye Checks

The school nursing team have advised that all children should have a regular eye check at a high street optician. The routine eye test will check if your child needs glasses and is also an important check for overall eye health.

Opticians appointments are free for children and some glasses are free or subsidised by the NHS. Further information about eye health and other health issues can be found on The Health for Kids website: [www.healthforkids.co.uk](http://www.healthforkids.co.uk)

## Secondary Allocation

If you would like to speak to Miss Mylotte following the secondary school allocations this week, please contact the school office to arrange a meeting.

## PE Kit Reminder

A reminder that children should wear a plain white t-shirt and plain red shorts for PE. They may wear red or black tracksuit bottoms and a plain red sweatshirt for outdoor PE. PE kits should be left in school each day.

## Y6 Traffic Patrol



As part of their Mini Police workshops, the children in Y5 and Y6 got to try on uniform and explore police vehicles.



The children also enjoyed sharing messages about safe parking with local road users.



## Free School Meals

If your circumstances have changed, you may be interested in the following information regarding free school meals for your child.

[Free school meals](#)

## Cross Country

After a couple of months break, we eagerly arrived at Mandeville for the fourth cross country match of the season.

Grace continued her winning streak and was closely followed by Georgina (3rd), Elaina (6th) and some competitors from other schools.

We have one more match left, and we are currently in the running for top 3 girls and the girls title where we are closely followed by another school. Well done to the whole team: Elaina, Indy, Lucy, Daisy, Georgina and Grace.

The boys team competed equally as determined and ran a brilliant race. With one race left, we are currently in 4<sup>th</sup> position. Well done to Evan (6th), Sam, Aiden, Josef and Michael.

## Killigrew v The Abbey Netball

The Abbey Primary School came to Killigrew for our second game of the league. They came full of energy and the whole game was fast and competitive.

We defended very well in the first half which ended 2-0 to Abbey. We continued to make it tricky for Abbey to get the ball into the circle and worked the ball up the court on the counterattack.

Unfortunately, it wasn't meant to be, and Abbey came away with the win. It was a challenging lose, but we played well and have given ourselves some targets for the next game.

Well done to Isabella, William, Elyssia, Amber, Grace, Chloe, Elaina, Sienna and Mollie

## Killigrew v Prae Wood Football

Prae Wood welcomed Killigrew for our league football match on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February. The game was a close encounter between the two schools. The first half ended 0-0, with both teams having opportunities to take the lead. The game appeared to be going for a stalemate draw when Prae Wood scored with 5 minutes to go.

Killigrew's determination and perseverance in continuing to play paid off with a wonderful individual goal by William, who dribbled the ball from the half-way line and scored with a well placed finished. With less than a minute remaining, Rio found himself one on one with the goalkeeper and managed to stay composed and score the winning goal with a brilliant finish.

Well done to Josef, Aiden, William, Nate, Fabien, Rio, Edward, Hudson, Leo and Michael.

## **Killigrew v Bowmansgreen Girls' Football**

On Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February, Killigrew girls' team continued our title race by hosting Bowmansgreen. We started the game full of confidence and Grace opened the score line early. The confidence continued with all players pushing up the pitch and creating chances. Killigrew were 5-1 up at half time.

In the second half, Killigrew had to show patience as Bowmansgreen kept it a goalless half up to the last kick of the game where Georgina made the final score 6-1.

Well done girls: Isabella, Grace, Georgina, Elyssia, Poppy, Keira, Elaina, Indy and Amber.

## **Killigrew A v Gardens Field Cup Football**

Killigrew played their next round in the cup on Monday away against a very strong Garden Fields team. After seeing an impressive Garden Fields at a tournament, we were ready.

The whole team showed admirable determination and gave them a very tough game. We defended well and didn't let them

have many shots on goal. Jacob made a superb save on the line and we came close to scoring when we hit the cross bar ending the first half 0-0.

As it was a cup game, we knew we needed to score. We pressed higher up the pitch and had some extremely close chances. After a smart bit of play from Garden Fields, they managed to get their goal.

The game ended 1-0. A skilful and competitive game. Well done: Jacob, Sam, Sammy, Finlay, Theo, Georgina, Evan, Matthew and Michael.

### **Feedback Form 22-23**

Please add any positive comments, concerns or suggestions:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=UKgBZMCcg0yzyPngbCwRs9svUSsaXKhIrJIleIKv0S9UNIJRUFM2MTYzODILUEk5MVNMOVpCN0IWQy4u>

Name:

Child's Class:

## Dates for the Diary 2022-23

**(Any changes/additions to the previous week will be highlighted)**

Date	Event
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	Readathon started
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	PTA Year 2 Bake Sale
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Y3 St Albans Cathedral trip
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> March	Farm visit
13 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup> March	British science week
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Y4 Rye Meads trip
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Pelican class assembly
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	PTA Mother's Day Gifts
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Mini Police Assembly Y5 9.00am Y6 2.30pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Mr Mitchell's music concert 2.45pm Band Club and Peacock class
	Non uniform day for Easter 'Eggstravaganza' (chocolate donations please)
	Goldfinch class assembly
w.b. 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter hat parade
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Y6 Bhaktivedanta Manor trip
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	PTA Easter 'Eggstravaganza'
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Mr Mitchell's music concert 1.30pm YR and Goldfinches class Last day of term (2:15pm/2:20pm finish)
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Readathon ends
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Summer term begins
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> April	Kingfisher class assembly Book Look 3:15pm-3:45pm
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April	Y4 Ancient Egypt Day
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Puffin class assembly
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Bank holiday
All of May	KS1 SATs
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May- Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	Y5 Phasels Wood residential trip
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Cardinal class assembly
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank holiday (school closed)
9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 SATs
w.b. 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Local history week
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA Reception classes Bake Sale
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Nightingale class assembly
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Y5 Phasels Wood assembly
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 sports day
29 <sup>th</sup> May-2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Half term (school closed)
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	INSET day (school closed)
w.b. 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 multiplication table checks
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception class assembly Book Look 3:15pm-3:45pm
w.b. 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 multiplication table checks

	Y1 phonic screening check
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA Year 4 Bake Sale
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA Father's Day Gifts
w.b. 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 work shadowing week
w.b. 26 <sup>th</sup> June	School fundraising week
	Y6 Bikeability
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	PTA Summer Fayre
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Infant sports day
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Annual school report sent home
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	PTA Year 5 Bake Sale
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July 2:00pm	Y6 play
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 9:00am	Y6 play
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Transition day-meet the new teacher
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Mr Mitchell's music concert
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 leavers' assembly
	End of term for children (2:15pm/2:20pm finish)
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	INSET day (school closed)

