



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



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Congratulations



Congratulations go to Ruth Callen and her catering team; Mrs Wallis and Mr McKenna.

On Wednesday the 8th March 2017, they received their annual Food Safety and Hygiene inspection from Environmental Health, Tendring District Council.

We are delighted to inform you that they were awarded the highest possible result which means they have continued with their high standards from the previous inspection.

They were awarded a Food Hygiene rating of 5, with the accompanying comment: "Excellent Standards".
Well done!

Road Safety



On Thursday 9th March 2017 the Year 5 children in Class 4 were visited by Wendy Boorman, a Road Safety Officer, from Essex County Council.

The children took part in a road safety quiz and discussed several aspects of road safety with Wendy. Mrs Boorman, who visits many schools, was impressed by the pupils' knowledge and their contributions to the discussions.

At the end of the workshop the children were delighted to receive special, reflective backpacks.

Mrs Perou - Class 4



Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the week beginning 13.03.17 is Menu 46



Additional Letters

Sports News



Football Tournament / Football Match

The busy sporting term continued this week with the football team back in action.

Last Friday 3rd March 2017 we took a team to the Harwich Sports Association 5-a-side tournament.

The boys remained unbeaten in their group matches with one win and two draws and qualified for the semi-final against a very strong and skilful team from Spring Meadow. Despite coming close to scoring on several occasions they eventually went down 3-0. However, they can feel proud of their performance against a team who went on to win the final.

Well done to the team: Archie Cathro, Sonny Dines, Keaton Huffey, Jamie Smith, James Tree, Franco Wallis and Paolo Wallis.



The boys were back in action last night against All Saints, Great Oakley, in a Constable League match.

In a tight first half, Ardleigh took the lead with an excellent long range shot from Jamie Smith. However, in the second half Great Oakley's greater strength began to tell and they eventually ran out 2-1 winners. Once again the boys kept trying right up to the final minute and could not be faulted for their hard work and effort.

Well done to the team: Archie Cathro, Sonny Dines, Ashton Heath, Keaton Huffey, Edward Reeve, Jamie Smith, James Tree and Paolo Wallis.

Many thanks to all the parents who came to support and especially to Mrs Reeve and Mrs Dines for their help with the refreshments.

The sporting calendar continues today with a hockey tournament in Harwich and next week the rugby team will be back in action at their County finals in Southend on Thursday.

We wish them all the best of luck.

Mr Evans

Roman Cup - Round 2



Thursday 9th March 2017 saw the Year 3 and 4 squash teams return to the Colchester Garrison for the second round of the Roman Cup. The weather was much kinder to us this time and all 4 teams started the afternoon well, getting a good amount of points on the scoreboard.

The final scores haven't been confirmed yet but all the children played extremely well and their behaviour between games was exemplary.

Mr Kempster

James Blacker wrote the following report:

On Thursday 9th March 2017 at the Garrison Squash Courts, seventeen people from Class 3 went to play squash. After the first round we were all confident that we would win at least one game. In our group there were five other schools, Lawford, Bradfield, Langham, Brooklands and Great Bromley. It was noisy but fun and exciting. We all tried our best and are looking forward to the finals.

The final round will be held at the Garrison on Thursday 23rd March.



Dates For Your Diary

- *13.03.17 Ardleigh Pre-School - visiting Class 1 / attending Assembly
- *15.03.17 Friends of Film Club - letter sent out 07.03.17
- *16.03.17 Essex Finals - Tag Rugby Tournament - letter sent out 07.03.17
- *17.03.17 Healthy Schools' Award Ceremony - details to follow
- *20.03.17 Ardleigh Pre-School - Forest School session at Ardleigh St. Mary's
- *23.03.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Science Workshop - aimed at Y4 @ St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School - details to follow
- *23.03.17 Y3/4 Roman Cup Round 3 - The Final! - details to follow
- *24.03.17 Red Nose Day
- *24.03.17 KS1 Football Tournament @ Langham Primary School - details to follow
- *27.03.17 Last Cricket session for Class 2
- *28.03.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster 5-A-Side Football Tournament @ Ardleigh - details to follow
- *29.03.17 KS1 Music Festival @ Heathlands Primary School, West Bergholt - details to follow
- *29.03.17 Friends of Easter Egg Hunt - details to follow
- *30.03.17 Easter Service at St. Mary's Church, Ardleigh - pm - details to follow
- *31.03.17 Y3/4 Football Tournament @ Langham Primary School - details to follow
- *31.03.17 Break up
- *18.04.17 Return to School
- *19.04.17 Squash lessons start for Class 2
- *20.04.17 HSA Netball Rally @ Mayflower Primary School - details to follow
- *21.04.17 Tennis Taster sessions for all of the school
- *22.04.17 Ardleigh's Got Talent - details to follow
- *26.04.17 East Bergholt Spelling Bee Competition Open Practice Event - details to follow
- *26.04.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Netball Rally - details to follow
- *26.04.17 Tennis sessions start for Class 3
- *27.04.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Environmental Art Workshop - aimed at Y1 - details to follow
- *27.04.17 East Bergholt Spelling Bee Competition - The Championship! - details to follow
- *01.05.17 Bank Holiday - School closed
- *02.05.17 Children return to school
- *02.05.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Aspire Athletics - KS1 @ Tendring Primary School - details to follow

Non Pupil Days

Monday 5th June 2017 - Curriculum Analysis

Forest School Sessions

w/b 13.03.17

Class 1 - Thursday

Y2 - Wednesday

Y4 - No Forest School

Y6 - Friday

After School Clubs



Football Club

The next Football Club is on Monday 13th March 2017



Handicrafts Club

The next Handicrafts Club is on Monday 13th March 2017



Let's Get Sporty Club

There is no Let's Get Sporty this week.
The next Let's Get Sporty Club is on Tuesday 21st March 2017



Computing Club

The next Computing Club is on Tuesday 14th March 2017



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.



Chatterbooks Club

The next Chatterbooks Club is on Wednesday 15th March 2017



Squash Club

The next Squash Club is on Wednesday 15th March 2017



School Band Practice

There is no School Band Practice this week.
The next School Band practice is on Thursday 23rd March 2017



Tag Rugby Club

The next Tag Rugby Club is on Friday 17th March 2017



Glee Bees Club

The next Glee Bees Club is on Friday 17th March 2017



Have a lovely weekend.
Take care - From all at Ardleigh St. Mary's

