

14/06/2024



The 'Knipersley News'

Learning together, learning for life!



A message from Mrs Rourke...

Today you will have received information via Arbor about the transition events taking place in school over the coming weeks and staffing details for next year. Next Thursday 20th June is 'Biddulph Move Up Day' and our children will visit their new middle school and class. Please take a look at the letter and if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Next week we have a busy careers week planned during which we hope will provide all of our children with an opportunity to learn about the world of work and the huge array of opportunities it provides for us all. We hope to instil the message that anything is possible and allow time for our children to set their sights very high even at this early stage of their learning journey. Visits from a horse eventer, actress, geologist, systems engineer, photographer, police officer and footballer are just a few of the journeys children will hear about.

Thank you to our Football team members who played an away match at Kingsfield First School on Thursday- unfortunately we did not win but our team played well and tried their very best and did us proud! A big thank you to Mrs Minton, Mr Bloor and Mrs Duda for accompanying the children to this event.

Fingers crossed for some warmer weather over the weekend

Thank you

Mrs Rourke and Team Knipersley

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



Class	Attendance
Creative Caterpillars	94.1%
Busy Bees	94.2%
Class 2	94.6%
Class 3	94.7%
Class 4	95.8%
Class 5	95.7%
Class 6	96.7%
Class 7	94.42%
Class 8	97%
Class 9	95.8%



This Week's winner is: **Class 8**

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

On our return we will be following **week 3** of the new **January-July** menu.

Thank you

. A huge thank you to everyone who purchased a Father/ Grandad's Day gift this week.

We raised £191 that will all go back into the school to be spent on our children!

A huge thank you to the PTFA who work hard to source all gifts and to our school council who have sold the gifts over the course of the week.

We would like to wish all the men in our life a very

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Our whole school attendance target is 95.61%.

This week, our school attendance was: **95.36%**

Rewards and Celebrations



Creative Caterpillars— Ivy

Busy Bees- Faye

Class 2- Michael

Class 3- Isla

Class 4- Louie

Class 5- Eliza

Class 6- Oscar

Class 7- Arlo

Class 8- Elliott

Class 9- Darcy

Nursery— Reggie

Creative Caterpillars— Kiernan

Busy Bees- Scarlett

Class 2- Elizabeth

Class 3- Olivia

Class 4- Isla

Class 5- Nevaeh

Class 6- Jenson

Class 7- Sofia

Class 8- Noah

Class 9- Ellie

Nursery- Dexter

Creative Caterpillars- Alex

Busy Bees- Oliver

Class 2- Tilly

Class 3- Cleo

Class 4- Betsy

Class 5- Amelai G

Class 6- Lucy

Class 7- Hugo

Class 8- Quinn

Class 9- Jay



House Team Award Winners..



This week there was 1 point between all teams. A VERY close call—well done to Air, Fire and Water!!

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@cfjptrust.co.uk

P.T.F.A.
PARENTS & TEACHERS FINEARTS ASSOCIATION

WE ARE
HIRING
join our team

Senior Nursery Nurse
Knypersley First School

Knypersley First School is seeking to appoint a Full Time Senior Nursery Nurse (Grade 6 term time only) to work alongside our Nursery Classteacher to plan and deliver an outstanding and ambitious EYFS curriculum within our exceptionally resourced Nursery Unit. This post may well be made permanent for the right candidate.

 **Apply Now**

For more information please call:
01782 973810


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Arbor Medical Records

Please can you review your child's medical records on Arbor. This includes removing old medical needs and adding new updates.

This is important to support staff in keeping your child safe while in school.

We ask that medical records are updated by:

Friday 21st June.

If you require support with updated records please pop into see Mrs Taylor who is on hand to support where needed—thank you.



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! This week we would like to direct you to ['Start 4 Life'](#).

Start 4 Life is a trusted NHS help and advice service during pregnancy, birth and parenthood. You will find lots of useful information on topics such as Healthy eating, vaccinations, smoking, breastfeeding and much more!

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.

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.

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.

YEAR 4

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

11TH JULY FINAL SWIM

LEAVERS SHOW (9:30AM) 12TH JULY

12TH JULY SLEEPOVER -
COLLECTION 9AM
13TH

LEAVERS SHOW - 6:15PM 15TH JULY

16TH JULY SANDHOLE TRIP

FOREST SCHOOL 18TH JULY

19TH JULY PICNIC/ WATER FIGHT

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 Transport session. We loved
having you all with us!

OUR PEOPLE WHO HELP US SESSION WILL TAKE PLACE ON:
Tuesday 18th 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!

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



DURING THIS SESSION WE WILL
EXPLORE:
PEOPLE WHO HELP US!
(SPECIAL VISIT FROM A POLICE CAR!)



Our Summer Bookshelf!



Nursery



Reception



Year 1



Year 2



Year 3



Year 4