



Knypersley News

Learning Together, Learning for Life

16th October 2020

MRS MINTON



We are pleased to announce that Miss Kaminskas is getting married in the half term holidays. When she returns in November she will be known as Mrs Minton. We wish her best wishes for a fabulous wedding and a wonderful life together!

With the number of COVID cases increasing in Biddulph, I urge everyone to help protect one another in and around school. Please ensure that only ONE adult enters our school playground, please ensure you adhere to social distancing whilst following the one way system. Please wear a mask if you need to come into the school office area. Please do not be tempted to have conversations with staff during drop off and collections, either phone, text or email to ask questions. Teachers will liaise with one another to ensure siblings are ready for collection at the same time.

Thank you so much for your support with this.



Knypersley Rocks!

This week's Knypersley Rockstars are.....



Whole school

Archie Wheawall

Chosen by Mrs Goodyear

Nursery

Lyra Turner and Louie Wheawall

Busy Bees

Nancy Salisbury

Creative Caterpillars

Alithea Ibrahim

Class 2

Kami-Jay Mayer

Class 3

Amber Whiston

Class 4

George McNally

Class 5

Isabelle Baskeyfield

Class 6

Maisie Evans

Class 7

Eden Short

Class 8

Macie Shaw

Class 9

Etti Gordon

For empathising with those less fortunate than themselves

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

Next week's Rockstars 'always speak the truth'

Attendance

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|--------------|-------|---------|-------|
| Busy Bees | 88.2% | Class 5 | 96.1% |
| Caterpillars | 96.5% | Class 6 | 98.9% |
| Class 2 | 100% | Class 7 | 97.2% |
| Class 3 | 99% | Class 8 | 97% |
| Class 4 | 94% | Class 9 | 98.7% |



Last week's winners were

Class 5 with 100%

FANTASTIC AND WELL DONE

Last Week's Whole School Attendance – 96.5% School target — 96.5%

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT PARENTPAY

In these strange times we are always finding new ways to be able to communicate with our parents.

A quick and easy way to get information to you is by emailing through ParentPay. The vast majority of our parents have already activated their accounts as this is the way the payments are made for trips, school meals and KidzZone.

In order for us to be able to keep in touch with you and to make sure that you never miss any important information, if you have yet to activate your account, please contact the school office so that we can guide you through the process.



World Mental Health Day

We recognised World Mental Health Day last Friday by holding a non-uniform day.



We would like to thank you for your kind donations at this difficult time.

Together we raised a massive £280 which will be donated to Younger Minds to help with the fantastic work they do for young people. Go Team Knypersley!

Calling all Nursery Parents

Is your child due to start Reception in September 2021?

You will need to apply online at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions

Opening Application Date: 1st November 2020

Closing Application Date: 15th January 2021

Offer Date: 16th April 2021

As you can appreciate at this moment in time we will not be able to allow any visitors into our school to view the Reception Classes. Thank you for your understanding.

If you need any information regarding reception admissions or a paper copy of the information letter, please telephone the school office or email admin@knypersley.staffs.sch.uk.

Flu Vaccinations

This year's flu vaccinations will be taking place on Friday 23rd October.



Vaccinations are available to all children from Reception through to Year 4.

The link for consent has now been text to all parents involved, this needs to be done by Thursday 22nd October. Any problem please contact the school office.

We start week 2 of the school dinner menu next week.



Celebrate Good Times!

Worker of the Week

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| Busy Bees | Neo Harrison |
| Creative Caterpillars | Ethan Wilcox |
| Class 2 | Alfie Monticelli |
| Class 3 | Archie Reynolds |
| Class 4 | Arlo Hughes |
| Class 5 | Poppy Giles |
| Class 6 | Freddie Dickenson |
| Class 7 | Evie Pointon |
| Class 8 | Ethan Chaddock |
| Class 9 | Miley Tellwright |

Achiever of the Week

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|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Busy Bees | Samuel Spencer |
| Creative Caterpillars | William Sansome |
| Class 2 | Harry Finan-Lovatt |
| Class 3 | Sullivan Creasey |
| Class 4 | Niall Hughes |
| Class 5 | Isabella Christie |
| Class 6 | Riley Curley |
| Class 7 | Teagan Byng |
| Class 8 | Owen Willcox |
| Class 9 | Connor Fitch |

Congratulations

House points

Congratulations to Water!!



Fire 333 Water 323

Air 291 Earth 353

Keep up the good work everyone!

School Photographs



School Photographs took place this week.

We have been informed that the proofs will be with us shortly and we can then arrange for these to come home with your child.

Tempest have asked that ALL order are to be placed on online.

Please check our website and twitter for more news, dates and updates through the week at [@KnypersleyFirst](https://twitter.com/KnypersleyFirst) or www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk