TEAM KEDINGTON

Summer Newsletter

What an amazing sporting term we had here at Kedington last term! The Year 5 and 6 swimming squad won the swimming gala and will be competing, for the second year in a row, at the county finals in Bury St Edmunds in July! The Hockey team also put in an amazing performance and we came second overall just missing out on a place in the county finals. Our Year 4 gymnasts returned to school proudly wearing their bronze medals for their amazing efforts in the gymnastics competition in Sudbury. I was also super proud of the entire school for joining in with our cross country running inter-house competition and Bollywood Dancing too. So great to see so many super sports people in our school! As always, it has been a pleasure seeing the children taking such an active role in their school life. A very big well done to you all. Mrs Masson

Summer Tournament Dates

Thursday 23rd May – Year 5&6 Girls and Mixed Cricket Tournament, Haverhill Cricket Club, 1.00pm - 4.30pm

Wednesday 5th June – Year 4 Tennis Tournament, Haverhill Tennis Club, 9.00am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 12th June – Rounders Tournament, Samuel Ward, Haverhill, 2.00pm – 5.00pm

Thursday 20th June – Year 5&6 Quadkids Castle Manor, Haverhill, 2.00pm – 5.00pm

Transport

In order to transport children to these events, I need parental help with transport. Where possible, we ask parents if they are available to help get their children and others to the events. This worked well last term and I was hugely appreciative of all the support from parents who acted as taxi drivers for me! Thank you!

PE PREMIUM FUNDING

In 2017, the government doubled the PE budget in schools to tackle the increasing issue of childhood obesity and also, worryingly, for the first time in history our children's life expectancy is lower than our own due to more sedentary lifestyles. This funding is intended to be used to get children more active and introduce them to a variety of sporting opportunities. This money has been spent funding afterschool clubs for two terms to try to encourage as many children to take part in a club or sport as we can. We have also bought new equipment for the school and have provided opportunities for all pupils to take part in a wide variety of sports. This year we have introduced inter-house competitions with our winter sports school games competition last term, and this term we are planning a cross country running event for all classes.

Summer Term After School Clubs

Monday	–	Circuits Year 3, 4, 5, 6 - Miss Jolland
Tuesday	–	Lacrosse/Athletics Year 3, 4, 5, 6 - A&M Sports
Wednesday	–	Archery Year 1, 2 - Prestige Sports
Thursday	–	Cricket Club Year 3, 4, 5, 6 - A&M Sports
Friday	–	Gymnastics Club Year 1, 2, 3, 4 - Prestige

As always, a huge thank you for your continued support! I look forward to seeing you at the sidelines watching our talented children