

Ashton CofE Primary School Newsletter

What's on this week 29th February 2016

Mon: Piano Lessons. PE Infants only pm with Alex Dunn.

Tues:

Weds: Strings Lessons.

Thurs: Junior Swimming 8/10.

Fri: Whole School Celebration Assembly. PE with Back of the Net am.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

11th March - Swimming 9/10

9th March - Juniors out all day - Please cancel all nourish meals.



Stars of the Week & Work of the Week



Well done to Archie, Ruby L and Oliver in the Juniors for achieving Star of the Week. Well done to Alfie and Moriah for achieving Star of the Week in the Infants. Well done to Alfie for achieving Work of the Week.

CLUB LIST W/C 22.2.16.

Monday: Arrows Archery for Years 3 and 4 with Mrs Whitlock. Tuesday: Lunchtime guitar with Mrs Whitlock for beginners.

Wednesday: Netball squad training (children will have received a letter) with Mrs Shadforth.

(Finish 4:15pm)

Thursday:

Friday: Badminton for 5/6 after school with Calum/Archie/Mrs Whitlock (Finish 4pm)

Lunchtime guitar with Mrs Whitlock

Bingo Saturday 5th March 6pm for 6.30pm start £3.00 per book.

From Mrs Whitlock

Arrows Archery



A group of 14 children gathered their bows and arrows last night and headed to Nicholas Hawksmoor Primary School in Towcester to take part in a friendly tournament with the children there. We all had a fantastic time. The children were a credit to the school.

World Book Day

A reminder that next Thursday is World Book Day. We are encouraging all children who would like to, to dress as a character from a book. You are all welcome to stay to assembly on Thursday to see the array of costumes I am sure there will be. There will be small prizes for the best Infant boy and girl, and best Junior boy and girl, judged by our chair of Governors, Alex Rowe. Please do not feel you need to spend a fortune on this! I am looking forward to seeing children dressed for the occasion. Children will all receive a £1 book token from the organisers of World Book Day. (Please note that juniors are swimming in the afternoon so please avoid hair colour and any face paint or makeup will need to be removed beforehand).

If you are willing to stay and read a story to some children after assembly for 15 minutes, please let me know the title of the book you would like to read.

Have a lovely weekend, I am hoping to sort out four World Book Day Costumes for the whole of the Whitlock family!

The Fifty Job Smarties Challenge

Dear Children.

Today you will receive a smarties tube with your name on it. Your challenge (after eating the smarties!), is to complete fifty jobs and fill the tube with coins. The jobs can be anything your parents deem suitable for your age and ability. You can complete the job for anyone your parents think appropriate i.e. parents, friends, family, neighbours etc. and you can charge any amount your parents allow for the job completed. One job equals one coin.

There will be a prize for the most challenging or innovative job/s completed; the first person to complete fifty jobs, the second person to complete fifty jobs and the third person to complete fifty jobs.

Complete the form that accompanies your smarties tube and return to your class teacher along with the filled smarties tube when you have finished. Good Luck!

Year 6 SATS practice

We have subscribed to Spag.com of which the children all have their own log in. They can log in and do some SPaG (spelling, punctuation and grammar) practice. I will set some online tests for them to do. All children also have an Active Learn Log in where they can do some SPaG games and also some maths games. These are not compulsory but a useful aid and should be relatively fun! All year groups have subscribed to these so if any other children would like some maths or SPaG practice they can do so too. Please see me if you need more details. Diane Shadforth

Junior Homework Project



This term's topic homework for Mrs Shadforth is a project on Ancient Egypt. The children have been asked to research on an aspect of Ancient Egypt that we will <u>not</u> be studying in class. They need to produce a leaflet or poster which other children in the class will read and learn from. The full details are attached to this newsletter. It needs to be handed in on Wednesday 16th March. They are very welcome to make something to accompany their leaflet if they wish but they will not be doing a presentation to the class on this occasion.

Roade Day Nursery and Preschool at EWS

Roade Day Nursery are thrilled to announce that we have now been granted Planning Permission. Building work will commence mid-February aiming to be open mid-April. Please visit our website at www.roadedaynursery.co.uk to register your interest under admissions. Thank you.

After School care In Large Homely Environment

Local Registered Child minder, based in Hartwell, collecting daily from Ashton Primary School. Come and visit us, you and your children will be most welcome!

Call Teresa on 07985 168443 for details or speak to Ginny who knows me well!