



Knighly News

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Knights Enham Junior School

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IMPORTANT DATES

Monday 11th April 2016

INSET

Tuesday 12th April 2016

First day back

Friday 22nd April 2016

PTA Disco

Thursday 28th April 2016

Girls Football Tournament

Monday 9th May 2016

Start of SATS week

Friday 22nd May 2016

Last day of term 3:00 finish

Young Carers Bronze Award.

We have five percent of children on roll recognised as Young Carers (YC) who currently attend Andover Young Carers (AYC) weekly or monthly. We work closely with AYC and local support services in adopting a recognised referral system to help identify and work with Young Carers and their families..'

We believe all children should have the same life opportunities and the right to reach their full potential regardless of responsibilities at home. We know that supporting children holistically and offering help when needed improves outcomes for our children. At Knights Enham Junior School we are passionate about making the lives of Young Carers better through a programme of promoting YC's awareness with children, families and staff. We offer pastoral support, regular drop in sessions with AYC and promote a strong spiritual, moral, social and cultural awareness through our curriculum. Children accessing YC support share positive influences to fellow YC's who may need reassurance and kindness.

As a result of all this fantastic work Knights Enham Junior School has successfully gained a bronze young careers in school award.



MR INGLIS
HEAD OF SCHOOL
YOUNG CARER LEAD



PEARL EVANS
PASTORAL SUPPORT WORKER
YOUNG CARER OPERATIONAL LEAD

Football Tournament

A number of our year 6 children entered the 'Town Schools' football tournament at Harrow Way recently and did a fantastic job reaching the semi finals. Along the way they competed and won against teams from Portway, Balksbury and Anton. They all played with amazing skill and determination also winning the fair play award. Well done to: Morgan, Goncalo, Lenny, Jesse, Alfie, Rafael, Marcis, Paul, Caleb and Bryce.



Gates and Parking

The green gates around the car park are now locked to allow us to use the outside space in the warmer weather. If you walk across the field to school please walk through the playground to access the front of the school.

If you are dropping children off in Stuart Court and other local residential areas please be considerate of residents and access for their vehicles.

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World Book Day

On Thursday 3rd March we held our annual world book day celebrations in school inviting children to dress up as book characters. Everyone participated with such enthusiasm wearing great costumes and fully embracing the spirit of the day creating excellent book themed work ranging from story writing to artist interpretations of story ideas and themes. A great day had by all.

Here are some of the great costumes!



KEJS Library Update

At *KEJS* pupils have the right to enjoy and take home and enjoy the wide-range of resources from our School Library. There are currently **322** items on loan which represents a value of **£2,254**. It is important that all books are circulated using the library computer and brought to school daily. This will help to keep any losses to a minimum.

We encourage children to return their on-loan books by sending home regular text reminders. We also request a donation of **£5** to cover the cost of any book that has been overdue for more than two months.

Thank you for your support. We hope the continued enjoyment of our School Library will help to promote our core values of rights and respect



Library Competition Results

Many children took part in the **World Book Day Token Contest**, designing a book token that would encourage all borrowers to return their on-loan books. Pupil Librarians evaluated all entries and awarded book prizes to the best designers. Congratulations to **Erin Burnell** from Leeds and **Crystal Elliot** from Edinburgh.

Congratulations to Year Five in Edinburgh, who read and returned the most Library books in February. They were awarded with a brand-new book for their class reading corner!