

# Archibald News

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"Believe and Achieve." "Věř a Dosáhnutí" "Uwier i osiągnięcia" "Crede și atinge" "انجاز و ايمان" "相信与实现"

The theme this week is 'Everyone to use their personal power to make the right choices'.

## ATTENDANCE NEWS - Every School Day Matters

**Our attendance target is 96%.**  
School attendance for last week (wb 7.3.16) was only 92.9%.  
The Reception Class with the highest attendance for the week was Class 2 (90.6%)  
The KS1 class with the highest attendance was Class 5 with 93.9%. The KS2 class with the highest attendance was Class 11 with 98.8%.

### Attendance Fairy

Each Friday afternoon the Attendance Fairy visits any classes that have 100% and brings them a special treat!



## STARS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to the following pupils who were awarded 'Star of the Week' in our celebration assembly last week. The theme for last week was 'Listen carefully and follow instructions.'

- Class 1 – Ilham Ibrahim
- Class 2 – Ellise Harker
- Class 3 – Andrei Cojoc
- Class 4 – Levi Baker
- Class 5 – Isla Frame
- Class 6 – Thanajan Muralitharan
- Class 7 – Lilly Neal
- Class 8 – Elicia Empson
- Class 9 – Leighton Murphy
- Class 10 – Ethan Smith
- Class 11 – McKenna Kime
- Class 12 – Phoebe Robson
- Class 13 – Tia Reynolds
- Class 14 – Sonnie Robinson
- Class 15 – Jessica Millward
- Class 16 – Tyler Kelly
- Class 17 – Jolie Stephenson

### Mentors Award:

Miss Greet – Thomas Stone  
Mrs Clark – Jeen Taha

**Congratulations to all the stars!**

## ..Y6 SATs Countdown....

Y6 SATs start on May 9<sup>th</sup>.

### 8 weeks to go!

*SATs practice week this week!*

*Free Y6 Breakfast from 8:15am*

## Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March

The School Council have organised a sponsored silence in aid of Zoe's Place.

This will take place on Thursday March 24<sup>th</sup>. Each teacher will organise the time with their class. It is expected to last 15 minutes.



In order to keep children safe and prevent them knocking on doors or asking strangers for sponsorship money there will be no sponsor forms issued. In order to participate and help this worthy cause pupils will need to bring in a donation.

## Sports Relief Fun Run – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2016

This year we are really excited to be raising money for Sport Relief 2016! As one of the UK's biggest fundraising events, Sport Relief brings the entire nation together to get active, raise cash and change lives.

To do our bit and raise money we will be wearing sportswear, preferably red (you can wear your red Boro kit if you have one!). All children will also be running the Sports relief fun mile. Please come along and support the children and this worthy cause at the following times:-

Reception Class 1 – 9.25am  
Reception Class 2 – 9.45am  
Year 1 Class 3 - 10.05 am  
Year 1 Class 4 – 10.25am

Year 2 Class 5 – 10.45am  
Year 2 Class 6 – 11.05am  
Year 3 Class 7 & Class 9 – 12.55pm  
Year 3 Class 8 - 1.15pm

Year 4 Classes 10, 11 & 12 – 1.35pm  
Year 5 Classes 13, 14 & 15 – 2.05pm  
Year 6 – Classes 16 & 17 - 2.25pm



Please show your support - meet your child's class at the MUGA at the advertised time. **Sports Relief Donation £1**



## School Council Updates

Our school Council met on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> February. Jake and Leona have written these updates:-

First of all we spoke about our manifestos and about achieving our goals. Next we talked about the date for the sponsored silence and how it will be organised. It will be on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March and will be for 15 minutes. Children will need to bring in a donation in order to join in so we don't need to have sponsor forms.

Then Mr Appleyard and Mrs Dipple came in to talk about Family Challenge. We suggested the following themes:- Under the sea, magical and get Messy. We suggested the prizes could be family tickets to the cinema, to the Fun Shack and to bowling.

Finally under any other business we discussed having a longer play and dinner time, an art club for KS2 and a net under the climbing frame

By Leona Swinnerton, Y4

In or most recent school council meeting we discussed quite a few things.

We have been talking about our manifestos for when we were showing you our promises. We have all followed them and if you get school council for next year hopefully you will too. Also we are trying to organise the sponsored silence and how long it will be. It will be on March 24<sup>th</sup>.

Finally we talked about the family Challenge with Mr Appleyard and Mrs Dipple. This was the funniest part. We were trying to think of the topic (theme) and the prizes so if you have any ideas at all come and tell one of the school council and we'll get it straight to Mrs Nixon.

By Jake Foy, Y4

## **Introducing Archibald Tea Time Team**

After Easter we hope to be launching an exciting after school activity – **Archibald Tea Time Team**.

This provision will be available each school day from 3pm – 5:45pm, and children will be able to attend for up to 1 hour, up to 2 hours or for the whole session.

Children who attend our Tea Time Team will be able to enjoy a range of interesting and exciting games and activities including:-

- Pool tables
- Table top games
- Outside sports/games
- Music making activities
- Craft activities
- Indoor sports/games
- Cookery
- Craft activities
- Computing activities
- Regular competitions

\* not every activity will be on offer every day.

Pupils will be able to join the Tea Time Team after school (younger children will be collected from their classroom), or after attending one of our after school clubs.

The activities will be based in our dining room, in our art room and outside in the playgrounds and MUGA – which will be floodlit in winter months!

Places must be booked and paid for in advance.

A snack will be served at 4:15pm each afternoon.

### **Tea Time Team Tariff**

|               | 1 child | 2 children<br>(siblings) | Weekly rate<br>(per child – paid in advance) |
|---------------|---------|--------------------------|--|
| Up to 1 hour  | £4      | £7                       | £18  |
| Up to 2 hours | £7      | £12                      | £30  |
| Whole session | £10     | £18                      | £45  |

To find out more information, or to book places please enquire at the school office.

## Dairy Dates

### Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March

Y6 SATs Practice Week

Y5 Peat Rigg Residential Week

KS2 Dance Festival at Acorn Centre (12 children)

### Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March

Y5&Y6 Netball Competition (9 children)

1pm – 5pm

### Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March

Sports Relief Fun Run (£1 donation)

### Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March

Sponsored Silence in aid of Zoe's Place

Easter Assembly with Fr Glyn

End of Term 3pm - School closes for Easter Holiday.

### Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April

Start of Y6 Easter School (4 days)

### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April

Start of Summer Term 2016

Archibald Tea Time Team opens

### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Launch of 2016 Family Challenge

### Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May

Start of Y6 SATs Week

### Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June

Y6 transition week

**PD Day 4 – school closed to pupils.**

School photographer in school – details to follow

### Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June

**PD Day 5– School closed to pupils**

Further information about these events will be available nearer the time. **Further events will be added** – keep checking on the school newsletter.