

# School Newsletter

July Newsletter 2022

Welcome to the final Newsletter of the School year.

It has been a busy year for everyone, especially in schools. From COVID-19 restrictions, pupils completing end of year SATs again, hosting whole school performances to celebrating with our Year 6 class last Friday evening as they complete important milestones in their education journey.

Another school year has flown by and I want to wish you and your families the very best for healthy, safe and relaxing break. It is strange to think it was only back in September that we could collapse all year group bubbles and have our children moving freely around the school again.

I want to especially thank all our children for their efforts this year. Can I also extend a deep gratitude to all our parents and carers for the way they have supported their children over the past year.

I also add a note of thanks to everyone involved in extra-curricular visits, sports day, musical performances and fundraising. We held our Year 5 and 6 musical concert last week at Parkside School. The standard of performance from our children was exceptional. Well done to all.

Kind regards,

Mr Hunter



## Training Days 22/23

There are 5 training days planned for next year:

- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022
- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023
- Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023
- Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2023
- Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2023



To all of our wonderful Year 6 pupils and pupils who are leaving us this summer.

It has been such a pleasure to see you grow up over the years you have spent at Keelham Primary. You have given so much to the school through your effort, friendships and participation. I'm sure that you will take many memories with you of special events, visits, friends and teachers. We will also remember you fondly and think back on the time we have spent with you on your journey through the school. You should all be incredibly proud of your achievements. School isn't always easy; learning, friendships and growing up can be tricky at times but you have shown resilience and determination on the way and this will help you as you take your next steps. We know you will go on to achieve further success and we wish you lots of luck and happiness for the future.

## School Holiday Dates for 2022/23 Academic Year

Term Time	First day of term	Last day of term
Autumn 1	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> October 2022
Autumn 2	Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2022	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> December 2022
Spring 1	Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2023
Spring 2	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023
Summer 1	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
Summer 2	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2023

School will be closed to all pupils on **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2023** (Bank Holiday). The academic year will end on **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023**.

## Attendance



Whole school attendance up to 25/7/22;

**94.6%**

**Adventurers:**

**94.8%**

**Explorers:**

**93.5%**

**Discoverers:**

**95.4%**

**Pioneers:**

**94.7%**

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# Inside Keelham...



Your guide to what's on & where to go this Summer



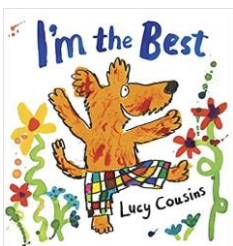
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- Museums & Galleries ● Play ● Festivals ● Events ● Theatres

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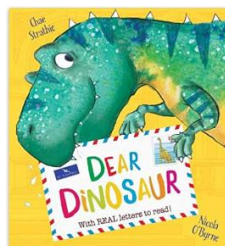


## Coming in the new term in English...

### Adventurers



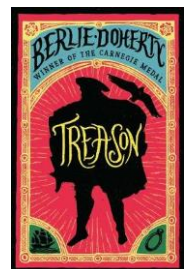
### Explorers



### Discoverers



### Pioneers





## FKPA Bulletin

### End of Term Year 21/22



What a year it's been!! At the start of September, we committed to finally completing the playground project. In addition to the funding we had secured from Coop and Aviva in previous years, we were fortunate to also receive £1k from Arnold Clark which has meant, in addition to the Trim Trail we also now have a wonderful covered learning area. This work has completely transformed the outside space and children are already making good use of the facilities.

We've worked really hard to make sure we mix fundraising activities alongside providing enriching opportunities and experiences for all children and I'm overwhelmed over the course of the year our fundraising has raised over £8k!

Active involvement in FKPA is key to ensuring we can continue to operate and I just wanted to give a shout out to Heather, Clare, Gemma, Mutsa, Claire and Sue who've all joined a meeting and got involved this year, their support has been invaluable.

As new parents/carers join us, this inevitably means as year 6 children leave, we lose others and this week we say a fond farewell to Jo Charles (and her hubbie Dave who just by association has got involved ☺!). Jo has been a valuable support both as a member and in her previous capacity as Chair. She'll be missed massively!

On behalf of the FKPA, we wish you a wonderful summer and look forward to returning in the new year with an exciting calendar of events!

Claire Shackleton, Chair, FKPA



Well what a fantastic return to Keelham Summer Fair, it was so lovely to see the support from both old and new pupils with their families and the local community.

I am sure you all enjoyed throwing the wet sponges at Mr Hunter and a huge congratulations to all our raffle prize winners.

As our biggest event of the school year it takes a lot of time and effort to pull it all together and it was great to have some extra hands on board this year but as always we need more help, however big or small.

We raised a staggering £2,268 which will be used to continue to support great activities, equipment and events for school into the new term.



**By supporting your FKPA you are supporting your school and your children. Thank you!**





**FKPA**


## 2021/22 Year in Review

**How did we fundraise?**

<p><b>Pop-up Shops</b> <b>£550</b></p>	<p><b>Non Uniform days</b> <b>£350</b></p>	<p><b>Bags2School</b> <b>£300</b></p>
<p><b>Mothers Day gift shop</b> <b>£209</b></p>		<p><b>Handmade Christmas wreath sale</b> <b>£350</b></p>
<p><b>Your School Lottery</b> <b>£1,415</b></p>	<p><b>Amazon Smile</b> <b>£102</b></p>	
<p><b>Summer Fair</b> <b>£2,268</b></p>	<p><b>Sports day Raffle</b> <b>£120</b></p>	<p><b>Easter Bunny Smarties Challenge</b> <b>£100</b></p>
<p><b>World Book Day events</b> <b>£180</b></p>		<p><b>Santa shop</b> <b>£330</b></p>
<p><b>Fathers Day gift shop</b> <b>£150</b></p>	<p><b>Christmas Raffle &amp; Events</b> <b>£674</b></p>	
<p><b>Winter Wonderland Disco</b> <b>£296</b></p>	<p><b>My Art Project Christmas Cards</b> <b>£115</b></p>	
<p> <b>Arnold Clark Community Fund</b> <b>£1000</b></p>		





AN AMAZING **£8,509!!!!**



**FKPA** 

## 2021/22 Year in Review

**What did we spend?**

<p><b>Playground Renovations</b> <b>£6,168</b></p>	<p><b>Christmas Panto trip &amp; treats</b>  <b>£677</b></p>
<p><b>Buddy Bench</b> <b>£94</b> </p>	<p><b>Pergola</b> <b>£3,685</b></p>
<p><b>School Trip Contributions</b> <b>£1,200</b></p>	<p><b>Benches</b> <b>£1,088</b></p>
<p><b>Jubilee celebration activities &amp; bunting</b> <b>£20</b> </p>	<p><b>Year 6 Leavers Hoodies</b> <b>£230</b></p>
	<p><b>Christmas books for all children</b> <b>£130</b> </p>

**Thank you for your support in making all this possible!**