

Ysgol Gynradd Knelston Newyddion

Friday, 26 April 2024



Dear Parents,

We have had another amazing week of learning. The children had great fun sharing their outdoor learning skills with the children from Christchurch Primary. They planned out the whole day and led each of the activities with real skill. Well done to the chess club who played a match against Pennard and had so much fun.

We are all looking forward to the Race Night. Let's hope we have lots of fun and raise lots of money too!

Kind regards

Mr Jenkins

Forest School with Christchurch!

Some of you may be aware we have paired up with Christchurch Primary and over the next few weeks will be delivering pupil lead forest school.

This week Y5/6 from Christchurch visited Knelston for the day and took part in a day worth of activities with our Y5/6 class. This included fire building, scavenger hunts and trust building exercises.

Tuesday 30th April – Knelston's Y1/2's will be hosting Christchurch Y1/2 class.

Tuesday 7th May – Knelston's Y3's and Y4/5's class will be hosting Christchurch Y3/4 children.

Please send your child in on these days in appropriate outdoor clothing.

Race Night Tonight!

A big thank you to all involved in tonight's Race Night. The PTA have worked so hard to organise such a wonderful event, those of us attending are thoroughly looking forward.

Also a massive thank you to all the local businesses that have generously donated prizes, we are blown away by the support this school has.

An even bigger thank you to you, the parents and community who have bought tickets, raffles and horses!

Chess Tournament

Well done to the 6 Year 6's that took part in a Chess tournament on Tuesday after school at Pennard Primary.



Attendance!

Swansea Target is **93%**. This week we achieved **95.4%**.

The children's highlights of the week!

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Pupil Voice

Pa ddydd ydy hi?... What day is it?

Dydd.... Day....

Pa Fis ydy hi?... Mis.... Month...

Mrs Osborn's class REC/Y1

- ✓ Y1 have written the story of jack and the beanstalk,
- ✓ Played with magic beans to make 5's and 10's,
- ✓ Learning about Hinduism,
- ✓ Observational painting of Bluebells,
- ✓ Continuing to observe our caterpillars.
- ✓ 'What can we achieve in 1 minute' task

Miss Molyneux's class Y2/3

- ✓ Explored multiplication through repeated addition and arrays,
- ✓ Literacy cold write,
- ✓ Been on a nature scavenger hunt,
- ✓ Read the story of 'Blodeuwedd'

Mrs Porter's class Y4/5

- ✓ Multiplication, division and Idioms,
- ✓ Creating models of food chains,
- ✓ Hot seat sessions creating questions for our biographies.

Mr Donovan's class – Y5/6

- ✓ Christchurch Forest School children led sessions,
- ✓ Maths assessments,
- ✓ Finished cold writes and started looking at persuasive arguments,
- ✓ Unlocked our prior knowledge of how plants grow

Friends of Knelston PTA

SAVE THE DATE:

Race Night Ball – Friday 26th April

School Tea Towels £6 each –
Only 7 Left!

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Fairyhill

Big thank you to Fairyhill who allowed some of the children to head down on the bus today and be involved in the prep for tonight's event!



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Diary Dates!

DATES	CLASS	EVENT
23.04.24	Y5/6	Forest School - with Christ Church Primary @ Knelston
26.04.24	Whole School	PTA Ball 2024! Races Night @ Fairy Hill
30.04.24	Y5/6	Puberty Talk – with school nursing team – MOVED DATE
30.04.24	Y1/2	Forest School - with Christ Church Primary @ Knelston
02.05.24	Whole School	INSET DAY – Police Commissioner Election at Knelston
06.05.24	Whole School	BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY
07.05.24	Y3/4	Forest School - with Christ Church Primary @ Knelston
27.05.24 – 02.06.24	Whole School	HALF TERM
03.06.24	Whole School	INSET DAY – Back to school Tuesday 4 th June.
06.06.24	Whole School	Kirsty & Roz – Class Photos!
17.06.24 – 21.06.24	Whole School	Scholastic Book Fair Week
01.06.24 – 03.06.24	Y6	Bishopston Transitions Days
27.06.24	Whole School	Sports Day!
19.07.24	Whole School	Last day before Summer!

