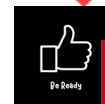


07/06/2024



The 'Knypersley News'

Learning together, learning for life!



A message from Mrs Rourke...

Thank you to everyone for your support with our non uniform day today and your kind donations for the summer fair we really appreciate it. This week we have launched our new school Facebook page. Please can I urge you to read the Facebook offer shared on the spotlight page of this newsletter which clarifies what we will use Facebook for. If you are not already on Facebook and would like support to create an account we are offering a drop in session on Thursday 13th June from 3.30 p.m. Pop in via the school office and Miss Leese will give you all the help you need.

If you are already an active 'Facebooker' please don't forget to 'like' our page Knypersley First.

A warm welcome to our new swimming teacher Mrs Thwaite, she has completed a wide range of induction and is raring to go. Her feedback to date is that she has loved every minute of her time in the pool this week- long may this continue. Watch this space for news about our swimming awards and the ideas she has to relaunch them.

This term is one of the busiest of the year with Health and Sports week, our Summer Fair, Careers week, leavers and transition events to name but a few taking place in the next 6 weeks! Everything is on our school calendar so please make a note so that you can organise your diaries and feel fully in the loop with us all. You can find our calendar here: <https://www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk/calendar/>

Have a great weekend everyone
Mrs Rourke and Team Knypersley

Important dates coming soon...

20/6/24 Biddulph
Schools move up day

24/6/24 Health and
Sports week. Sports
days :

24/6 Year 2 1.30pm

25/6 Nursery
9.30am/Reception
1.30pm

26/6 Year 3 1.30pm

27/6 Year 4 1.30pm

28/6 Year 1 1.30pm

28/6/24 Summer Fair
Open evenings 3.30pm
and 6pm

1/7/24 Year 1

2/7/24 Year 2

3/7/24 Year 3

4/7/24 Year 4

5/7/24 Forest School
parental engagement
9.30am—all nursery
pupils



Class	Attendance
Creative Caterpillars	94.14%
Busy Bees	94.1%
Class 2	94.71%
Class 3	94.66%
Class 4	96.02%
Class 5	96.12%
Class 6	96.74%
Class 7	94.52%
Class 8	97%
Class 9	95.77%



This Week's
winner is:
Class 8

Please follow the following link <https://www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk/lunch-menu/> to find our school lunch menu.

On our return we will be following **week 2** of the new **January-July** menu.

PTFA Thank you

Thank you all for your support with the donations that we have had towards the Summer Fair today.

The PTFA are working hard behind the scenes to ensure that the fair is yet again a huge success.

If you would like to support with the organisation of the fair or the set-up on the day please contact the school office.

Our whole school attendance target is 95.61%.

This week, our school attendance was: **95.44%**

Rewards and Celebrations



**Creative Caterpillars –
Ronnie**

Busy Bees– Isabelle

Class 2– Aryanna

Class 3– Florence

Class 4– Thea

Class 5– Amelia

Class 6– Ibrahim

Class 7– James

Class 8– Alfie

Class 9– Ella

Nursery– Arthur

Creative Caterpillars– Leighton

Busy Bees– William

Class 2– Ellemi

Class 3– James

Class 4– Willaim

Class 5– Olivia

Class 6– Finley

Class 7– Lilly

Class 8– Euan

Class 9– Summer

Nursery– Albie

Creative Caterpillars– Aiden

Busy Bees– Jack

Class 2– Willow

Class 3– Lily-Rae

Class 4– All of class 4

Class 5– Liam

Class 6– Cody

Class 7– Harrison

Class 8– Buster

Class 9– Kallen



House Team Award Winners..



Achievements Outside of School...



SUMMER FAIR
Friday 28th June
3:30pm-5pm

Stall hire is now available for a £20 reservation fee.

We are excited to welcome independent businesses to join in the fun!

This is a great opportunity to share your products within the local community.

For more information or to book one of our limited stalls please email us on:
Knypersley.ptfa@cflptrust.co.uk

P.T.F.A.
PARENT TEACHERS FRIENDS ASSOCIATION

Play Equipment

Please can we remind you that the school play equipment is closed during collection and drop-off times.

The children are required to be supervised by teaching staff and a first aider when they access it throughout the school day inline with risk assessments.

Many thanks for your understanding.

Facebook

This week has seen the launch of our new Facebook page.

The page has already generated more interaction than our former social media platform which we feel demonstrates the importance of the move.

Staff are gaining confidence with Facebook and thank you for your patience while they are building up the nerve to press 'post'.

Please can we ask that you support our Facebook page by sharing, liking and following the page.

Please head over to our 'Spotlight' page this week to gain a clear insight into the proposed use of Facebook across the school.

Thank you for your support with our launch and we look forward to seeing you on **13th July** from **3:30pm** if you wish to pop in for to gain support on setting up a Facebook account or navigating our new page.



Staffordshire Connects is a valuable resource that we use frequently in school for direction to agencies that can not only support professionals but also families too!

Community help points are established and trusted places within communities such as libraries, voluntary organisations and/or community centres.

Community help points can help you to:

- Access Staffordshire Connects or access information about local services or activities if you can't access it yourself.
- Become more confident in using the internet to help find information and solutions
- Find out about equipment and technology to make daily living easier.

If you would like support accessing any of the offered support within the page please contact a [DSL listed on our school webpage](#). To check your eligibility please speak to Mrs Taylor in the school office.

Uniform Recycle Centre

Thank you to everyone who has engaged with our new uniform recycling centre (located within the main school office).

We ask that while you look to the next academic year you consider donating out-grown uniform to the centre to support our Green Ambassadors to promote sustainable living.

Thank you for your support with this project.



CLASSES IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Each week on a designated day your child's class teacher will post a 'class in the spotlight' post (see example). Spotlights will feature focus areas of learning from the week to support you in communication about learning at home.



SPECIAL EVENTS

We will use Facebook to support communication of events in school such as non-uniform days and PTFA events.

COMMUNITY LINKS

We will share community links to support your knowledge of what's on offer in the local area such as Biddulph Festivals/ Holiday clubs.

FACEBOOK OFFER



WOW MOMENTS

As well as weekly classroom spotlights, we will be posting videos and picture of special events such as WOW moments in lessons/ parent engagements and forest school sessions.

CFLP UPDATES

We will use Facebook to make links between the CFLP schools evident for our parents and community. We will share training events that our staff have benefitted from to demonstrate the impact being part of the CFLP has for our children/ staff.

COMING SOON



Knypersley in the Spotlight...

Come and Explore!

Toddler Session

£2 donation will cover:
a biscuit, drink
and 1 hour of fun!

Thank you to all who attended our previous Minibeast session. We loved having you all with us!

OUR TERRIFIC TRANSPORT SESSION WILL TAKE PLACE ON:
Tuesday 11th June 10am-11am
WITHIN THE KNYPERSLEY FIRST SCHOOL NURSERY!

Our 'Come and explore' sessions will offer children the chance to play and make sense of the world around them. Our wonderful early years team will plan and run exciting activities for children aged between 2-4 to explore alongside other adventurers!

Adults are offered a hot drink throughout the session and will be encouraged to steal 2 minutes to themselves while the little ones explore!

DURING THIS SESSION WE WILL
EXPLORE:
Terrific Transport!

To hop aboard please call:
01782 973810 to book your
space!



Our Summer Bookshelf!



Nursery



Reception



Year 1



Year 2



Year 3



Year 4