



Abberley Parochial V.C. Primary School

Inspiring Hearts & Minds

NEWSLETTER 8th June 2016

WHOLE SCHOOL NEWS

KS2 Summer Production

We have started rehearsing our summer production, which is called 'The Amazing Adventures of Superstan'. This is a fun-filled superhero, comedy adventure following the story of the citizens of comic-book city of Megaville. The production offers opportunities for all children in KS2 to take part and lots of children are busy learning their lines and singing the songs.

The dates for the performances will be July 11th and 12th. Tickets will be on sale later in the term.

Trip to Cadbury World

Reception and Key Stage 1 had a fantastic trip to Cadbury World yesterday.

The children were very interested to learn all about the how chocolate is made and the history of Cadburys. They behaved beautifully and were a credit to the school.

Mrs Lightfoot and Mrs Amies would like to thank all the adults and children for a wonderful day out.

Please take a look at the website to find out more about our trip and see some photographs.

Open Afternoon- June 14th.

The school will be open for any parents who wish to come and look round whilst their children are in lessons.

If you would like to visit the school come along any time from 1:30 on Tuesday 14th June.

Y6 Residential Autumn Term 2016

You will have received a letter today regarding next year's Y6 residential. There will be a meeting for parents about this next Thursday (16/06/16) at 3.30pm in Sharks' classroom

KEY STAGE 1 MESSAGES

Lobsters

On Friday 17 June 2016 Lobster class would like to invite you to a Chocolate Celebration from 2.00 pm - 3.00 pm. During the afternoon the children will be showing you some of their wonderful work from our "Golden Ticket" topic, performing a rainforest dance and there will even be some yummy chocolate treats for you to try. As part of the activities the children are hoping to raise £25.00 to buy an area of rainforest land. They will be bringing home a letter to tell you more about this.

Please could all children bring some brightly coloured clothes from home to change into for their rainforest dance?

We look forward to seeing you there.

Seahorses

The children all had a fantastic time at Cadbury World yesterday and learned lots about where chocolate comes from and how it is manufactured and sold. This trip has given them an exciting start to our topic on Brazil.

This week we will be learning more about the Queen and thinking about the countries that make up the United Kingdom. The children have enjoyed celebrating the different Saint's Days this year and will be able to use their knowledge from these to work together on a quiz about our Queen and Country.

KEY STAGE 2 MESSAGES

Turtles & Dolphins

Timetable

Thursday – Outdoor PE Kit & Ukuleles.

Friday – Outdoor PE kit.

The children have been designing, Wallace & Gromit style 'Cracking Contraptions', as part of their English topic. We look forward to seeing how they develop as the topic moves forward.

'The Reef' will be taking part in an Olympic Games themed topic this summer. The children can start researching, in their own time, about the Rio games and Olympic history.

Sharks

With the Olympics and Paralympics looming, the children have started to look at the sports that they will see in the major events. This week, the children had a go at blind football and found the event both challenging and interesting.

Next week, we will be having a visitor into class on Tuesday and he will be bringing with him an exciting piece of technology.

Year 6 are Bell Boating next Thursday so please remember to send back your reply slips.

REMINDERS

Summer Production Props

We are in need of the following items for props and costumes.

- Pull along shopping trolley
- Large plastic green water gun
- 6x marine berets
- Yellow fuzzy wig
- 2x purple wigs
- Old spectacles
- Combat trousers and T-shirts

If you are able to help source any of the above list can you please see Mrs Shelley or Mrs Russell. Thank you.

Meeting for New Parents Tuesday 14th June

There will be a meeting for parents of new reception children joining the school in September. The meeting will begin at 9:45. Parents will be shown around the school and have the opportunity to speak to their child's new class-teacher. Information about how to help your child prepare for starting school will also be available.

Friends' Association Meeting Monday June 13th at 3.15

Tea party for The Queen Tomorrow!

We will be very grateful for any donations of cakes and nibbles for the whole school tea party on the field tomorrow.

Children can come to school wearing red white and blue!

Non- Uniform day for Children Monday 13th June

Please bring in a prize for the Children's Tombola stall at the School Fete to be held on July 1st

UPCOMING EVENTS

Y5/6 Outdoor Rounders' Tournament Wednesday, 15th June

A team will be selected for the very first outdoor rounders cluster tournament and letters will be sent after half term.

Year 6 Transition Sports Day Wednesday, 22nd June

The Year 6 will be going to Chantry for the day for our annual sports day with all the other year 6 children from our cluster. Letters will be sent out after half term.

Green Day

On the 20th of June 2016 the Eco team will be holding a Green Day of activities specifically designed to raise awareness of Green issues. The day will be entirely organised and run by the children!

We need:

Card board boxes or any recycled materials

Tins, cartons, milk bottles etc.

Your help to make Green Day happen will be greatly appreciated

Grand Summer Fayre - Friday 1st July 2016

Our Olympic Theme Grand Summer Fayre is nearly here! In the lead up to the summer fayre we hold a number of non-uniform days in return for tombola / stall prizes ... details below.

Monday 13th June - Prize for the Children's Tombola **Friday 24th June** - Prize for the Adults Tombola

Friday 1st July (Fayre) - Prize for the Cake and or Plant Stall

Grand Raffle Tickets will be issued later this week. Please keep an eye out for them in book bags and sell as many as you can as we are trying to raise money for a new adventure trail. There is still time to add additional prizes to this year's raffle, if you know any local businesses that would like to donate a prize and support us please speak to Mrs Day in the school office.

We have a bottle of Moët that has been donated for our Luxury Hamper .If you have any items you feel would be suitable to join the Moët in the Luxury Hamper please bring them to the school office, Thank you.

If you have any Olympic Theme stall ideas please get in touch too if you can/would like to help out.

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