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Although it has been a short half-term, we have managed to fit so much into it! It has been wonderful to see so many different activities and brilliant learning taking place over the past four weeks, with this week busier than ever!

> Our Reception children have started doing athletics, ready for their first Kingstone Sports Day. They have been working so hard, been fantastic sports and have enjoyed doing PE out in the sunshine!

What a fantastic week it's been for our Year 5 and 6 pupils who kicked off the week with a thrilling poetry slam contest, where five talented students made it through to the finals—what an achievement!

As the Hay Festival has now opened, we have taken advantage of how close we are to this fabulous event over the past two days! On Thursday Years 5 and 6 took a trip to Hay On Wye, where the children had a brilliant time listening to

Patrice Lawrence sharing insights about her books. Today, some children from Year 6 joined some KHS students to return to the festival, where they met Nicola Davies, an author and zoologist who used to present the BBC's, 'The Really Wild Show.'

It has also been a week full of maths activities, with the whole school having some involvement in an event! Year 6 were a huge support with the Maths Inter-house competitions, showcasing their skills and teamwork. Well done and thank you to Mrs OJ for her brilliant organisation of the events this week.

With best wishes for a lovely half-term break. I look forward to seeing everyone back ready for the final half term on Monday 2nd June.

Elissa Vigus Headteacher



Stars of the Week

Reception - Noah for his brilliant efforts during phonics.

Shelley for her positive attitude and trying her best.

Year 1 - Hallie-Rae for great predictions in our science experiment.

Athena for amazing answers during carpet time.

<u>Year 2 - Elena for always being ready to help others.</u>

George for his brilliant focus during tricky tasks.

Year 3 - Mikayla for her mature writing style in our instructional writing.

Jesse for demonstrating great leadership skills in the Demathlon.

Year 4 - Miles for getting a mind-blowing 130 times tables question correct in only 60 seconds, giving him a time of 0.46 seconds to answer each question!

Betty for amazing all the year 4 staff with her determination to learn all her times tables; we are blown away by her progress!

<u>Year 5 - Henry for always being a great sportsman and kind to others.</u>

★ Esme for a fantastic setting description of an Anglo-Saxon village.

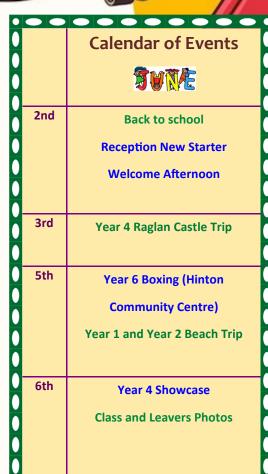
<u>Year 6 - Clayton</u> for representing the school well when a visiting school came.

Theo T for being an excellent role model for the infants.









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We are aware that we have a few cases of head lice in the school. Please can you be extra vigilant and check your child's hair and treat if necessary.









Daisy Mikayla





