



Ark Little Ridge Primary Academy

Newsletter

Term 5

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Y6 Bikeability

We will be hosting two Bikeability courses for Y6 pupils in June. The aim is to encourage and inspire children to use their bikes more, making safe trips on roads to school or for leisure.

How much will it cost?

The course will cost only **£15.00** (Mon-Friday, 4-5 sessions depending on weather etc) **FREE** to children claiming free school meals.
Maximum of 12 pupils per course

Dates: **Course 1 commences:** Monday 18th June. **Course Times:** 3.15 – 4.45 pm
Course 2 commences: Monday 25th June. **Course Times:** 3.15 – 4.45 pm

[Further information](#) can be found here or ask at the school office.



Y6 Health and Development Reviews

The East Sussex School Health Service is delighted to be able to offer all children in Year 6 a Health and Development Review. The Health and Development Reviews will enable the School Health Service to identify needs, so early intervention can be offered, preventing any problems from developing further.

Letters were emailed home on Wednesday 2nd May with the required information.



PSA AGM

All parents and carers are invited to our PSA's AGM on Tuesday 22nd May at 2.30 pm. Please try and come along to support us, find out what we do and why we do it. New members warmly welcomed to join the committee or just come along to find out more or sign up for forthcoming activities. Thank you for your support!



A massive **‘thank you’** to all who came to the PSA Quiz night last Friday. 7 teams entered and great fun was had, especially during the team challenge round involving straws, balloons and sellotape! The winners, for the 2nd year running, were the ‘Battered Sausages’ who won a selection of drinks and the lovely ladies from Year 1, ‘The Onesies’ took home the wooden spoon. A big thank you to our PSA members for organising

the evening and well done to our amazing Quiz Master, Michael Hinton. We hope to see more teams next year to take on the challenge of beating the Battered Sausages! £200 was raised for the PSA funds, well done everyone!



Attendance and Safeguarding

Attendance this week

Registration groups and % attendance		Y3 Kingston	97.9
		Y3 Brunel	97.2
YR Surrey	99	Y4 Cardiff	97.5
YR Canterbury	97.4	Y4 Chichester	96.5
Y1 Goldsmiths	92.6	Y5 Aston	96.3
Y1 Sussex	94.3	Y5 Leeds	96.3
Y2 Bath	94.4	Y6 Oxford	98.6
Y2 Exeter	97	Y6 Cambridge	98.6
		Chester (SLC)	93.6



We want to help you to keep your child safe!

Each week we are going to try and give you, or point you in the direction of, help and advice about keeping your child safe.


Are you a Snapchat savvy parent?

Snapchat is the social media app which has been flagged by the NSPCC and Police as being one of the main sources of online grooming, with the youngest victim recorded just seven years old.

The guide below informs parents about the dangers associated with the social media platform and how they can reduce the associated risks, including sexting, snap map and snap streaks. You can [download the guide here](#).

WhatsApp News....

WhatsApp is raising the minimum user age from 13 to 16. This is a clear message that primary aged pupils should not be using this App. Please check your child’s phone regularly.

 This week's Achievers					
Class	Name of pupil	Award	Class	Name of pupil	Award
Canterbury	Taylor Pain	Determination	Surrey	Charlotte Simpson	Enthusiasm
	Rihanna Butler	Achievement		Violet LLOYD	Achievement
	Eloise Jackson-Woodley	Achievement		Eva Porter	Achievement
Goldsmiths	Joshua Mabon	Determination	Sussex	Thomas O'Reilly	Generosity
	Jacob Mullin	Determination		Liam Cunningham	Achievement
	Maya Mulligan	Achievement		Melah Chandler	Achievement
Bath	Sophia Gage-Austin	Determination	Exeter	Sophie Ellis	Determination
	Tom Brockhurst	Achievement		Fletcher Collins	Achievement
	Ishaq Benchikh	Achievement		Arish Rahman	Achievement
Brunel	Jacob Catt	Determination	Kingston	Joshua Roberts	Determination
	Hattie Morton-Davage	Achievement		Tyla Tovey	Achievement
	Liliana Hysa	Achievement		Farhan Alikhel	Achievement
Cardiff	Tilly-Mae Tanner	Determination	Chichester	Hannah Stewart	Determination
	Alessio Pola	Achievement		Ruby Bradshaw	Achievement
	Imogen Arkell	Achievement		Joshua Stevens	Achievement
Aston	Umar Ahmed	Determination	Leeds	Eve Gurney	Determination
	Tiffany Munetsi	Achievement		Emma Sellens	Achievement
	Eden Guest	Achievement		Leah Labbett	Achievement
Cambridge	Dylan O'Leary	Determination	Oxford	Macie Phillips	Determination
	Lucy Legg	Achievement		Ella Sutton	Achievement
	Sharni Gilbert	Achievement		Malachi Edworthy	Achievement
Chester	All of Chester	Enthusiasm			



KS1 winners: Y2 Bath (381)

KS2 winners: Y6 Cambridge (302)

CONGRATULATIONS!



A reminder that, as part of our continued move towards a cashless school, we are introducing online payments for trips and activities. Therefore, if you are still not registered for ParentPay, you will have been sent home an activation letter from the school office so that you can register. We currently have payments and confirmation to attend activities open for Y4, Y5 and Y6– see calendar at end of weekly newsletter for information on activities.



The summer terms are very busy – can we ask you please to keep an eye on your emails for upcoming activities and to help us out by responding promptly as required. Even if you are unable to check your emails every day, we do try and post information in the calendar at the end of this weekly newsletter with a link to the letter/information in case you have missed it.



Diary dates

Mon 14 th May	Y5 Leeds visiting Mallydams Wood	Information
Wed 16 th May	Y5 Aston visiting Mallydams Wood	Information
Mon – Thurs 14-17 th May	Y6 End of Key Stage SATs	
Tues 22 nd May	PSA AGM	2.30 pm. All welcome!
Fri 25 th May	Class Photographs	
28th May – 1st June May Holiday		
Thurs 7 th June	Y3 Brunel rescheduled Mallydam's Wood visit	
Thurs 14 th June	Special Menu: World Cup Day	Information to follow
18-22 nd June	Y6 Bikeability course 1	Information
25-29 th June	Y6 Bikeability course 2	Information
Wed 4 th July	Special Menu: American Independence Day	Information to follow
Fri 6th July	Inset	

Fri 6 th – Mon 9 th July	Y6 residential visit to PGL Windmill Hill.	<u>Information</u> A further meeting for parents will be held at the beginning of Term 6.
Wed 18th July Last day of the academic year for all pupils.		
Thurs 19th/Fri 20th July	Insets	

Term dates: 2017 - 18 2018 - 19



Take a look!