



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



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Welcome Back



Welcome back to the new academic year 2018 - 2019; we hope you all had a lovely holiday.

We would like to welcome our new entrants in Class 1 and the following children:-

Amelia Younger - Class 2

Hollie Jackson, Megan Sperring, Melig and Semih Yucel - Class 3

Amelia Jackson - Class 4

They are beginning to settle in and we are looking forward to getting to know them and their families better.

Another welcome is extended to our new members of staff; Mrs Brecht, who will be teaching in Class 2 and Ms Cafasso, who will be teaching in Class 4. We are also looking forward to getting to know them better and we are delighted that they has joined our school team.



Christian Values



As you know, each term the children learn about a different Christian Value in their Acts of Collective Worship and Assemblies. This term we are focusing on the Christian Value of Perseverance. Attached to the newsletter is an information sheet all about Perseverance which includes activities that you can do as a family.



Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the week beginning 17.09.17 is Menu 59



Additional Letters

- *Perseverance Flyer
- *Manningtree High School Flyer
- *Football Flyer

Dates For Your Diary

- *14.09.18 Bell Ringing starts for Year 6
- *14.09.18 Tag Rugby starts for Class 4
- *18.09.18 Mersea Trip Meeting - 7pm start - details sent out 10.09.18
- *20.09.18 Meet the Teacher Evening - 6pm start - details sent out 12.09.18
- *21.09.18 Harwich and District Primary Schools' Sports Association Tag Rugby Festival KS2 - details to be sent out on 17.09.18
- *25.09.18 - 28.09.18 Mersea Residential Week
- *26.09.18 Squash starts for Class 4 - letters sent out today
- *26.09.18 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity Programme - Multi-Cultural Art @ Boxted St Peter's - aimed at Y3/4 - am - details to follow
- *28.09.18 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity Programme - Ultimate Frisbee @ Boxted St Peter's - aimed at Y5/6 - am - details to follow
- *W/B 01.10.18 After School Clubs to begin
- *04.10.18 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Y3/4 Cross Country Competition at Wix Equestrian Centre - am - details to follow
- *04.10.18 Harwich and District Primary Schools' Sports Association Y5/6 Cross Country Competition at Wix Equestrian Centre - pm - details to follow
- *09.10.18 Full Governing Body meeting - 6.30pm start
- *12.10.18 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity Programme - KS2 Dance Festival at St Joseph's - All day - details to follow
- *17.10.18 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Programme - Beach Schools at St Joseph's - am - details to follow
- *17.10.18 Y6 Crucial Crew - Clacton - details to follow
- *18.10.18 Tiptree and Stanway Consortium Cross Country - Y5/6 at St Nicholas, Tolleshunt D'Arcy - am - details to follow
- *18.10.18 Harvest Service - pm - details to follow
- *19.10.18 'Show Racism the Red Card' Day - details to follow
- *19.10.18 Break up
- *29.10.18 Non Pupil Day
- *30.10.18 Children return to School
- *31.10.18 Parent Teacher Interviews - 3.30pm - 8pm - details to follow
- *01.11.18 parent Teacher Interviews - 3.30pm - 6.30pm - details to follow
- *05.11.18 Tiptree and Stanway Consortium KS2 Music Festival - am - at Copford - details to follow
- *08.11.18 Y5/6 Roman Cup Round 1 - pm - Garrison Squash Courts - details to follow
- *11.11.18 Remembrance Service at St Mary's Church, Ardleigh - details to follow

Non Pupil Days

Monday 29th October 2018 -
Curriculum Mastery - Joint Training
Day with Tiptree and Stanway
Consortium

Friday 15th February 2019 -
Expressive Arts - Joint Training Day
with Stour Education Partnership

Monday 3rd June 2019 -
Science Development - Joint
Training Day with Tiptree and
Stanway Consortium Network Group

Amanda's Competition



Colour, paint, stick or write a prayer/poem.

To be displayed in St Mary's Church for the flower festival.

Please bring back to school by Friday 28th September.

Many prizes.



Ardleigh at 3

On the third Sunday of each month Amanda Watts and her team run a Sunday afternoon gathering from 3pm, for about an hour. This event is held at St Mary's Church Ardleigh.

Once you come in you will see there are at least 4 or 5 tables with different activities including arts, crafts, puzzles and quizzes. First, we either sit on the carpet or in the pews. Here we listen to a story using toys and things to help tell the story. The children are usually involved with the story telling, if they want to take part. The story will have a meaning that is to do with the activities. We then go to the activities.

We then get together again and see if we can remember the story. We sing some songs and learn the actions to go along with the words. Amanda then asks "what have I forgotten?" and we all shout "the refreshments".

For the refreshments we have tea, juice, biscuits and cakes.

I like coming as I enjoy the activities and listening to the stories and making new friends, maybe you will meet someone with the same name as you?

I hope you can come.

By Sarah - age 9

Our next gathering is on Sunday 16th September at 3pm in St Mary's Church Ardleigh

Earrings Reminder

Children are not allowed to wear earrings during PE lessons and can not have them taped either according to Essex County Council's Health and Safety policy.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.



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.



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

