



# Ardleigh St. Mary's Church of England Primary School (Voluntary Controlled) Primary School



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Using the Olympic and Paralympic Values



### Christian Values

Our Christian Value for the Spring Term 2020 is Trust



### World Book Day

Thursday 5th March was World Book Day so, as a celebration of the enjoyment of reading, a range of activities were planned across the school.

It was fabulous to see so many children come to school in their pyjamas, supporting the bedtime story theme, and the hats that were designed, decorated and worn by many were wonderful.

There were a wide variety on show, ranging from characters who wear hats, such as the Cat in the Hat and Harry Potter, to elaborate designs featuring characters and props from the children's favourite stories. It all made for an interesting and amusing parade during assembly.

In the afternoon, Classes 1 and 3 were visited by teams from the children's publisher Puffin, who led exciting activities with the children. Meanwhile, Classes 2 and 4 shared stories together in the hall. The day ended with all children enjoying a cup of hot chocolate and a cookie, thanks to Ruth and Mrs Wallis.

Thank you also to the Friends of who kindly donated book tokens for the winning hat designs.

The winners were:

Class 1 - James Hoy

Class 2 - Lola Short

Class 3 - Megan Davis

Class 4 - Charlotte Bohanna-Smith



### Y3/4 Roman Cup

Round One of the Year Three and Year Four Roman Cup took place on Thursday 5th March 2020 at the Garrison Squash Courts.

We took two teams from Year 3 and two teams from Year Four, who were all incredibly excited to be participating, some for the very first time.

They all played extremely well and they should be proud of their determination and desire to do their best.

Many thanks go to Mrs Elden, Mrs Reid and Mrs Weaver who helped with transport and to all other family members who came to support the children.



#### Year 3 Team 1

Daniel Blacker  
Jamie Morrisson  
Poppy Waddell  
Eliza Harmer

#### Year 3 Team 2

Mateusz Reid  
Camble Weaver  
Evelyn Coombs  
Oakley Cavalier

#### Year 4 Team 1

Robert Reid  
Thomas Priest  
Amelia Elden  
Harriet Fletcher

#### Year 4 Team 2

Melih Yucel  
Semih Yucel  
Megan Davis  
Violet Nancarrow-Cooper



### Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the week beginning 09.03.2020 is 69



### Additional Letters

### Coming Soon!



**Mothers' Day Crafts**  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March  
3-4.15pm



**Book your child's place by Monday  
9<sup>th</sup> March**



smile  amazon.co.uk

### Amazon Smile Update

Thank you to those that have signed up to Amazon Smile -  
we received our first quarterly cheque of  
**£24**

**Its not too late to help and sign up !**

You can help Friends Of raise money for our school.  
Every time you plan to make a purchase from Amazon, log into  
[www.smile.amazon.co.uk](http://www.smile.amazon.co.uk) and Amazon will give 0.5% of the  
net purchase price (excluding VAT and other shipping fees) to  
Friends Of.

#### **HOW DO I DO THIS?**

1. Log into: [www.smile.amazon.co.uk](http://www.smile.amazon.co.uk).
2. Follow link to which charity you would like to support
3. Type in: Friends of Ardleigh St Mary's
4. Then begin your shopping as you would normally when using the Amazon shopping site.

### Reading Shed News



Lucy Waddell, Beatrice Scatola, Ellie Da Costa in  
Year 6 and myself have been raising money to  
purchase a reading shed for our outdoor area.  
This is what has happened so far:

At our first book sale we raised £70.40

Our second book sale raised another £30.00

We then held a cake sale this Wednesday which made a further,  
fantastic £88.26!!!

Total amount raised so far = £188.66

We will be holding a Quiz night on Saturday 2nd May 2020 -  
information for this event can be found on the flyers pasted around  
the school.

We would like to thank everyone who has supported us so far,  
including our Friends of Team, who have given us some money towards  
the shed.

Thank you very much for your support.

Ms Mutimer.



### Gardening Club News



We are amazed at the amount of tokens collected so far!

We have now collected over 1000 tokens so don't forget to continue to collect the  
tokens for the 'Plant to Plate' Challenge.

You can find the coupons required for this challenge in the East Anglian Daily Times and the Ipswich  
Star.

Thank you very much for your support.

Ms Mutimer.



### Dates For Your Diary

- \*11.03.20 Friends of Mothers' Day Craft Club - details sent out 28.02.20
- \*13.03.20 Sport Relief Day - details sent out 06.03.20
- \*13.03.20 Harwich and District Primary Schools Hockey Tournament - details sent out 06.03.20
- \*16.03.20 Ardleigh Pre-School Transition Children attending Forest School session
- \*19.03.20 Y3/4 Roman Cup Round 2 - details sent out 26.02.20
- \*19.03.20 Harwich Sports Association Indoor 5-A-Side Football Tournament - details to follow
- \*21.03.20 Friends of Ardleigh's Got Talent - details to follow
- \*24.03.20 Full Governing Body Meeting
- \*26.03.20 Y3/4 Roman Cup Final Round - details sent out 26.02.20
- \*30.03.20 Easter Celebration at Ardleigh Methodist Church
- \*31.03.20 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster 5-A-Side Football Tournament @ Ardleigh - details to follow
- \*01.04.20 On-line Safety Awareness Training for Parents - details to follow
- \*02.04.20 Easter Service - details to follow
- \*03.04.20 Friends of Easter Egg Hunt - details to follow
- \*03.04.20 Break up
- \*20.04.20 Return to school
- \*24.04.20 Football match at Dedham - details to follow
- \*27.04.20 Ardleigh Pre-School Transition Children visiting Class 1
- \*27.04.20 Ardleigh Pre-School Transition Children attending Assembly
- \*01.05.20 Home Safety Workshop for Year 3 pupils
- \*01.05.20 Cyber Safety Workshop for Year 6 pupils
- \*04.05.20 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Discover and Explore Workshop - details to follow
- \*05.05.20 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Netball Rally @ Bradfield Primary School - details to follow
- \*08.05.20 Bank Holiday - School Closed - VE events in Ardleigh Village
- \*09.05.20 & 10.05.20 VE events in Ardleigh Village
- \*w/c 11.05.20 Year 6 SATs
- \*11.05.20 Ardleigh Pre-School Transition Children attending Forest School session
- \*W/C 18.05.20 STEM Week - details to follow
- \*20.05.20 Harwich Sports Association Netball Tournament - details to follow
- \*21.05.20 Stay Safe Assembly
- \*22.05.20 Mr Kempster goes to Kenya - details to follow
- \*22.03.20 Break up for Half Term
- \*01.06.20 Non Pupil Day
- \*02.06.20 Children return to school
- \*05.06.20 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Y1 Dance Festival - details to follow
- \*08.06.20 Harwich Sports Association Cricket Tournament - details to follow



### FOREST SCHOOL

W/C 09.03.20

Class 1 - No Forest School

Class 2 - Y1 - Wednesday

Class 3 - Y4 - Thursday

Class 4 - Y6 - Tuesday

### Non Pupil Days

Monday 1st June 2020

Planning Development

### Forthcoming Event

#### Sport Relief

Friday 13th March 2020



### Forthcoming Event

#### Friends of Mothers' Day Craft Club

Wednesday 11th March 2020

3pm - 4.15pm



### Monday English Club

The next Monday English Club is on Monday 9th March 2020



### Magic Maths Club

The next Magic Maths Club is on Monday 11th March 2020



### Handicrafts Club

The next Handicrafts Club is on Monday 16th March 2020



### Reading Club

The next Reading Club is on Wednesday 11th March 2020



### Open the Box Club

The next Open the Box Club is on Monday 16th March 2020



### Writing Club

The next Writing Club is on Thursday 12th March 2020



### Film Club

The next Film Club is on Monday 9th March 2020



### Music Tech Club

The next Music Tech Club is on Thursday 12th March 2020



### Maths Club

The next Maths Club is on Tuesday 10th March 2020



### Debating Club

The next Debating Club is on Thursday 12th March 2020



### Challenge Maths Club

The next Challenge Maths Club is on Tuesday 10th March



### Build it! Club

The next Build it Club is on Thursday 12th March 2020



### GleeBees

There is no GleeBees next week



### Friday English Club

The next Friday English Club is on Friday 13th March 2020



### Football Club

The next Football Club is on Tuesday 10th March 2020



### Netball Club

The next Netball Club is on Friday 13th March 2020



Please don't forget, if you have any issues or queries you want to discuss with any member of Staff please come in and speak to us.



Have a lovely weekend.  
Take care - From all at Ardleigh St. Mary's

