



Knypersley News

Learning Together, Learning for Life

6th March 2020

Diary Dates

March Dates

10th March

Busy Bees Assembly—Parents Invited

12th March—9am

Class 7 Assembly—Parents Invited

12th March—Year 2 SATs Meeting at 9.10am and 6pm

13th March

Non-Uniform Day for Sport Relief—Donation of £1 (Sports Clothes)

17th March—9am

Class 4 Assembly—Parents Invited

17th March

Year 4 Kwik Sticks @ Leisure Centre

18th March—9am

Daffodil Service with Year 4—Parents Invited

19th March—9am

Class 5 Assembly—Parents Invited

25th March—1.15pm

Year 2 Change for Life @ Biddulph Leisure Centre

27th March

Nursery from visit from Oakley Farm

Year 2 Forest School—Parent Engagement

April Dates

1st April—9.15am

Nursery and Reception—Easter Bonnet Parade

2nd April—Deadline for Nursery Applications

PTFA Film Night—3.30pm

3rd April—School Closes for Easter Break

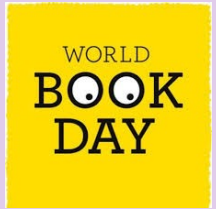
Holiday lists and important dates have all been updated and are available on our website.

www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk/calendar

Any upcoming events can be found on the Knypersley calendar on our website.

World Book Day—Thursday 5th March

To celebrate World Book Day the children were able to come to school in their own clothes and bring their favourite book. We also had lots of children who brought their Reading Spuddies into school for Mrs Goodyear to look at. She was spoilt for choice on who should win but we can reveal the winning reading Spuddies are.....



Poppy Wood & Harry Foot—Nursery

Lily Bedson & Jesse Jones—Reception

Poppy Giles & Sienna Grace Barnett—Year 1

Rohan Knapper & Max Dohnal—Year 2

Macie Shaw & Mathew Wright—Year 3

Evie Weeks & Freddie Cockerton—Year 4



Knypersley Rocks!

Knypersley Rockstars for last week are...



Nursery

Jaxon Smith & Hugo Richards

Busy Bees

Darcie Flowers

Caterpillars

Toby Gayle

Class 2

Owen Harvey

Class 3

Hetty Richards

Class 4

William Chambers

Class 5

Neve Bateman

Class 6

Etti Gordon

Class 7

Macie Shaw

This week we are looking for Rockstars who can be super mathematicians

Thank you so much for making Knypersley the best place to be!

Attendance

Busy Bees	99.2%	Class 5	96.9%
Caterpillars	93.3%	Class 6	98.3%
Class 2	98.3%	Class 7	99.1%
Class 3	95.4%	Class 8	100%
Class 4	96.6%	Class 9	97.9%

Last week's winners were

Class 8 with 100%

FANTASTIC AND WELL DONE

Whole School Attendance 97.5%

School target — 96.5%

Sport Relief and Daily Mile

Next week we are launching our Daily Mile! Bee Active are coming to deliver an assembly and show us our circuit. We will attempt to run this on a regular basis to help raise our fitness levels.

This has coincided with celebrating Sports Relief next week and on Friday we invite the children to come dressed in sportswear and to bring a donation of £1. They will take part in some fun sporting events!



Please check our website and twitter for more news, dates and updates through the week at @KnypersleyFirst or www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk

Lunchtime Stars

Busy Bees	Harry Finan-Lovatt
Caterpillars	Lexi James
Class 2	Harriet Chaddock
Class 3	Henrietta Richards
Class 4	William Roberts
Class 5	Max Dohnal
Class 6	Mathew Wright
Class 7	Mya Walford
Class 8	Freddie Cockerton
Class 9	Isabelle Oultram

Lunchtime Merit Award

Lewis & Thomas Plant for using good manners.

Celebrate Good Times!

Worker of the Week

Busy Bees	Lexi James
Caterpillars	Benjamin Cotterill
Class 2	Megan Barlow
Class 3	Ellie-Mae Cowdrey
Class 4	Gracie Heath
Class 5	Harley Whiting
Class 6	Thomas Belford
Class 7	Tyler Wilshaw
Class 8	All of Class 8
Class 9	Hugo Cook & Max Dawson-English

Achiever of the Week

Busy Bees	Archie Reynolds
Creative Caterpillars	Kallen Burdett
Class 2	Connor Wilshaw
Class 3	Lydia Capon
Class 4	Rohan Raneer
Class 5	Scarlett Baker
Class 6	Noah Bedson, Levi Brown & Kylan Surtees
Class 7	Lyra Westcott
Class 8	Donovan McGregor, Lukas Vindasius & Izaak Fynney
Class 9	All of Class 9

Congratulations

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

You will see we have now displayed posters around school providing advice to you and your family about the Coronavirus.

We do take your children's health seriously and as a school we are taking every step possible to ensure that these guidelines are being followed.

Please take time to look at the information we have been provided with by the Government and the NHS and also take a look at the video link below to familiarise yourself with the steps that need to be taken to keep you and your family safe.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kJhWI1LLz5Q>



Music for Youth

Mr Gillespie and 12 of our children were lucky enough to attend a Music for Youth event at the Victoria Hall in Hanley on Wednesday 3rd March. The children were able to discover a variety of music styles and experience a live concert.

Knypersley shared this experience with Oxhey First School, Kingsfield First School and Reginald Mitchell Primary School.

The children had a fantastic time and we give Mr Gillespie a big thank you for organising this for the children.



We start week 1 of the school dinner menu next week.

House points

Congratulations to Air



Fire 368 Water 352

Air 405 Earth 293

Keep up the good work everyone!

Nursery Application Reminder

Another quick reminder from our Early Years staff that the closing date for our September Nursery intake is Thursday 3rd April.

If your child is 3 on or before 31st August 2020, please call into the School Office to collect an application form.

Knypersley First School PTFA Lottery

- Knypersley First School PTFA has launched a lottery
- Tickets cost just £1 per week and 40% of ticket sales are donated to our school.
- Visit www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play and search Knypersley First School.
- Draws are every Saturday at 8pm and winners are posted



You have to be in it to win it!

Important Date for your Diary

On the 7th May our school will be used as a Polling Station for the Police and Crime Commissioner Elections.

School will be closed to all children on this day and re-open after the Bank Holiday on Monday 11th May.