



Knowle Park Primary School

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Newsletter - 3rd July 2026
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Hello everyone,

As we head towards the end of another fantastic academic year, it has been another incredibly busy and exciting week at school! Last weekend, many of our families joined us for our annual Big Picnic at Redcatch Park. A huge thank you to Miss Hucker for all of her hard work in organising for Knowle Park to be a part of such a wonderful event.

This week at Knowle Park has been Healthy Living Week, with children taking part in a range of exciting activities, including fencing, Skip2BeFit and skateboarding and scooting sessions. The children embraced every opportunity with enthusiasm and had a brilliant time trying something new while learning about the importance of staying active.

We also held our much-anticipated Sports Day this week. Thankfully, the weather was on our side, making it a perfect day for the event. We were incredibly proud of all the children, who demonstrated determination, resilience and excellent sportsmanship throughout the day. They gave every event their best effort and were fantastic ambassadors for our school. We also thoroughly enjoyed the ever-popular adult races - thank you to everyone who took part and helped make the day such a success!

Last night, our wonderful choir performed at the Bristol Beacon. This is always a highlight of the year, and we are incredibly proud of our talented singers for representing the school so brilliantly. We hope all the parents and families who attended enjoyed the performance and a huge thank-you to Mr Coulson!

Year 5 enjoyed their final visit to Redcatch Community Garden this week. Today, our Year 3 pupils visited Ashton Gate Stadium for an exciting morning, giving them the opportunity to explore the venue.

As the end of the academic year approaches, many of our Year 6 children have been attending transition days at their new secondary schools. It is an exciting milestone, and we wish them every success as they prepare for the next stage of their education.

At the same time, we have been delighted to welcome our new Reception children and their families into school for information sessions and Stay and Play events. It has been lovely to meet the children who will be joining our Knowle Park family in September, and we look forward to welcoming them officially in the new academic year.

Have a great weekend

Emma Price

Attendance Matters

Last weeks (week beg. 22/6/2026) attendance winners are:

KS1: Octopus with 94.8%

KS2: 93.8 with 4T %

Acorns: 91.7 %

Our attendance target at Knowle Park is **96%**

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day

Attendance Ladder





Term 6 P.E days

Mon: Yr 5 Tues: Yr 3 Wed: Yr 4 Thurs: Yr 2 Fri: Yr 6

Dates for your Diary

Mon 6th July	Taste The World week
Mon 6th July	Whole School - Shuffle up day
Fri 10th July	Whole School - Non uniform day for Year 6 fundraiser
Mon 13th July	School Nurse drop in 9.00 to 10.00am
Wed 15th July	End of year Disco's
Thurs 16th July	Yr6 - Leavers Assembly
Thurs 16th July	Yr6 - Leavers Disco 5.30 to 7pm
Fri 17th July	Yr5 - Steel Drum Showcase 9.45 to 10.15am
Tue 21st July	Yr6 - Brean Visit

Inset days:
1st June 2026

Here is a link to the [School Calendar](#)

Reminder to Parents

Pick up time for children is

Reception - **3.10pm**

Years 1 & 2 - **3.15pm**

Years 3 to 6 - **3.20pm**

Acorns - **3.15pm**

We are having lots of children regularly brought to the office and the end of the day.

Circus Zambia



FRIDAY 10TH JULY: Non- School Uniform Fundraising Day - children to wear the colours of their year group's country flag for Taste the World– see countries and year groups below. Your donation needs to be made online and directly to Circus Zambia using the following link: <https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/afonauts-in-europe> Many thanks, Team KPPS.

Who are we fundraising for?

Circus Zambia is a charity based in Lusaka, Zambia, that helps young people learn circus skills, build confidence, and develop important life skills. Through acrobatics, creativity, and teamwork, children are encouraged to stay in education, avoid crime and substance abuse, and work towards a brighter future. Circus Zambia also performs for audiences around the world, showcasing the talents of young people from their community. In the past, Circus Zambia have visited Knowle Park to perform their circus skills. Now, within our school curriculum, every year the children zoom Circus Zambia to find out more about their country. We hope that they will visit us again one day but for now we would like to support their charity by having a fundraising day. To find out more about our link with them please check out the school website.

Year group	Country	Flag
Reception	Ethiopia	
Year 1	Poland	
Year 2	Italy	
Year 3	Brazil	
Year 4	South Africa	
Year 5	Dominica	
Year 6	Afghanistan	
Acorns	England	

Stars of the Week

Well done to our stars:

1W - Mara, **1H** - Zaviya & Whole Class, **1GD** - Jordie, **2WP** - Luca & Whole Class, **2M** - Tommy, **2T** - Bond & Rupert,

3B - Molly, **3J** - Whole Class, **3HS** - Chloe, **4R** - Gabriel, **4T** - Maria, **4F** - Emmeline,

5F - Grace B, **5C** - Belle, **5H** - Esme, **6S** - Emily, **6B** - Poppy, **6E** - Olivia,

Parent Drop-In Sessions with the School Nurse

If you are a parent or carer and would like to speak to a member of the School Nursing Team to get information and advice for your child, then please come along to one of our parent drop-ins. This will also be an opportunity for you to meet with other parents and ask the School Nursing Team any questions you may have.

Use the QR code to view our web page and find out more about our services.

Monday: 13/7/26 - 9.00 to 10.00am



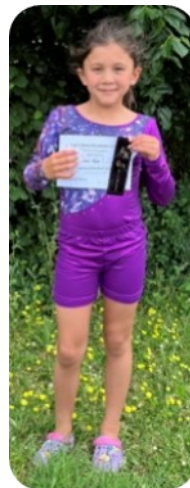
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Feel free to drop by the school during these times to have a chat with the School Nurse. We look forward to seeing you there!

Well Done, Shritik, Lida & Alex !



Shritik has successfully completed Swimming Stage 1, and we are very proud of him. This is a special achievement because it has really helped build his confidence in the swimming pool. He has worked hard, become much more comfortable in the water, and is excited to keep improving. Well Done!



We are very proud Lida's gymnastics achievement in her last competition she came in fourth position. Well Done!



Alex achieved his Stage 2 and 5m swimming badges, we're very proud of him! Well Done!

If your child has an outstanding achievement you would like us to celebrate, please email the office at: Knowle.park.p@bristol-schools.uk with details and a photo.

Healthy Living Week



Years 1 & 2

Team Rubicon have been teaching the children scooter skills, this week, they have had lots of fun whizzing about the playground.

Year 5 & 6

We had a wonderful instructor come to teach Fencing, It was great to see how well they did.



Year 3 & 4 & Acorns

Had a skipping lesson with a Skip 2 be Fit instructor.

SEND News Corner

Visit our new look Special Educational Needs page on the school website:
[Special Educational Needs and Disability | Knowle Park Primary School](#)



Bristol Parent Carers have asked us to share their **July Newsletter**.

Bristol Parent Carers support parents and carers of children with SEND and work with Bristol City Council to ensure they are meeting children's needs.

Inside our newsletter you will find information about summer holiday support across Bristol, help with Home to School Travel from Bristol City Council, updates from Bristol Parent Carers Forum including Children's Wellbeing Service, Resource Bases and Specialist Schools, and events and webinars offering free information and support for families both in person and online.

Please click the link here for the Newsletter: <https://midd.me/Wnje>



STARTING RECEPTION WITH SEND: WHAT TO EXPECT AND HOW TO PREPARE

WITH BRISTOL PARENT CARERS AND BRISTOL CITY COUNCIL PORTAGE AND INCLUSION TEAM

Tuesday 7th July
7pm-8pm
Online



Book here! or
www.linkbristolparentcarers.org.uk/gethelp



MOVING TO YEAR 7 WITH SEND: WHAT TO EXPECT AND HOW TO PREPARE

WITH BRISTOL PARENT CARERS AND BRISTOL EDUCATION PSYCHOLOGY SERVICE

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Term 6 Eco Squad

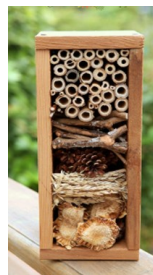


Eco Squad raised an incredible **£188.44!**

Thank you so much for all your donations and all your help
It was a brilliant day! The sun was shining and we were perfectly placed under a tree! Eco Squad will decide what the money is spent on. We will update you next week.



The bug hotel competition has been extended to **Monday 6th July**. Please think of natural resources to use. We will be keeping them in our vibrant Peace Garden. The pollinators are already enjoying the summer blooms that Eco Squad have planted. This will make a great addition!



We now have 6312!

PTA UPDATES- Friday 3rd July

Summer Discos -Wednesday 15th July (£2 per ticket)

Volunteers needed between **1.30 – 6.30pm** to sell refreshments. Use this link or QR code to join the volunteer group.

[Click here to join disco volunteers](#)



Tickets **£2.00** money to be handed to Class Teacher **before 13th July**
Thank You

Redcatch Big Picnic

Thank you to all the volunteers who gave their time to run the uniform and Pimm's stall. It was a great success and we raised more than £600! A special thank you to Jen who liaised with the park and organised the PTA stall and to the Tesco Community Champion Paula who organised the donation of Pimm's.

Community News



Bristol Playday 2026

Wednesday 5th August
Redcatch Community Garden, BS4 2RD
from 11am to 3pm

Games, Arts & Crafts, Accessible and Quiet Spaces too!

Come along, join in and have some fun!
Families Welcome

Check out the website for more info:
www.childrenscrapsstore.co.uk/free-events

#Playday2026

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Quartet Community Foundation
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Ashton Vale | Hengrove

Judo Children, teens & adults
5+ years

ASHTON VALE COMMUNITY CENTRE
BRISTOL BS3 2QY

FREE FAMILY OPEN NIGHT
Tuesday 7 July 2026
6.30pm to 7.30pm

Scan QR code to book

07538 280512 | bedminsterjudo@gmail.com
bedminsterjudokwai.co.uk/book

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5+ years

HENGROVE PARK LEISURE CENTRE
BRISTOL BS14 0DE

FREE FAMILY OPEN MORNING
Saturday 11 July 2026
10.00am to 11.00am

Scan QR code to book

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bedminsterjudokwai.co.uk/book

SCAN ME

Make a difference to a family in 2 hours a week

HOME START
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Volunteer with us to make a difference to a family living in Bristol or South Gloucestershire. Our volunteers support young families who are going through tough times.

- Support a family with under 5s
- Home visits or help at a group
- Just 2-3 hours a week

Join our free volunteer training course starting this October!

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homestartbsg.org.uk **0117 950 1170**

Charity no. 1116207 Home-Start Bristol & South Gloucestershire, Unit 11, Greenway Business Centre, Doncaster Road, Bristol BS10 5PY

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GIRLS WANTED!

ALL ABILITIES. ALL WELCOME. ALL ABOUT THE FUN!

PLAY RUGBY. BELONG. BE MORE.

GOING INTO **YEAR 6** IN SEPTEMBER UNTIL **UNDER 16s**

WOMEN WANTED!
18+
WE WANT YOU!

TUESDAY 21ST JULY
6PM - 7PM

IMPERIAL SPORTS CENTRE

TEAMWORK | CONFIDENCE | FRIENDSHIPS | FUN!

NEW PLAYERS ALWAYS WELCOME!

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St Martin's Knowle

Summer Fête

FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY!

ST MARTIN'S CHURCH

SATURDAY 11TH JULY | **11:30AM - 2:00PM**

- HOOK-A-DUCK
- PING-PONG-JARS
- BBQ
- PLAY YOUR CARDS RIGHT
- WET SPONGE THROWING
- CAKE, TEA & COFFEE
- RAFFLE
- AND MORE!

Everyone Welcome!

COME ALONG & MAKE MEMORIES!