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Weekly Newsletter

Friday 25th January 2019

- **Due to staff training, after school clubs on Tuesday 5th Feb, 12th Feb, 26th Feb and 5th March will be moved to Wednesday of that week. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. Thursday clubs will go ahead as normal.**
- If you are interested or would like information regarding your child making their 1st Holy Communion, please can you let Vicky Brown know, via the school office as soon as possible as the process will start soon.
- Valentine Disco / Film After School on Thursday 14th February 3pm until 4:15pm. Tickets are £1.50 and money raised will go towards school funds. Please be advised there will be no clubs that week.
- If you have any issues in relation to your child continence or toileting please contact Vicky Brown via the school office.



Attendance & Punctuality

As you will be aware from the weekly newsletters, school will not authorise holidays in term time for any pupils.

If your child will be absent from school it is important that you contact the school office as soon as possible to report your child's absence even if you have informed the escort. You can also report absence via our school app.

School begins at 8:55am and children should be in class and ready to learn at this time.

We offer a breakfast club which operates from 8:30 each morning.

Attendance is key to your child's education.

Well done to Class Holly who have 100% attendance this week.

Snack money:

It only costs 20p per day for your child to receive a healthy snack at school. Please send in £1.00 each week, or £6 for this term to contribute to the cost of providing a nutritious snack which includes fresh fruit along with the option of breakfast club each morning.

This Weeks Attendance	%
Blossom	90
Apple	87.5
Maple	87.5
Juniper	92.5
Willow	80
Holly	100
Chestnut	91.3
Sycamore	90
Mulberry	79.1
Redwood	81.7
Rowan	90
Whole School	87.7

Activities week commencing 28th January		Class
Mon	Swimming am	Mulberry
Mon	Soft Play	Blossom
Mon	Basketball	Redwood
Tues	Soft Play	Apple
Wed	Boccia Tournament	Selected Pupils
Wed	Soft Play	Willow
Fri	Basketball	Rowan
Fri	Girls Football Tournament	Selected pupils

Punctuality	Last Week	This Week
Minutes Late	556	654
100% attending Pupils	80	77
No of school days missed	34	51

This Weeks Awards

Head Teachers Lunch

Children who have shown exceptional behaviour all week will receive a treat and have lunch on a Friday with Mr McConnell or Mr Lambert.

This week winners are:

TJ Hollie
Brogan Grace
George L

Friendship Award

The pupils and staff are identifying acts of kindness throughout the school.

This weeks award goes to:

Blossom: Charlie
Apple: Liam
Maple: Grace
Juniper: Hollie
Willow: Mohamed
Holly: Marina
Chestnut: Sylar
Sycamore: Ava
Mulberry: Ben
Redwood: Jesse
Rowan: Scott

Accelerated Reader

Well done to Class Mulberry who have read the most words this week.

Total words read 59,780

Our Accelerated Reader this week is Ben Mc . Ben has read the most words this week.

Ben read 37,568 words, Well done!



Well done to all. We are so proud of your achievement

Knowsley Parent Carers Voice

Knowsley Parent Carers Forum is a new independent group formed to help bring together the parents and carers of children and young people (0-25) with a variety of additional needs to have a voice within Knowsley.



The forum is run by parents for parents, with administration support from Knowsley Carers Centre.

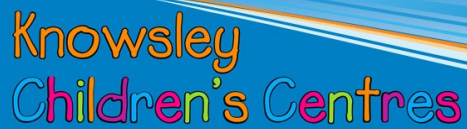
The Main aim of the forum is to ensure the needs of your children are met. To that end aim to:

- To have a collective voice around common issues
- To work in partnership with those who provide services and support.
- To raise awareness of what support / services are needed.
- To raise awareness of issues faced by our children.
- To share experience and knowledge
- To give feedback
- To ensure that the future for your children is a good one.

To achieve these aims, they need your support.

For further information please contact Knowsley Carers Centre: 0151 549 1412 or email parentcarersvoice@knowsleycarers.co.uk

Knowsley Children's Offer a range of courses, drop in sessions & Parent Workshops. Timetables are available from school reception and link has been sent out via our school App. Or you can visit their website:

The logo for Knowsley Children's Centres features the word "Knowsley" in a blue, rounded font, with "Children's Centres" below it in a multi-colored, playful font. The background is a blue gradient with white and yellow swooshes.

www.knowsleychildrenscentres.co.uk

You can always give the friendly staff a call 0151 443 5301 (Hilltop Childrens Centre)

“Supporting Children and Families to Reach their Full Potential”

If you need help from Knowsley Food Bank there are a few simple steps to follow.



The most important step is to get a foodbank voucher.

In order to provide the most appropriate help for the circumstances of your situation we work with local agencies. If they feel you are struggling to put food on the table, they will issue you with a foodbank voucher. The local agency can also provide long term support if needed to help address some of the issues behind the reasons for your crisis. Agencies we work with include: Citizens Advice, housing support officers, children's centres, health visitors, social services and some local charities.

1. Get in touch with us.

If you call 0151 482 6089, food bank we can talk through your situation and put you in touch with a relevant local agency.

2. Arrange a visit to the referral agency.

They will discuss your situation and supply you with a food bank voucher where appropriate.

3. Bring your foodbank voucher to your nearest foodbank centre.

You can find a list of our local centres and opening times

<https://knowsley.foodbank.org.uk/>

When you arrive, we'll welcome you with a warm drink and our trained volunteers will chat with you about your situation. We'll also discuss any dietary needs you may have and exchange your foodbank voucher for a parcel of three days of emergency food. We'll also help to support you in any other ways that we can. Most of our foodbank centres offer a cafe style environment and our aim is to provide non-judgemental support at the point of crisis.