



Knypersley News

Learning Together, Learning for Life

23rd January 2019

Diary Dates

YEAR 2 TRIP

24th January—Wind in the Willows. New Vic Theatre

PARENTS ESAFETY WORKSHOP

5th February—6pm—Hall

YEAR 4 QUICK STICKS FESTIVAL

7th February—1.15pm Biddulph Valley Leisure Centre

YEAR 3 AND 4 PARENT WORKSHOP—LETS UNPICK WRITING

12th February—2pm & 6pm

SCHOOL CLOSSES FOR HALF TERM

Friday 15th February

SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN

Tuesday 26th February at 8.45am

YEAR 4 STANDON BOWERS TRIP

Wednesday 27th February to Friday 1st March

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

www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk

[Calendar page](#)

IMPORTANT SNOW CLOSURE INFORMATION



If it is not possible to open the school due to adverse weather conditions, we will announce the closure via:

1. Text Via Teachers2Parents
 2. Twitter@KnypersleyFirst
 3. School website www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk
 4. Staffordshire County Council school closure website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk/education/schoolsandcolleges/emergencyclosures/schoolclosurelist
- This will also have details of other school closures in Staffordshire.
5. BBC Radio Stoke / Signal Radio, however, please do not rely on these as their reports are often delayed.

We will aim to make a decision regarding closure by 7.15 am. Please note that the school will only make an announcement if the school is to be closed. No announcement will be made if the school is to remain open.

Should the school have to close prior to the end of a normal school day, which includes all clubs and Kidz Zone:

1. A message will be sent via the text service
2. Twitter and the school website will be updated

We are happy for other parents to collect your child but you **MUST** inform us of this arrangement before we will allow them to leave school.

Attendance

Busy Bees	100%	Class 5	100%
Caterpillars	94.0%	Class 6	99.0%
Class 2	99.0%	Class 7	98.0%
Class 3	100%	Class 8	98.3%
Class 4	99.7%	Class 9	100%



Last Week's Winners were

Class Busy Bees, Class 3, Class 5 and Class 9 with 100%

AN EXTRA PLAY ON FRIDAY FOR OUR WINNERS

FANTASTIC AND WELL DONE

Last Week's Whole School Attendance – 98.8% YEAH!!!

School target — 96.5%

This week's whole school focus is 'We can walk in our corridors.'

Student of the Week

Busy Bees	Keenan McCann-Jones
Creative	Poppy Giles
Caterpillars	
2	Freddie Dickenson
3	William Roberts
4	Etti Gordon
5	Edward Allen
6	All of Class 6
7	Kori Evans
8	Logan Pepper
9	Daisy Whitehurst

Worker of the Week

Busy Bees	Conor Hampson
Creative	Bella Christie
Caterpillars	
2	Henry Reynolds
3	Olivya Jukes
4	David Gibson
5	Ewan Shields
6	Joseph Hollinshead
7	Reggie Brennan
8	Hannah Fuller
9	Carly

Congratulations

Please check our website and twitter for more news, calendar dates and updates through the week at @KnypersleyFirst

We are on Week 3 of the school dinner menu this week.

Please remember all Newsletters and holiday lists are on our school website.

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Lunchtime Stars

Busy Bees	Maddison Shaw
Caterpillars	Colin Goddard
Class 2	Scarlett Baker
Class 3	William Chambers
Class 4	Thomas Belford
Class 5	Preston Willott
Class 6	Freddie Cockerton
Class 7	Ellie Siddall
Class 8	Carla Bosson
Class 9	Sophie Belford

Lunchtime Merit Award

All helping hands people from Class 8 and 9

LOST PROPERTY



One of our parents have handed in a pair of black leather gloves which were found on the bottom playground last week. They have not been re-united with their owners yet and with the cold weather upon us we are sure they must be being missed. If you have lost any gloves please come to the school office. Thank you.

BIG SCHOOLS' BIRDWATCH



Knypersley children and staff would like to say a big thank you to all of our fabulous parents who have kindly provide donations ready for the Big Schools' Birdwatch. Our children are really excited for this event and have enjoyed making bird food. Our birds are certainly going to be looked after.

Reception Request

Our Early Years staff need your help. If you have any spare rolls of wallpaper for our children to use in their activities it would be appreciated.

Thank you from all our Early Years Staff

House points

Congratulations to Fire!



Fire	664	Water	598
Air	531	Earth	647

A big well done to all our children who are trying really hard to gain house points for their team.