



Knypersley News Learning Together, Learning for Life

27th February 2019

Diary Dates

RECEPTION FOREST SCHOOL

1st March—Forest School starts

29th March—Forest School parent engagement

PARENT AND TODDLER **SWIMMING**

1st March—Swimming starts

YEAR 1 PARENT ENGAGEMENT

4th March—2pm

PARENTS EVENING

5th March 5—7pm Whole School 6th March 3.30-5 pm Whole School

YEAR 2 PARENT ENGAGEMENT

8th March 2pm—'Weasles Out'

SPRING DISCOS 14th March

YR & Y1 - 3.30pm

Y2,3,4 - 4:45pm

YEAR 2 CHANGE FOR LIFE

19th March—Biddulph Valley Leisure Centre—1.15pm

DAFFODIL SERVICE

20th March—9.15am—Year 4 Parents invited.

EASTER BONNET PARADE

28th March— EYFS

Parents invited

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

www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk

Calendar page

Welcome back!

I hope you all had a lovely break and enjoyed the glorious weather and light mornings! It does make you feel better! The children have returned to school with really positive attitudes ready to be the best Knypersley pupils they can be! This half term is a busy one, with lots of dates. Please refer to the calendar page

Young Voices

A massive congratulations to all of the children who took part in the Young Voices event at the Manchester Arena recently. After weeks of hard work practising, children and staff made us all proud with their performance. If parents wish to purchase the DVD then please visit the Young Voices website. Please visit our twitter page @Knypersleyfirst to view pictures posted of the night.

Short Tennis

Due to Mr Ingram taking a well deserved holiday there will be no short tennis until Thursday 14th March.



Attendance

Busy Bees	96.6%	Class 5	96.9%
Caterpillars	90.3%	Class 6	96.7%
Class 2	98.0%	Class 7	94.0%
Class 3	96.7%	Class 8	94.7%
Class 4	98.7%	Class 9	94.3%

Winners for week commencing 11th February were

Class 4 with 98.7%

AN EXTRA PLAY ON FRIDAY FOR OUR WINNERS **FANTASTIC AND WELL DONE**

Last Week's Whole School Attendance - 95.7%

School target — 96.5%



Please remember all Newsletters and holiday lists are on our school website. www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk

> Keep up to date with everything on our twitter account @KnypersleyFirst

This week's whole school focus is 'We can use our 5 B's in class to become more independent'

Standon Bowers

Y4 have left on their exciting adventures to Standon Bowers today. They were very excited to experience lots of new activities. We know they will learn lots of new skills, become more independent and make lots of amazing memories. They will be very tired this weekend! Fingers crossed this weather holds! Keep up to date with their antics on our twitter feed.



Spring Discos

The PTFA are hosting Spring discos on Thursday 14th March.

• YR and YI at 3:30—4:30pm. Tickets cost £3.50 and includes entry, a drink, hot dog, sweets and a glow bracelet



Y2,3,4 at 5-6pm Tickets cost £2.50 and include entry, a drink and hotdog.

Tickets are on sale in class from 7th March.

World Book Day THURSDAY 7th MARCH



The children have chosen to come to school in **non uniform NOT COSTUMES.**Please can your child bring in their favourite book and perhaps some clues for that book so we can play "Guess the book?". Each child will receive a £1 book token.
We will undertake lots of exciting reading activities during the day.



School has been made aware of the Momo challenge that has been appearing on some popular apps such as What's app, Facebook YouTube and YouTubeKids.

We understand that this has caused upset, distress and panic with some children and their families.

Parental guidance can be found on

http://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/platform-guides/momo-online-safety-guide-for-parents or call in to the office to ask for a leaflet.

Please be vigilant when your child is going online to avoid further upset and distress.

If your child does ask questions please reiterate to your child that it is unreal and only a story.

Please ensure your child is not actively searching for content online or discussing and scaring other children.

Thank you

You should have received your invite to parents evening next week. Please return all slips by FRIDAY 1st March 2019. Thank you

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



Please could you check your ParentPay accounts and make sure any outstanding amounts are cleared as soon as possible for dinners and/or KidzZone. Thank you.