



NEWSLETTER

11th March 2022

Headteacher Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Wednesday this week, we received our beautiful Pussycat sculpture into school. Most people are very familiar with The Owl & the Pussy-Cat poem, that tells the tale of two animals setting off to sea in a 'beautiful pea green boat.' But what many people do not know is that the poem, by Edward Lear, was actually written at Knowsley Hall. This fascinating fact and Lear's connections to Knowsley are set to be celebrated throughout 2022, with a huge sculpture trail featuring 16 pairs of 2 metre-high owls and pussy-cats along with miniature sculptures in every school. Our job is to design and paint our sculpture so it can be included in the trail. *If we have any creative, artistic parents who would be willing to help, we would love to hear from you, soon! So please get in touch...*

Visiting lessons again this week has been a delight. Year 4 have been learning an abundance of new and exciting things. In Geography, they were learning about the different physical features between cities and villages and why people may be more attracted to living in cities. In Science, they were focusing on electricity, discussing different appliances around the home and whether they run off mains electricity or battery – Well done Year 4 and keep up the diligent work.

Please take the time to follow us on Twitter Dt_BlacklowBrow

Mr D Kenny – Executive Headteacher



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Star of the week

Congratulations to this week's Stars. We are very proud of you.



Kiera Hanley
Michael Kirman

NURSERY: Connie Fairhurst
Tom Lysons

RECEPTION: Niamh Seddon

YEAR 1: Alex Banim

YEAR 2: Elyssa Harrison

YEAR 3: Hollie Williams

YEAR 4: Allanya Fullerton

YEAR 5: Ella Stickland

YEAR 6: Kiera Hanley

PPA: Matilda Langton

Afterschool: Charlie Jones

National Ken Day

On Sunday it is National Ken Day. If you're a Barbie Girl, you know that one of the most enchanting men on Earth is Ken Carson, the dreamboat that occupies Barbie's every waking thought. Barbie ended things with Ken and announced it to the world after getting with Blaine Gordon, a surfing Australian dude, but we all know Ken was her one true love.



Terrific Timekeepers



Can we remind Parents/Carers that doors open at 8.20am. Our terrific timekeepers for this week are our pupils from Reception and Y4. Punctuality letters have gone out this week for some parents, please be on time. Thank you



Please make a note of which day your child will be attending Vibe on. They will need to come to school in tracksuit bottoms, t-shirt, jumper, trainers, coat, hat and gloves. They will also need spare clothing (Tracksuit bottoms, t-shirt, jumper, underwear, trainers/shoes).

14th March: Y4 15th March: Y3
17th March: Y5 18th March: Y6

School Attendance

If your child is absent from school due to illness, we can authorise their absence if you can provide the following:

Doctors note / Doctors consultation print out /Screen shot of prescribed medicine bottle.

Care of the chemist.

NHS Walk in attendance slip.



YEAR	ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK:
NURSERY	98.4%
RECEPTION	90.8%
Y1	100%
Y2	91.1%
Y3	97.0%
Y4	93.3%
Y5	98.3%
Y6	95.8%
TOTAL	95.6%
YEAR TO DATE	95.8%

What Do I Do Outside School?

Well done to Luna from Y2, Kendall from Y3 and Aurora from Nursery, who attend the Jan Williams school. They took part in a dance show and were absolute superstars.

Well done girls! Will we see you on Britain's Got Talent? Watch this space!



FOCUS OF THE WEEK

Book Fair

The children had a lovely day exploring all the books at our Book Fair on Tuesday. Don't forget it's our last day for our sponsored read, and that if you would like to order any books, all orders must be in by Thursday 17th March. Thank you



Year 3

Year 3 have enjoyed tasting different fruits and translating it into Spanish. ¡Me gusta la sandía!



Girls Football

Year 6 girls played against St. Anne's Primary to participate in The Barclays Biggest Ever Football Session! Well done girls! #Letgirlsplay



Are there any parents with artistic flares who would like to help our pupils? Knowsley were awarded the Capital of Culture this year, and part of this is giving every school an owl or a pussycat to be decorated.

Shooting Stars

Year 1 really enjoyed participating in their new club to promote physical literacy. Their current story is The Incredibles!



WORDS OF THE WEEK

MATHS – Represent
ENGLISH – Parliament

After School

Please email the school office to book your afterschool requirements. Our numbers are capped, so please remember to book, as we may not have availability on the day. **If you have booked an afterschool session and no longer require it, please email the school office ASAP.** Thank you

LATE PICK UP FROM SCHOOL

If children are not collected at the normal pick up time of 2.50pm OR are late being collected from an afterschool activity, they will go into afterschool club, which is chargeable as follows:
½ hour from school close time= £3 per day
1 hour from school close time= £5 per day
anything after a 1 hour stay up until 5.30pm = £10 per day
(Late after 5.30pm - £1 for every minute late)

Last Chance!!!!

Renew your 30 hour Code now, before it's too late!

The deadline for renewing 30 hour codes is nearly up. Please make sure you have emailed the school office to confirm you have renewed your code or provided a new code.

If you do not email school to confirm you have renewed your code or give us your new one, your child may will lose out of the funded extended hours.



Dates for your diary

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