

# KEA NEWS 12 May 2017

### A GREAT PLACE TO LEARN AND MAKE FRIENDS



#### Year 4 Bishops Forum

On Thursday 4 May, year 4 went to camp at BF Adventure. Here are some of the things they said about it:

Ruby "I loved canoeing because it was a very hot day and we all got soaked so it was very refreshing."

Mili "I found out I was good at canoeing and even though the force of the water was hard, I still managed it."

Harry "I found out that I was good at archery, like Robin Hood."

Findlay "I enjoyed the climbing, because it took my fear away.

Caitlin E "Sitting by the camp fire, drinking warm hot

chocolate and singing songs was awesome!"

Bella "When we did the rock climbing, Ms Averre said I should take it up and do it more often."

Matisse "The zip wire was amazing. I wish I could have stayed longer."

Lucie "I am not scared of heights now, since doing the zip wire."









#### **The Somalia Concert**

On Saturday evening, most of the choir went to Kea church to raise money for people in Somalia. We sang 3 songs: 'I turn on the tap', 'Tomorrow' and 'Aliens'. Kea Community Choir also sang 3 songs, including the Bare Necessities. At the end, there were refreshments, which we enjoyed! We raised £1.385. By Olivia and Susannah (year 5)

PS. Mrs Wheeler said she was really proud, because we sang so well and got a huge clap from the audience.



#### **Weekly Attendance Figures**

The attendance target set by the government is 95%. Kea School's attendance figures for week ending 5 May 2017: Whole school - 95.18 % Foundation Class - 87.50 % Year I – 91.67% Year 2 - 97.18 Year 3 - 97.92% Year 5 - 95.26 Year 6 - 98.33%. Well done years 2 - 6. Year 4 - 98.33%

#### Robyn Filming Day

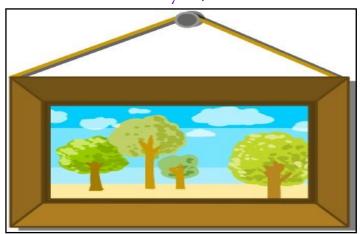
Robyn in Year 5 spent two days filming her role as an evacuee in a major film to be released in 2018. The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society is directed by Mike Newell (Four Weddings and a Funeral / Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire) and stars Lily James, Penelope Wilton and Matthew Goode, who all featured in Downton Abbey. Robyn filmed her role in Clovelly, North Devon, alongside actors such as Tom Courtney. Well done Robyn - we look forward to the film's release.

## **Fidget Toys**

A large number of children have recently started bringing in fidget toys such as cubes and spinners. Unfortunately, in most cases, rather than supporting children with concentration, they are actually a distraction - in some cases, a significant distraction to themselves and everyone around them. Teachers are requesting that children do not bring these toys into class. In instances where we feel a child would benefit from any kind of sensory aids, we will talk to their parents and ensure that they are supported in the best possible way.

	KEA SCHOOL - DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
<u>May</u>	
Mon 15	Bags to School Collection
Mon 15	All day Bikeability Session - group I
Tues 16	All day Bikeability Session - group 2
Tues 16	5.00 pm New YF Sep 17 Parent Meeting
Fri 19	Year 5 & 6 Quadkids Athletics Qualifier at Carn Brea
Wed 24	8.00 AM Year 5 leaving to go to Porthpean
Wed 24	3.00 pm Stay and Learn parent session in Foundation Class
Fri 26	PM Year 5 returning from Porthpean
Fri 26	Break up for half term
Fri 26	9.15-10.00 AM Year 1 & Year 2 Parents Invited to share work on Explorers and Adventures
	Year 3 & 4 Quadkids Athletics Qualifier at Carn Brea
<u>June</u>	
Mon 5	Back to school
Mon 5	2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2017 Learning Together Session
Fri 9	Year 5 & 6 NSPCC Workshops
Fri 9	8.30 AM Year F to Year I Transition Session for Year F parents
w/c 12	Year I Phonics check
Mon 12	2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2017 Learning Together Session
Wed I4	9.15 am Class Photos
Fri 16	Year 3-6 tennis festival at Penair
Mon 19	11.00 am Sports Day
Tues 20	Resources & Safeguarding Committee meeting 8.00 am
Tues 20	Teaching & Learning Committee meeting 2.00 pm
Wed 21	2.45 PM Years F – 6 Open Afternoon
Fri 23	Big primary summary sports festival at Penair
Mon 26	2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2017 Learning Together Session
	Y6 Residential Visit to London
Fri 28	2.45 PM Year F to Year I Transition Session for Year F parents
	2.73 FFT Teal 1 to Teal 1 Transition Session for Teal 1 parents
July	
Mon 3	Last 2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2016 Learning Together Session
Tues 4	Y6 Induction at Richard Lander & Penair
Tues 4	Move up day for all classes
Wed 5	Y6 Induction at Richard Lander & Penair
Wed 5	Full Governors meeting 6.30 pm
Mon 10	2.45 PM Year F to Year I Transition Session for Year F parents
Thurs 13	KSF Disco
Sat 15	Kea Fete
Mon 17	KS2 rehearsal in Kea Church all day (parents to drop and collect children from Church)
Tues 18	KS2 dress rehearsal in school hall
Wed 19	AM KS2 dress rehearsal in Kea Church (parents to drop and collect children from Church)
Wed 19	2.00 pm KS2 Production - Kea Church
Wed 19	6.00 pm KS2 Production - Kea Church
Thur 20	6.00 pm KS2 Production - Kea Church
Mon 24 Tues 25	2.00 pm Y6 Leavers' assembly
Tues 25	Children break up

# 2017 Kea Day Picture Competition "My Kea"



Age groups: 11 and under, 16 and under and over 16.

Pictures in any medium including photography
Judging will take place prior to Kea Day and results will be
announced at Kea Day on the 20<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Pictures to be no larger than A4 and to have name, age if under
16 and contact details on back
Pictures to be delivered to Cllr Pam Roberts,
47 Old Coach Road, Playing Place, TR3 6ET by 8<sup>th</sup> May.
For any additional information please contact the clerk at
clerk@keaparishcouncil.org.uk

# Kea Community Day

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May from 2 – 5pm Kea Community centre & Park

Meet your Parish Councillors

Display of old photos from around the parish

Free bouncy castle

Displays from local groups and businesses

#### Refreshments

Come and see what your community has to offer.

For further info contact clerk@keaparishcouncil.org.uk

