

Knights Enham Junior School



Newsletter
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We had a fantastic Book Week last week with the children enjoying the wide variety of book themed activities that were organised. They all looked brilliant on Friday when they dressed as their favourite book characters - thank you to parents for the efforts you put into this, the children looked great!

A big thank you to all the teachers for planning such interesting activities for the children and especially to Mr Parkinson and Mrs Burrough for masterminding and arranging the week.

See library news for some pictures and details of Book week.

Sally Harvey – Interim Headteacher

Dates for your diary

Inset Days

Monday 1 June 2020

Wednesday 22 July 2020

Last day of term Fri 3 April 2020

Summer term dates

Summer term starts Mon 20 April 2020

Walk to School week - 18-22 May

Photographer (Class and leavers) 23 June

Half term 25 – 29 May 2020

Term ends Tuesday 21 July 2020

Knights of the Week!

Well done to last week's Knights of the week.

**Millie, Joey, Olly, T'mia, Isabelle, Lilian, Betsy, Aisha, Shakia, Clarissa,
Amy, Oliver, Giovanni, Aleshia, Harriette, Maia**

Attendance for week beginning

9th March 2020

93.58%

Covid 19 - Coronavirus

As you will be aware this is a rapidly changing situation and we are endeavouring to keep parents up to date. Please see the latest letter from the Headteachers at the Knights Enham Schools which has come home today.

Please note the schools will remain open for the present time following Government guidelines and for as long as we have staff to cover classes.

Children continue to be encouraged to wash hands thoroughly and sneeze into tissues.

Households with anyone displaying symptoms will need to isolate the whole household for 14 days. Please phone in to report the absence.

We will continue to keep you up to date as we get information.

Please note that an additional Covid-19 letter was sent out this morning to all parents.

School Cleaner

We are still looking to appoint an additional cleaner to join our friendly site team. The cleaner is needed out of school hours for about an hour and half a day but this can be flexible.

Please contact the school office or Mrs Harvey if you might be interested.

INTERESTED IN CRICKET?

Calling all budding cricketers... Is there anyone out there who wants to be the next Heather Knight or Joe Root?

If you want to play cricket, or simply have a go to see how much fun it can be, then Andover Cricket Club invites you to get in touch.

To find out what the options are, and to register for a free taster session, please email Clare at andovercc@mail.com

Young Carers

We have been informed that there will be no Young Carers after school clubs for the foreseeable future.

Parent Governor –

I am disappointed not to have had any interest in the role of parent governor. This is an important position on the Governing Board and it is important that the parent voice is part of the decision making in the school.

The commitment is 1 or 2 evening meetings every half term and as much other time as you are able to give in terms of coming into school.

You do not need any experience just an interest in the school and providing the best education and opportunities for the children.

It is an exciting time to join the Board as the school is in a transition phase and you could be part of the next part of the journey.

If you are interested and would like to know more before you commit please come and talk to me.

Part Time Employment Opportunity

School Governing Body Clerks are needed in the local area

The work involves:

- some evening meetings at a local school
- some work from home (access to a computer and the internet needed.)
- Training and support is given
- Minimum Commitment: Six Governing Body meetings per annum

What you get:

- A fair hourly pay rate (inclusive of holiday pay and home working allowance)
- A position which allows a degree of flexible working and is also an important, interesting and much valued role in the UK education system.

Interested in finding out more?

See the flyer on the noticeboard, ask at the office,
email - laclerks@hants.gov.uk or call Governor Services on 023 80 81482

Library News



Last week the children enjoyed an activity packed *Book Week*.

Years 3 and 4 took part in storytelling workshops, re-enacting 'Jack and the Beanstalk' and other traditional tales.

The poet Stewart Henderson ran writing sessions with Years 5 and 6. He stimulated children's creativity and curiosity, getting them to write poems about our school. Both visitors were impressed with the children's behaviour and had been delighted to work with such willing and engaged classes.

There is so much more to talk about! We have asked a few children to share what they enjoyed the most...

"I enjoyed going to the *Library* to get our special *World Book Day* books".

"I enjoyed switching classes because I made the *Three Little Pig's* houses".

"My favourite part of *Book Week* was Friday when we got to dress-up".

"I enjoyed doing activities about the *Snail and the Whale*".