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School Council



Report by Nicholas Connor and Grace Hoggarth

This week at the School Council meeting -

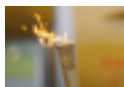
Emilie Mayne attended to discuss having a question box.

She was more than happy to help with this and she has, with some help from Grace, designed a box.

This will be made over the weekend and then positioned in the library. If

anyone has any questions or suggestions about School Council, they will be able to write them down, put them in the box and then these can be discussed at the weekly meetings.

Essex Carrying The Flame



On Thursday morning, as part of the 'Essex Carrying The Flame' Olympic initiative, Howard Nicholls and Richard Chiassaro came into school.

Howard Nicholls was previously connected with our school as part of the School Sports Programme and is now working with the 'Essex Carrying The Flame' initiative. He was accompanied by Richard Chiassaro, a GB Paralympic Wheelchair racer.

They led the assembly for the whole school where Richard talked about his sport and why he competes.

During the rest of the morning he worked with Class 4. The children got to find out more information about him, he taught them how to read braille and to play Goalball and was kind enough to give his autograph when asked!

The pupils in Y5 and Y6 thoroughly enjoyed their morning and are keen to write to him to find out even more.

Table of The Week



Class 1 Logan Mitchell

Class 2 Olivia Elden

Class 3 Eadie Armstrong-Jones

Class 4 Jake Lay-Flurrie



Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the week beginning 26.11.12 is Menu 16



Additional Letters

There are no additional letters this week.

Sports News



Football

Over the past week the football squad have been in action. They have played 3 matches, winning 2 and losing 1;

*Harwich League - Chase Lane 1 v 4 Ardleigh, Bradfield 1 v 2 Ardleigh

*Constable league - Bradfield 2 v 0 Ardleigh.

Bradfield v Ardleigh

Last Friday the football team played a 'double header' against Bradfield.

The first match was in the harwich League and ended 2 v 1 to Ardleigh with goals scored by Louis and Tomas.

The second match was part of the constable league and this time Bradfield came out on top, winning 2 v 0.

Chase Lane 1 v 4 Ardleigh

Ardleigh's footballers stormed to an unexpected victory over Chase Lane in their first match in their season's Harwich League.

Ardleigh started strongly and took a surprise lead after only five minutes when Leo Dines scored on his debut.

Chase Lane hit back but some strong defending and some good saves by Kyiraan in goal, kept the score to 1 v 0 at half time.

The second half began disappointingly when Chase Lane after a few minutes. But shortly after that Ardleigh regained the lead with a goal from Tomas after a great pass by Louis.

Chase Lane were then stunned by two more goals from Ben and Tomas again.

Despite some late pressure from Chase Lane, the score remained the same at full-time.

The team members were:- Kyiraan Boyle-Smart, Tom Cawthorne, Nicholas Connor, Leo Dines, Louis Dutch, Tomas Juskevicius, Benjamin Mayne, Rhys Moore and Joshua Smith.

Match report written by our reporter at the heart of the action, Kyiraan Boyle-Smart.

Well done to the team for both matches and we wish them good luck in the future matches.



Hockey

The hockey team performed very well at the Harwich and District Schools' Sports Association Uni-Hoc Tournament on Tuesday.

They played eight matches; winning two, drawing one and losing five, eventually finishing in seventh place. Nine schools took part in the tournament, with the winner being the team from Wix and Wrabness Primary School.

Well played everyone:-

Chloe Bean, Kyiraan Boyle-Smart, Freya Dellow, Louis Dutch, Tomas Juskevicius, Rhys Moore, Charlotte Parsonson and Greta Uznyte.

I would like to thank the staff and parents who helped to support these events.

Thank you.

Other News



Copford Music Festival

On Tuesday morning a group of our KS2 children went to Copford Primary School to participate in the annual Tiptree and Stanway Consortium KS2 Music Festival. They had already learned the 7 songs they were required to sing and joined other schools from the Consortium to sing together in a musical workshop.

They thoroughly enjoyed themselves and the pupils in Y3 - 5 who took part, are looking forward to going again next year.

Well done to the following children:

Y6 - Elli Barrott, Chloe Bean, Nicholas Connor, Freya Dellow, Grace Hoggarth, Tomas Juskevicius, Lucas Ludlow-Reid, Max Morgan, Greta Uznyte.

Y5 - Hattie Callen, Poppy Smee-Hotene

Y4 - Evie Cathro, Josie Mason, Charlotte Tree

Y3 - Eadie Armstrong-Jones

I would like to thank the staff and parents who helped to support this event.

Thank you.

Life Education Bus

On Wednesday, The Rotary Club Education Bus came to visit us for the day. All the children were involved in the activities that took place over the day. Each class received a lesson from the teacher on board relating to our body and senses. The overwhelming response from the children was that they loved this experience and would like the bus to return next year.



On board the bus!



After School Clubs



'Dramarama'

The next 'Dramarama' club is on **Monday 26th November**.
This session is for the following children:-

Group 1

Becky Adams, Evan Bament, Lucy Banks, Eve Johnson-Laird,
Grace Johnson-Laird, Ruby Mason, Charlotte McKenna, Logan Mitchell,
Rebecca Morley, Danny Percival, Jenna Reeves, Leo Rice,
Mollie Thrower, Mason Vearer, Blake Williams.



ICT Club

The next ICT Club is on **Tuesday 27th November**.
This session is for the following children:-

Kyiraan Boyle-Smart, Tom Cawthorne, Nicholas Connor, Grace Hoggarth,
Jake Lay-Flurrie, Lucas Ludlow-Reid, Lily-Mei O'Connell, Emily Nash,
Jasmine Rice, Beth Ridley, Emma Scofield.



Gardening Club

Gardening Club has now finished for the term.



Netball Club

The next Netball Club is on **Wednesday 28th November**.



Football Club

Football Club has now finished for the term.
Football Club will start again after Christmas.



Cookery Club

The next Cookery Club is on **Tuesday 27th November**.

This session is for the following children:-
Becky Adams, Sonny Dines, Olivia Harmer, Rebecca Morley,
Jasmin Moses, James Tree

Please bring a container and a 50p donation.
Thank you.

Morrisons' Vouchers



Ardleigh Pre-School would like to say a huge thank to everyone who donated Morrison's vouchers to the pre-school. Although they have not yet counted the number they have received, they are extremely pleased with the amount that you have sent in. Once they have counted their vouchers, they will let us know what they have decided to order.

Coming Soon! Christmas Events

Friends of Christmas Discos - 08.12.12 - Tickets are currently being sold by members of Friends of....

Christmas Tea Party - 14.12.12 - start at 3.15pm - invitation to follow

Pantomime - Jack and the Beanstalk - 20.12.12



Dates For Your Diary

- *26.11.12 Last Bikeability session for Y6
- *29.11.12 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster G&T Programme - Science Workshop - aimed at Y4 @ Mistley Norman - letters sent out 23.11.12
- *30.11.12 Football match v St. Joseph's - at home - 2.40pm kick off
- *03.12.12 Christmas Lunch Menu given out
- *04.12.12 Football match v Wix and Wrabness - at home - 2.40pm kick off
- *07.12.12 Mini Olympics Day
- *08.12.12 Friends of... Christmas Discos
- *11.12.12 Visit to Ardleigh Methodist Church - 2pm start
- *12.12.12 Christmas Lunch
- *13.12.12 Nativity Play Dress Rehearsal - For parents with Toddlers - details to follow
- *14.12.12 Christmas Tea Party
- *17.12.12 End of Term Reports are issued
- *17.12.12 Nativity Play Performance - details to follow
- *18.12.12 Nativity Play Performance - details to follow
- *19.12.12 Christingle Service @ St. Mary's Church - details to follow
- *20.12.12 Pantomime visit - details to follow
- *21.12.12 Break up
- *07.01.13 Return to school

Special Menus

16.10.12 Harvest Lunch
05.11.12 Bonfire Night Lunch
07.11.12 Remembrance Lunch
12.12.12 Christmas Lunch

Non Pupil Days

- Monday 3rd September 2012
- Tuesday 4th September 2012
- Friday 26th October 2012
- **Monday 25th February 2013**
- **Monday 3rd June 2013**



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

