



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



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Don't forget that Monday 2nd May 2016 is a Bank Holiday and so the school will be closed.
Children return to school on Tuesday 3rd May 2016



Environmental Art Workshop

Last Friday morning I took three children from Class 2; Katie Banks, Paige McMaster and Rosie Reade to Wix and Wrabness Primary School to participate in an Environmental Art Workshop.

This had been organised as part of the Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity Programme.

Plenty of lovely activities had been organised for all to take part in, including a treasure hunt where the children had to try and spot lots of interesting items around the school playground and school field. They designed colourful snail collages using tissue paper and created outdoor art work using natural objects.

All three children had a lovely time and were very well behaved and very much enjoyed the delicious refreshments they received! (Mrs Hoggarth)



Class 1 Visit to the Church

On Friday 22nd April 2016, Class 1 went on a trip to St. Mary's Church, Ardleigh.

The children had great fun making observational drawings and rubbings from the Church. They were extremely excited to explore the features inside and we have brought our work back to school to make a classroom display.

(Mrs Skerritt)

Table of The Week

Class 1
Violet Nancarrow-Cooper

Class 2
Harry Rawlinson



Class 3
Charlotte McKenna

Class 4
Troy Callen



Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the week beginning 02.05.16 is Menu 43



Additional Letters

Mersea Residential Activity Week



Football Tournament

Last Monday we hosted the Tendring Small Schools' Cluster annual 5-a-side Football Tournament featuring teams from six schools; Boxted St. Peter's, Langham, St. George's - Great Bromley, All Saints - Great Oakley, St. Joseph's and, of course, Ardleigh!

The tournament was organised as a league with each school playing all the other teams once. It was an exciting afternoon with plenty of skilful football and some particularly good goalkeeping.

The Ardleigh team won two matches but lost three of their five games and finished in fourth place.

The tournament was won by last year's winners, St. Joseph's, who just pipped St. George's on goal difference by one goal.

Well done to everyone involved as they all played with great enthusiasm and sportsmanship :
Alfie Austin, Troy Callen, Archie Cathro, Sonny Dines, Keaton Huffey, Jamie Smith, Franco Wallis

Thanks go to Mr Evans who organised the tournament, Mrs Adams who braved the cold weather on the results table, Chris Cawthorne who provided the medals and all of the parents and families who came to support.



Netball Tournament

On Wednesday afternoon we took the Netball Team to Mayflower Primary School to take part in the annual Harwich and District Primary Schools' Sports Association Netball Tournament.

Here is a report written by two of the team:-

'On Wednesday 27th April Ms Parker and Mrs Snook took our Netball team to Mayflower Primary School to take part in the Mayflower Netball Tournament. We played 5 games and successfully won all of them!

Our last game was the decider between us and Mayflower to see who came 1st and 2nd because we had both won all of our matches. We won 5 - 0 which meant we had won!!! We also didn't concede any goals in any of our matches.

At the end we received a medal each and brought back the winning shield.

It was really fun and a great experience!

Report written by Rosie Snook and Helena Sahin.

The team played extremely well, demonstrating a high level of skill, determination and flair.

We are really proud of the fact that our team won the tournament and that this was the third year in a row that we brought the shield home!

Well done to everyone involved:

Molly Scotchmer/Phoebe Lay-Flurrie - GS, Rosie Snook - GA (Captain), Naomi High - WA,
Helena Sahin - C, Rebecca Morley - WD, Martha Hoggarth - GD, Lucy Harris - GK

Many thanks go to the parents who helped with transport and who stayed and supported the teams.



Rah Rah Theatre

On Thursday afternoon Class One were lucky to be invited to Ardleigh Pre-School to watch The Rah Rah Theatre Company perform 'Rainy Day Bears' Adventures'.

This told the story of a scruffy bear going on an adventure to find his missing wellington, button and stuffing for his ear.

The show was full of songs and educational references, inviting the children to join in and answer problems.

The highlight was when the audience were given different coloured ribbons to wave as a rainbow was created.

Fun was had by all and a big thank you goes to Ardleigh Pre-School for our invitation.



Non Uniform Day

Dress as a Rock/Pop Star, Musician - Friday 13th May 2016

**Ardleigh's Got Talent - Saturday 21st May 2016
(Letter sent out 18.03.16)**

Summer Fete - Saturday 25th June 2016

Look out for other Friends of events coming up!

Uniform Order

An order for any uniform items will be sent off during the week beginning the 9th May 2016.

If you wish to order anything please contact the school office by Friday 6th May

Thank you.



Forest School Sessions

w/c 02.05.16

Class 1 - Friday

Year 1 - No Forest School

Year 3 - Thursday

Year 5 - Friday

Non Pupil Days

Thursday 3rd September 2015 - Safeguarding Awareness Training

Friday 4th September 2015 - Assessment without Levels

Monday 2nd November 2015 - Joint Consortium Training - Quality of Assessment

Monday 22nd February 2016 - Creative Curriculum

Monday 6th June 2016 - Assessment without Levels - Evaluation

Dates For Your Diary

- *02.05.16 School closed - Bank Holiday
- *03.05.16 School opens
- *03.05.16 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster KS1 Aspire Athletics @ Tendring Primary School - details sent out 28.04.16
- *04.05.16 Paralympian Sponsored Event - details sent out 22.04.16
- *W/C 09.05.16 - Y6 SATs
- *10.05.16 'Chance to Shine' cricket starts for Class 4
- *13.05.16 Friends of Non Uniform Day - details to follow
- *13.05.16 Ardleigh Community Award Bushcraft Skills
- *16.05.16 - 18.05.16 ISing Pop event - details to follow
- *21.05.16 Ardleigh's Got Talent
- *24.05.16 ISing Pop Recording day - details to follow
- *25.05.16 Colchester Sixth Form Tag Rugby Festival - details to follow
- *26.05.16 ISing Pop Performances - details to follow
- *27.05.16 Ardleigh Community Award Bushcraft Skills
- *27.05.16 Break up
- *06.06.16 Non Pupil Day
- *07.06.16 Return to School
- *08.06.16 Essex Food and Farming Day @ Writtle College - Y4, Y5, Y6 - details to follow
- *09.06.16 Class 4 Road Safety session
- *10.06.16 Queen's Birthday Street Party Lunch - details to follow
- *13.06.16 Harwich and District Primary Schools' Sports Association Cricket Tournament @ Dovercourt - details to follow
- *13.06.16 Class 1 attending Ardleigh Pre-School's Teddy Bear's Picnic - details to follow
- *13.06.16 Tiptree and Stanway Consortium KS1 Music Festival @ Copford Primary School - details to follow
- *16.06.16 NSPCC Assembly - Safety Awareness
- *17.06.16 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Y1 Dance Festival @ All Saints Primary School, Great Oakley - details to follow
- *17.06.16 Ardleigh Community Award Flower Arranging Workshop at St Mary's Church, Ardleigh - Y6 only - details to follow.
- *20.06.16 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Scatterball Tournament @ Great Bromley Cricket Ground - details to follow
- *21.06.16 Tiptree and Stanway Consortium FS2 Multi-Skills Festival @ St Lawrence Primary School, Rowhedge - details to follow
- *22.06.16 Get Safe for Summer Assembly
- *23.06.16 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Programme - Treasure Hunt - aimed at Class 1 @ Tendring Primary School - details to follow
- *23.06.16 Childline Workshop - Class 4
- *24.06.16 Ardleigh Community Award Bushcraft Skills
- *25.06.16 Friends of Summer Fete
- *27.06.16 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Rounders Tournament @ All Saints Primary School, Great Oakley - details to follow
- *30.06.16 Harwich and District Primary Schools' Sports Association Scatterball Tournament @ Great Bromley Cricket Ground - details to follow

Forthcoming Events

Sports Day
Wednesday 29th June 2016 - 1.15pm start

ACA Camp Out
Friday 1st July

ACA Awards Evening
Tuesday 19th July 2016 - 7pm



Sainsbury's Vouchers

Please bring any vouchers in to school and put them into the box which is situated outside Class 4, by the Sports Stars Board.

Thank you.



The East Anglian Daily Times Sports Tokens

Don't forget to collect your East Anglian Daily Times Sports Vouchers.

Tokens printed between Monday and Friday will be worth 10 points, tokens printed on a Saturday will be worth 25 points.

There is a box to put them in near the Sports Board in the Food Technology Area.
Thank you.

After School Clubs



Glee Bees

The next Glee Bees Club is on Monday 9th May 2016

This session is for:

Amelie Andrews, Evan Bament, Kaci Bircher, Charlotte Bohanna-Smith, Daisy Crilly, Olivia Harmer, Naomi High, Martha Hoggarth, Ruby Mason-Cherry, Phoebe Lay-Flurrie, Jennifer Owen, Mya Patel, Rosie Reade, Rebecca Salmon, Matthew Salmon, Nathan Scofield, Molly Scotchmer, Jessica Scotchmer, Ava-May Shelley, Rosie Snook, Mason Vearer, Leona Wade, Blake Williams



Tuesday Gardening Club

The next Tuesday Gardening Club is on Tuesday 3rd May 2016

This session is for:

Mia Andrews, Jack Andrews, Daisy Crilly, Chase Johnson, Phoebe Lay-Flurrie, Logan Mitchell, Thomas Owen, Jennifer Owen, Danny Percival, Rosie Reid, Rebecca Salmon, Beatrice Scatola, Sarah Scofield, Lucy Waddell, Emily Waddell, Blake Williams

Please bring appropriate clothing, wellies and 50p - thank you.



Maths Club

The next Maths Challenge Club is on Tuesday 3rd May 2016

This session is for:

Molly Butcher, Lexi Gowing, Lucy Harris, Naomi High, Martha Hoggarth, Helena Sahin, Nathan Scofield, Molly Scotchmer, Rosie Snook



Cookery Club

There is no Cookery Club next week

The next Cookery Club is on Tuesday 10th May 2016



'Let's Get Arty' Club

The next 'Let's Get Arty' Club is on Tuesday 3rd May 2016

This session is for:

Chloe Adams, Jamie Adams, Amelie Andrews,
Charlotte Bohanna-Smith, Daniel Cardew, Daisie Crilly, Harriet Fletcher,
Jack Franklin, Jamie Hill, Chase Johnson, Jude Mansfield,
Paige McMaster, Violet Nancarrow-Cooper, Jennifer Owen,
Jacob Partridge, Thomas Priest, Lily Prior, Harry Reeve, Maisie Reid,
Rebecca Salmon, Amelie Sorrell, Kieron Shelley,
Ava-May Shelley, Annabelle Tunmore



Chatterbooks Club

The next Chatterbooks Club will be on Wednesday 4th May 2016

This session is for:

Evan Bament, James Hammarton-Moses, Ruby Mason-Cherry, Charlotte McKenna,
Jasmin Moses, Thomas Owen, Enya Parsons, Leona Wade, Paolo Wallis



Football Club

Football Club has now finished for the season.

A new football club for Class 2 and Year 3 will start soon.
the letters will come out next week.



Maths Club

The next Maths Club is on Wednesday 4th May 2016

This session is for:

Alfie Austin, Rosie Brook, Toby Busbridge, Troy Callen,
Phoebe Lay-Flurrie, Cherri-Mai Moore, Callum Nash, Ella Thompson



Music Makers Club

The next Music Makers Club is on Thursday 5th May 2016.

This session is for:

Chloe Adams, Evan Bament, Daniel Batchelor, Rosie Brook, Daisie Crilly,
Ellie Da Costa, Lexi Gowing, Harry Ives, Phoebe Lay-Flurrie, Mya Patel,
Jude Moore, Danny Percival, Harry Rawlinson, Leo Rice, Molly Scotchmer,
Lucy Waddell, Blake Williams



Thursday Gardening Club

The next Thursday Gardening Club is on Thursday 5th
May 2016

This session is for:

Amelie Andrews, Megan Davis, Harriet Fletcher, Lexi Gowing,
Lucy Harris, Jamie Hill, Kieron Shelley,
Carys Thompson, Ella Thompson, Annabelle Tunmore,
Lucy Waddell, Emily Waddell
Please bring appropriate clothing, wellies and 50p - thank you.



Tag Rugby Club

The next Tag Rugby Club is on Friday 6th May 2016.

This session is for:

Jamie Adams, Alfie Austin, Daniel Batchelor, James Blacker, Keaton Huffey, Troy
Callen, Toby Busbridge,
Jack Franklin, Stanley Harmer, Jarvis Heath, Aston Heath, Lucas Howard-Lock,
Harry Ives, Logan Mitchell, Jacob Partridge, Ruby Mason-Cherry, Mya Patel,
Curtis Oleforo, Danny Percival, Harry Rawlinson, Leo Rice, Jessica Scotchmer,



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

