



# KNOCKHALL PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

**Dear Families**

**It was an absolute pleasure to attend the concert for our choir and piano players on Wednesday afternoon. Thank you to those families and Key Stage 2 children who joined us to watch several children sing solos showing confidence and pride, and 3 children give solo piano performances. To be part of Knockhall and to see and hear such talent is a privilege.**

**We have some exciting things planned over the next week and I want to reassure families that whilst it would be lovely for children to dress as Rock Stars or Book Characters, this is not an expectation. Please do not put extra pressure on yourselves and keep things simple. We understand that families are busy and coordinating all the different demands can be at times a challenge.**

**Rock Kidz are visiting us on Thursday and will turn our school hall into a music venue with lights and a sound system. Each year group will spend time learning inspirational songs and dance moves based of raising self-esteem and inclusivity. The day will finish with the whole school singing and dancing together.**

**Friday is KHPs World Book Day. Mr Adekoya is planning a series of activities to support the work that we are doing to improve our School Library.**

**My first 'Meet the Head Teacher' coffee meeting will take place on Thursday 14th March at 9am. A reminder will be sent out closer to the time, and I look forward to meeting those of you who are free.**

**Have a wonderful weekend!  
Miss Yiannadji and the Knockhall Team.**



Cygnets class had a fantastic time visiting Greenhithe library. We can't wait to read and share the books we have borrowed.



Cygnets class have been learning about dinosaurs as part of our 'explorers' topic. Take a look at the wonderful art work and writing they have created.



Year One exploded into our new book by exploring clues left on each table. What season were the objects related to?



This week in Owlets, we have been excited to launch our new Explorers topic 🦖🦁. It all began with a big bang where children dressed in animal and dinosaur clothes!



Parrots and Cygnets had their second session buddy session today. The reception children really enjoyed year 6 reading books to them!





## Who Has Received a Golden Ticket This Week!



Nursery - Arvin

Reception - Maisie, Erisha

Year 1 - Jessie W, Maria

Year 2 - Inaayah, Mikey, Shiloh

Year 3 - Ioanna, Max

Year 4 - Marcus H, Temidayo

Year 5 - Josephine, Sophie

Year 6 - Kirsten, Jasmine, Lola

## Sports Class of The Week

KS1 Swans KS2 Eagles



## Knockhall Values Champions!!!



Ducklings - Rosie

Owlets - Max

Cygnets - Advik

Swans - Marcus

Owls - Amanda

Flamingos - Lola

Falcons - Sai

Toucans - Andria

Hummingbirds - Bobby

Robins - Izzy

Woodpeckers - Tomor

Kestrels - Sandra

Penguins - Haneen

Puffins - Makiya

Peacocks - Mihran

Parrots - Chloe

Eagles - Harrison

## ATTENDANCE

Ducklings - 92.41 %

Cygnets - 83.6 %

Owlets - 98.4 % 

Owls - 87.04 %

Swans - 93.06 %

Flamingos - 93.79 %

Toucans - 96.06 % 

Falcons - 94.35 %

Hummingbirds - 94 %

Robins - 91.28 %

Kestrels - 90.28 %

Woodpeckers - 98.3 % 

Penguins - 89.73 %

Puffins - 97.67 % 

Parrots - 94.1 %

Peacocks - 86.27 %

Eagles - 92.14 %

Minimum School Target - **96 %**

Whole School attendance - 92.07 %

## Our School Values In Action

**Teamwork** - Teamwork - some children have volunteered part of their lunchtimes this week to help us sort out the new library space - they have shown excellent teamwork and we want to thank them for their hard work so far!

**Pride** - We are very proud of our Y5/6 boys football team who, after winning 7-0 against Manor Primary School on Monday, are through to the Quarter Finals of the District FA cup. We are also very proud of the children in the choir and who performed their instruments they are Learning with Bryan from Musicly.

**Honesty and Respect** - This week, we spent some time on Tuesday on a project called 'Show Racism the Red Card'. The children all showed great empathy, honesty and respect during their learning on such a sensitive subject.



# Information for Families



**A chance to take home a free airfryer**

**Free healthy ingredients**

**SKILLS FOR LIFE**  
Multiply

**Learn basic maths skills for saving money**

**Air Frying on a Budget**

**Starts 13th March 2024 for 6 weeks from 9.30am - 11.30am**

**Venue**  
The Old Fire Station  
Church Road  
Swanscombe  
DA10 0HF

**To book contact**  
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**2024 Prom Night**  
19th JULY

# PROM

*Reminder*

HOPEFULLY YOU SHOULD HAVE ALL RECEIVED AN EMAIL WITH INFORMATION ABOUT THE YEAR 6 PROM, IF NOT PLEASE CHECK YOUR JUNK FOLDER.

THERE IS ALSO A FACEBOOK GROUP RUNNING:  
2024 YEAR 6 KNOCKHALL PROM  
PLEASE JOIN TO SEE UPDATES AND INFO.

PROM DATE IS 19TH JULY 2024 6:30-9:30PM AT THE BRITISH LEGION, GREENHITHE.

THE COST PER STUDENT IS £20 WITH THE OPTION TO PURCHASE A LEAVERS HOODIE FOR APPROX £15

FULL DETAILS ARE ON THE FORM OR PLEASE CONTACT  
EMMA GOWERS ON: 07739 905 114 OR KIRSTY ROSE ON: 07966 792 504

PAYMENT IS DUE BY 3RD JUNE 2024

## Poetry Competition Years 1-6

An email has been sent today to families, just a reminder the competition closes on 7th March - Please have your entries in by then!

**NEW MENU for World Book Day 7th March!**



## WORLD BOOK DAY

7th March 2024

Every Night is Pizza Night  
Margherita Pizza  
The Great Mac & Cheese  
Robbery  
Jack's Magic Baked Beans  
Jacket Potato  
Peter Rabbits'  
Mixed Vegetable Garden  
The Smeds Brown Bread  
Sandwich Selection  
Bruce Bogtrotter's  
Chocolate Cake

SCAN ME TO ORDER!

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# Important Dates and Events

## Dates For Your Diary

- 7th March Rock Kidz Workshop Dress as Rockstars or own clothes (Reception-Y6)
- 8th March World Book Day - Dress as your favourite Book Character or Pyjamas
- 7th March - Poetry Competition Deadline
- 8th March - Mothers Day Gift Sale
- 12th, 13th and 15th March - Year 6 Trip
- 28th March - LAST DAY OF TERM
- 15th April - TERM STARTS - Children back to school



Achievements  
Outside Of  
School



Congratulations to Arabella in Woodpeckers who has been offered a place at Charlton Athletic Football Academy after a successful trial, and Nelly from Eagles who was at a karate competition and won 2 gold medals!



If you would like to raise anything with us,  
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