



Diary Dates

18th December
School closes for
Christmas
Holidays
Pupils leave early
at 1pm and
1.15pm depending
on start time –
1pm for those who
start at 8.45am
and 1.15pm for
those who start at
9am

School reopens on
Wednesday 6th
January 2021.

18th December EA
publish Admission
Criteria for
Nursery and
Primary 1 pupils
starting Sept 2021
on their website.
Online portal for
Nursery and P1
Applications
open on
Thursday 7th
January 2021 and
close on Friday
29th January at
noon.

AQE tests - 9th
Jan, 16th Jan and
23rd Jan 2021

From the Principal....

Dear parents and guardians,

This term has been a very strange one with so many of our usual activities and events having to be either cancelled or changed. Who would have thought that all the restrictions and precautions would still be in place in December and through to 2021.

Our website www.knocknagoney.co.uk is full of photos and information about what your children have been getting up to including links to our learning apps enabling you to help encourage your child's progress in literacy and numeracy. There is also a link to view our Christmas Shows, the children have still been learning Christmas songs and getting together to perform special Christmas messages for you and your family to enjoy. Information about how to view these has been sent through Seesaw.

For those families enrolling their children in the Nursery or Primary 1 in September 2021 there are Open Day videos and lots of information on the website about all the things we offer. Please remember the admissions portal opens on 7th January and closes on the 29th January 2021. We can not provide visits within the school but I am available to talk to if you want to ask any questions, just phone 90768496 and arrange an appointment.

The Hamper ballot sales are doing well with over £400 raised to date. There is still time to purchase ballots by going on to the School Money system. The winners will be drawn on Monday 14th December - good luck!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your constant support and understanding throughout this term. We have received so many positive and uplifting comments on how much you appreciate everything the teaching staff are doing and about how safe we have kept the school environment for your children.

On behalf of the staff and myself may I take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy Christmas and may you all keep healthy and safe.

Ann Burton

Easyfundraising.org.uk

Please keep easyfundraising in mind in the run up to Christmas as it is a quick and easy way to raise money for the school. Simply register with the website and use it alongside top brands while online shopping!



P6 Christmas Numeracy

P6 calculated the perimeter of some Christmas gifts by working in groups!



P5 Lanterns

P5 made some Christmas lanterns which were donated by the Strand Arts Centre! We also Participated in a Christmas lantern parade. They looked fantastic.



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Christmas Shows

We have all been working very hard to put together Christmas shows which will be streamed online. Keep an eye on Seesaw for the details!



P5 Christmas art

P5 made Christmas tree decorations using salt dough. They used different tools to shape them and enjoyed making them all different!