



# Abberley Parochial V.C. Primary School

*Inspiring Hearts & Minds*

**NEWSLETTER 24<sup>th</sup> May 2017**

## WHOLE SCHOOL NEWS



### **Quick Sticks Hockey Champions!**

Two teams from Year 3 and 4 attended the Quick Sticks hockey tournament on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Both teams played fantastically showing great skills, teamwork and sportsmanship.

In total 9 games were played, we won 6, drew 2 and lost 1. We scored 16 goals and were crowned tournament winners.

Well done to all the players. A special mention must also go to Oliver and Olivia who were spotted as star players and Eesah who was our top goal scorer with 7 goals.



### **RHS Malvern Spring Show**

We are proud to announce that Cook's Garden Centre and our Junior Gardeners were awarded an RHS Gold Medal. Well done to everyone involved. More details will be added to our main website.

## KEY STAGE 1 MESSAGES

### Lobsters

The children have been enjoying their Friday sewing sessions with Mrs Postlethwaite and have made some fantastic hand puppets and other items. It has been lovely seeing some of the children using the skills at home and bringing in work to show us. We have been writing sorry letters from Mr Wolf from Little Red Riding Hood, The children have had some brilliant ideas to include in their writing.

The children have worked very hard this term and I am very proud of what they have achieved. Have a lovely half term holiday.

### Seahorses

We have learned about the story of The Three Little pigs this week and have been having a go at re-telling the story and writing some Big Bag Wolf wanted posters.

Our topic after half term will be called 'In My Little Garden' and we will be learning all about minibeasts. For more information please see our class newsletter.

The children have been given their last set of action word cards this week. These are the tricky words children need to learn to read and write in Reception. As a **Learning Challenge** see how many your child is able to read with the picture covered or write with just the word covered up.

## KEY STAGE 2 MESSAGES

### Seals

The Super Seals have been getting really stuck into our France topic this week. We have delved back in time to look at some French history, "Vive la revolution!" and in literacy we have been creating some brochures to persuade people to visit France.

The children have worked hard this term and I am looking forward to continuing our exploration of France after the break. I hope you all have a fantastic half term holiday

### Sharks

Sharks have had a busy week. Y6 began the week doing the Bikeability program. On Wednesday it will be Y5's turn to take to the saddle. Meanwhile, we have continued to be creative with our maths games. Sharks are really enjoying putting their game together and look forward to sharing it with Lower Key Stage Two towards the end of the summer term.

Now that the weather appears to be improving our P.E. sessions take place outdoors. Remember hats, sun-cream and water...

Have a lovely half-term!

## REMINDERS

### Swimming

Swimming continues for Years 3 and 4 after half term for 4 weeks.

### Lacon Childe School

Reminder from Lacon Childe School for Year 6 parents, if you have not already done so, your admission forms must be sent in as soon as possible.

### Sainsbury's Vouchers

If you have any vouchers still lying around the house could you please bring them into school as soon as possible so we can get a final total. We would like to process our order after half term.

### Quiz, Curry and Music Night

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June from 7.15pm

The Quiz begins at 7.30 (teams no larger than 8 people)

Homemade Curry served after the quiz then Live Music by Dan Greenway.

Tickets available from school office.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## **101 Dalmations**

We have provisionally booked tickets to take the whole school to see the Birmingham Repertory Theatre's production of 101 Dalmations in December. More details to follow.

## **Summer Fayre 23<sup>rd</sup> June Non-Uniform Days**

On each of the following days your child may come to school in non-uniform in exchange for a prize for the following stalls.

**9<sup>th</sup> June – Children's Tombola**

**16<sup>th</sup> June – Adults Tombola**

**23<sup>rd</sup> June – Cakes and Plants**

## **KS1 and Reception Community Police Visit**

We are very excited about the visit from a local police officer that we are having this Friday afternoon. This will help to enhance our 'Keeping Safe' topic. Thank you to Mr Thomas for organising this and coming in to speak to the children.