

East Ardsley Primary Academy Newsletter

24/06/ 2019

Menu Week no: 3



Attendance: Congratulations to classes F2B and 8 who had 99% attendance this week - you were our attendance stars. Well Done to you all!

What we have been up to this week:-

Poor Mrs Fletcher has been meeting herself coming back this week as she has been organising and reorganising sports days and making sure everything runs smoothly and the children have a fabulous time.

As if having a dragon on the loose in the forest school wasn't enough on Thursday this week we were invaded by Vikings in Year 4! What an exciting day they had re-enacting battles and learning all about what life would have been like. Thank you to all the Year 4 staff for an inspired idea to bring the children's learning to life.

We also had a group of children from Year 5 and 6 who were lucky enough to have their names drawn out of the Attendance Raffle and went to the Total Warrior event. They came back covered in mud having had an amazing time. We do appreciate those children whose attendance is good and want them to be well rewarded. It is a treat every child can look forward to as they go up through school.

Next Friday we have our Celebration Assembly for Key Stage 2. We are going to be recognising those children who have contributed to school life in a positive way and/or have a special talent or skill that has been recognised in school. If your child has been nominated for an award you will receive a text on Monday 24.6.19. The Assembly is on Friday 28th June 2019 at 2.30pm in the hall.

I know that lots of parents have started to worry about next academic year and what teacher their child will have and which class they will be in. We are working really hard on getting the balance of the classes right. We have to change the classes about as the children move through school to ensure the children get the best educational opportunities as they move through school. We will not therefore be moving any children from one class to another once they have been agreed in school. We will decide which class is best for your child based on our knowledge and understanding of how they learn. You will be informed of the class your child will be in on Friday 12th July 2019 unless school feels your child is in need of additional transition time and support.

Ms Talbot

Dates for your Diary

24.6.19	Robinwood Meeting Year 5
25.6.19	Year 4 Times Tables Check
25.6.19	KS2 Merit Assembly
26.6.19	Art trip with Mrs Trickett
26.6.19	KS1/F2 Merit Assembly
26.6.19	Year 6 information evening at Woodkirk Academy
28.6.19	KS2 Celebration Assembly
1.7.19	Year 5 SRE Day
1.7.19	New Parents Meeting for children starting in Reception
2.7.19	School Council Treat
2.7.19	New Parents Meeting for children starting in Reception
3.7.19	Year 5 to Woodkirk Concert
3.7.19	Year 6 Leavers' Disco
4.7.19	Woodkirk Transition Day
4.7.19	ACE Gala Day in school
5.7.19	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
5.7.19	PTFA Dress Down Day
8.7.19	Growth Mindset Week
13.7.19	East Ardsley Summer Gala
15.7.19	Transition Week

In the last week of term (week beginning 15th July 2019) there will be an opportunity for you to come into school to join your child in their new class and to meet their new teacher. The dates for these have not yet been confirmed.

Medicine

Prescribed medicines can be administered in school but only if it is required 4 times a day.

Smoking

Can we please ask that parents do not smoke around the entrance gates to school.

Semi's Here We Come

Today, my boys played their quarter-finals match in the Champion of Champions League. This was held in Leeds and our opponents were St Peters. When we arrived at the pitch we really could not believe how bad it was: The grass was about three inches long and was covered in thick, stumpy nettles and weeds. The pitch and nets were a lot smaller than what we were used to and with eighteen players in total on it we weren't expecting what came next.

The boys were just absolutely outstanding!! Right from the first kick of the ball they completely dominated every second of the game. The amount of shots we had on goal were crazy, but with the amount of players covering the goal area it was near on impossible for the ball to go in. That was until Josh did a brilliant run and just knocked it through a gap and into the net. Just before half time, as Josh ran down the wing, he crossed it directly to Harry's foot where he tapped it in. 2-0 up at half time.

The second half was more of the same. Lincoln set the ball rolling (literally!), by absolutely belting the ball from just past half way, right past their keeper. Next came a super goal from Freddie, followed by another belter but this time from Andason. Lincoln finished with another and was hungry for a hat-trick but time ran out. Harry in goal had not even had to make one save, but he wasn't complaining.

The boys were ecstatic, a 6-0 win and through to the semis. Again, words fail me, I am so, so proud of them all.

Mrs Fletcher ✨🏆✨🏆✨🏆

Girls' Football

The girls football team went to Bruntcliffe to play a tournament against 5 other schools. The first game was against Drighlington where the girls lost 1-0. The second game was against Birchfield where our girls had possession for most of the game however resulting in a 0-0 draw. Game 3 saw them up against Gildersome. With a goal attempt from both Paige Howley and Amelia Hartley this game also resulted in a 0-0 draw. The girls continued to have possession of the ball for all their other matches, but lost 1-0 to Westerton A team, with an attempted goal from Isabelle Bennett. Overall the girls put up a great fight (considering 2 of them had done Junior Warrior before the game) coming joint 6th and the points were very close, eventually it came down to goal difference to achieve a winner. Well done girls! Mrs Loy

Helpful telephone numbers- Leeds Anti - Social Behaviour Team: 0113 222 4402

Childline: 0800 11 11 Leeds Domestic Violence 24 hour helpline: 0113 2 460401

Out of hours service for ongoing noise 6.00 pm -3.30 am: 0113 395 0143 NSPCC: 0808 810 800
Leeds Domestic Violence 24 hour helpline: 0113 2460401 Home Start-Support and friendship for families 0113 244 2419 or email office@home-startleeds.co

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