



Penn Fields School Newsletter

Where every moment is a learning opportunity and that every moment matters

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H5 Adventure

Students enjoyed a visit from H5 adventure and took part in the fun filled inflatable balloon dome and assault course. H5 Adventure specialises in providing Team Building activities for schools. Their energizing and varied activities are designed to build positive relationships within a safe and supportive environment.



Learning Outside the Classroom

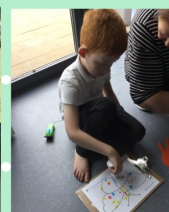
Nurture have been learning about growing. We have been visiting the allotments over the last few weeks and learning new skills. We have had great fun planting, watering, cleaning the pond, having picnics and den building.



Science

Life cycle of a butterfly

Acorn Class have loved watching our caterpillars transform into butterflies and fly away...



PIC COLLAGE



This weeks sign of the week is **Disability**.
 For more information about Makaton,
 videos and signs of the week please visit:
<https://www.makaton.org/>



Kingswood Trust are inviting families to attend their open morning which is taking place on **Saturday 20th July** from **10:00-13:00**. This will be a chance to have a look around the site that Oak Class have their annual residential, indoors and out and to chat to staff and volunteers.
 For parents, this is a good opportunity to see what the centre is like and to alleviate any worries prior to visits here or for children to show their family what Kingswood is like if they have attended on a day visit or residential stay. There will be fun activities and trails, including pond dipping and meeting the pets.
 Kingswood Trust became a charity in 2014, so they are 10 years old this year, They have some displays relating to their history that older people may be interested in too, so they are also inviting people to come and share their memories and see how the place has changed over the last 100+ years.

SHAPE
YOUTH SUMMER FEST
CAREERS EXPO
 FOR 14 - 19 YEAR OLDS (AND UP TO 24 YEARS WITH AN EHCP)
SATURDAY 13 JULY 2024 12NOON—4PM

A fantastic opportunity to inspire and motivate you about future careers opportunities!
Discover next steps with employers, apprenticeship providers, colleges, universities and Connexions Sandwell careers advisers all under one roof.
 At Sandwell Valley, Salters Lane, West Bromwich, B71 4BG
 To register for your **FREE** tickets, click on the event tab on our website.
WWW.CONNEXIONSANDWELL.CO.UK

Important Information—School Lunches

Please clear all catering balances before the end of term via School Comms, we do not accept cash on-site.

From September there will be a price increase for school meals from £2.75 to £2.90.

If you wish to change your child's meal pattern please contact the office - office@pennfields.com.

Summer Term 2024

Term Time:

Term Time: Monday 3rd June to Friday 19th July 2024

School Closes Early on Friday 19th July

Early Closure Times: Lower School 12.45 Upper School 1.15

Back to School:

Autumn Term 2024

Monday 2 September 2024 – School Closed – INSET Day

Tuesday 3rd September 2024 – School Closed INSET Day

Term Time: Tuesday 3September 2024 to Friday 25 October 2024

Half term: Monday 28 October 2024 to Friday 1 November 2024

Term Time: Monday 4 November 2024 to Friday 20 December 2024 – School Closes Early

