



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



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Y2 Scatterball Tournament



Last Friday, 16th June 2017, our Y2 Scatterball team went to Great Bromley Cricket Ground to take part in the annual Harwich and District Primary Schools' Sports Association Scatterball Tournament.

Here is a report about the event by Kyra Pearson

"Last Friday we went to a Scatterball Tournament.

There were 6 games and there were 8 schools. We won 2 games and we lost 4, we had 2 injuries.

We had a break - we had a drink and a snack.

St. George's, Great Bromley A team got a medal and a trophy and All Saints, Great Oakley got a medal.

I would like to thank Mrs Havell, Amanda and all of the other parents for helping.

It was an enjoyable day."

Well done to:

Amelie Andrews, Katie Banks, Kaci Bircher, Charlotte Bohanna-Smith, Jack Franklin,

Jennifer Owen, Jacob Partridge,

Rosie Reade, Martha Scatola, Ava-May Shelley



Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the w/b 26.06.17 is Menu 50



Additional Letters

*Joint Quiz - Flyer * Mersea Letter
*Open Gardens - Flyer *Friends of Auction list for Fun Day



Bushcraft Skills



Learning how to light a fire!

As part of their Ardleigh Community Award, Y6 have been involved in a series of Bushcraft Skills over the last 3 weeks. Mr Talbot, one of our Governors, has been showing the children how to erect tents, light fires and tie knots. The children have enjoyed learning these new skills and will be able to demonstrate their understanding at the Camp Out, later in July.

We would like to thank Mr Talbot for coming into the school and share his knowledge with us.

Ashton Heath has written a report:

'Year 6 have been doing Bushcraft every Tuesday for the last 3 weeks. We have been learning skills like lighting a fire with a flint and steel and tying knots and also putting up tents.'

Mistley Manor



Standing in Mistley Manor's garden

On Monday 19th June 2017, Y6 went to Mistley Manor as part of their Ardleigh Community Award. This is the next session as part of the FaNs section of the award. The children had been invited to lunch and then they were to interview some of their Grandfriends. At the end of the interviews, Sonny Dines and Matthew Salmon sang and played their guitar and ukulele - everyone enjoyed this very much.

We all had a great session and we look forward to meeting our Grandfriends soon.

Report written by Jamie Smith.

'On Monday 19th June 2017, Y6 went to Mistley Manor. When we arrived it was very posh, with sparkly chandeliers and it was very clean. First we had a little tour around the building. Then we ate lunch - most people had Chicken nuggets and Chips but I had sandwiches. Then we spoke to some of the residents of Mistley Manor about their past. We found out a lot about them. I enjoyed my visit to Mistley Manor.'

Y6 Cyber Safety Workshop



On Tuesday the 20th June 2017, the Year 6 children had a Cyber Safety talk from the Essex Fire Service. They talked to us about the online dangers and how people can trick you so that you think that the person you are talking to is apparently telling the truth, but they are actually not!

Don't Talk to Strangers on the Internet!

Report written by Keaton Huffey.

Friends of News

Summer Fun Day - Saturday 24th June 2017

Congratulations to the winners of the Fun Day Front Cover Competition!

Class 1 and Class 2
Winner - Harriet Fletcher
Runner Up - Charlotte Bohanna-Smith

Class 3 and Class 4
Winner - Ellie Da Costa
Runner Up - Lucy Banks

Congratulations to the winners and runner up and well done to all of the children who entered the competition.



Fun Day Reminder

Don't forget that if your child wants to use the inflatables they must be wearing socks!

See you all tomorrow at the Friends of Fun Day!

A list of Auction Prizes is being sent home today

Balloon Race - Friday 21st July 2017

Letter sent home - 26.05.17.

If you have not received a letter please let the school office know or contact one of the Friends of team.

Ardleigh Pre-School News



Ardleigh Pre-School has a vacancy for an experienced Pre-School Practitioner, with a minimum Level 3 qualification, starting in September 2017.

The ideal applicant will have a minimum of 1 years relevant experience, an in-depth knowledge of the EYFS and have held Key Person responsibilities.

This is a part-time role working term-time only.

For full details please contact Jenny on 07517 430114 or email business@ardleighpreschool.co.uk



Forthcoming Events



JOINT FUNDRAISING EVENT ARDLEIGH ST MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL & ARDLEIGH PRE-SCHOOL



Saturday 1st July, 7.30pm Ardleigh Village Hall

£5.00 per person - teams of up to 8

Bring Your Own Snacks & Drink
(a contribution to the raffle would also be welcomed)

To register your team please contact:

Jenny Scofield - 07517 430114

Graham Cole - on the gates at Ardleigh St. Mary's

or email fundraising@ardleighpreschool.co.uk

Raising money for new signage to welcome everyone to our wonderful schools. This sign will be located at the entrance to Ardleigh St Mary's Primary School and includes Ardleigh Pre-School in recognition of the close partnership we enjoy although the pre-school is based at the village hall.



Ardleigh St Mary's Gardening club

Are opening their gardens to raise money for St Helena's Hospice.

On Saturday 1st July 2017 11:00-3:00

Entry fee: Donations

Tea/coffee and a selection of cakes available

Tombola

Come see

Gardening clubs fruit/veg growing

Fairy/gnome garden/windsor garden

farming robot (2nd runner up winner from Tendring 100 show 2016)

And lots more

Dandylion will be joining us

Also bring your teddies and come and join in with Melody and Milligan bear instructed by Debbie Miller for a fun introduction to the world of dance

1:00-1:30pm

also come see baby ducks, quails and chickens

Hope to see you there!



Class 4 Plea

Class 4 are asking for any old costume jewellery that you have but no longer want!
If you have any that you would like to donate to Class 4, please send it to Mrs Perou.

Thank you.



Gardening Club News

Hospice Open Garden - Saturday 1st July 2017 (11am - 3pm)- flyer sent out today

Strawberry Plant Judging - Wednesday 5th July 2017



Sainsbury's Vouchers

We are still collecting the Sainsbury's Vouchers.

Please put any vouchers in the collection box which is located in the Library.

Forest School Sessions

w/b 26.06.17

Class 1 - Tuesday

Y2 - No Forest School

Y4 - Thursday

Y5/6 - Friday



Class 1 Plea

Class 1 would like any donations of:

*Large sheets of cardboard

*Cardboard tubes from kitchen rolls

Thank you.

Dates For Your Diary

- *24.06.17 Friends of Fun Day - details sent out 09.06.17
- *26.06.17 Cricket Friendly - details sent out 21.06.17
- *27.06.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Rounders Tournament @ All Saints, Great Oakley - details sent out 21.06.17
- *28.06.17 Cricket Tournament @ Mistley Cricket Club - details sent out 22.06.17
- *29.06.17 Y5 Science Day at Manningtree High School - details sent out 23.06.17
- *29.06.17 New Entrants' Parents Evening - 7pm start
- *30.06.17 Summer Reading Challenge Assembly
- *30.06.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Scatterball Tournament @ Great Bromley Cricket Ground - details sent out 22.06.17
- *01.07.17 Open Garden Day - details sent out 23.06.17
- *01.07.17 Ardleigh St Mary's and Ardleigh Pre-School Joint Quiz - details sent out 23.06.17
- *03.07.17 / 04.07.17 Y6 Induction Days @ Manningtree High School
- *06.07.17 Class Swap Day
- *06.07.17 Get Safe 4 Summer Swimming event at Dovercourt Swimming Pool - Y6 - details sent out 22.06.17
- *06.07.17 ACA Flower Arranging Workshop
- *07.07.17 Y6 It's Your Move event - Y6 - details sent out 22.06.17
- *08.07.17 Tendring Show
- *10.07.17 Re-arranged HSA Cricket Tournament @ Dovercourt - details to follow
- *11.07.17 HSA Rounders Tournament @ All Saints - Great Oakley - details to follow
- *11.07.17 Full Governing Body meeting - 6.30pm start
- *13.07.17 Sports Day - 1.15pm start - details to follow
- *14.07.17 Ardleigh Pre-School Sports Day - Class 1 attending - details to follow
- *14.07.17 Ardleigh Community Award Camp Out - details to follow
- *17.07.17 Y6 Day Out - details to follow
- *18.07.17 Ardleigh Community Award Awards Evening - 7pm start - details to follow
- *19.07.17 'Showcase Event' - details to follow
- *21.07.17 10am 'Leavers' Assembly

After School Clubs



Handicrafts Club

The next Handicrafts Club is on Monday 26th June 2017



Computing Club

The next Computing Club is on Tuesday 27th June 2017 - This will be for Class 4



Let's Get Sporty Club

The next Let's Get Sporty Club is on Tuesday 27th June 2017



Gardening Club

The next Gardening Club is on Wednesday 28th June 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 last Chatterbooks Club is on Wednesday 28th June 2017



School Band Practice

The next School Band practice is on Thursday 29th June 2017



Tag Rugby Club

Tag Rugby Club has now finished for the term



Glee Bees Club

The next Glee Bees Club is on Friday 30th June 2017



Have a lovely weekend.

Take care

From all at Ardleigh St. Mary's

