

# Archibald News

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"Every child is special in our happy, caring school." "Každé dítě je zvláštní v naší šťastný, pečující školy." "Každe dziecko jest wyjątkowy w naszej szkole szczęśliwy, troskliwy"

## ★ 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 'I Learn'.

Nursery – Riley Suggett

Class 1 – Harley Charlton

Class 2 – Heidi Seymour

Class 3 – Aneta Kmeto

Class 4 – Sonny McKenna

Class 5 – Rose Maulud

Class 6 – Taylor Birt

**The prize was won by**

**Sonny McKenna**

Class 7 – Oliver Marram

Class 8 – Thomas Stone

Class 9 – Callum Dee

Class 10 – Anthony Foster

Class 11 – Dominik Pieczewski

Class 12 – Lucy Nicholson

Class 13 – Jessica Bryan

Class 14 – Niamh Pearce

Class 15 – Georgia Rigg

Class 17 – Ina Williams

Class 18 – Millie Thompson

Class 19 – Sophie Jarvis

**The prize was won by Millie**

**Thompson**

**Mentor Awards:**

Mrs Clark – Nancy Mennah

**Congratulations to all the stars!**

## Special Week 2015



This week we will be holding our Special Week. Our theme is the Shakespeare play Henry IV part 1 and all pupils will spend the week working on a variety of activities relating to this theme. The finale to the week will be a whole school performance of Henry IV part 1 which will take place on Friday afternoon. Throughout the week all pupils will get the opportunity to work with Virginia Grainger, and RSC practitioner. She will be helping pupils prepare for their performance.

### ATTENDANCE NEWS Every School Day Matters

**Our attendance target is 96%.**

School attendance for last week (wb 2<sup>nd</sup> February) was only 93.1% which again is below target as there has been a lot of sickness in school over the past week. The FS/KS1 class with the highest attendance for the week was Class 1, with 95.3%.

The KS2 classes with the highest attendance for the week were Classes 17 and 18 each with 100%. Well Done!

### **Punctuality Reminder**

Don't be late

Be on time

Doors open at ¼ to 9.

### Holiday Reminders

School closes for the half term holiday on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February and reopens on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February.

The final day of term for pupils will be Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March, as on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March we will be taking a Professional Development Day. Teachers will be working in school on developing the way we teach reading.

### Y3 Swimming

Swimming continues on Monday – Thursday this week for Y3 pupils.

### On the back...

Please turn over for information on:-

- PiXL Awards
- Head Lice Busting Day
- Parent Academy

## MAGIC

**The theme this week is 'Communication'**

Throughout the week teachers will be promoting pupils different ways of communicating effectively.



Congratulations to the following Y6 pupils who were awarded their first PiXL certificates in our celebration assembly last week in recognition of their hard work and achievements towards attaining great SATs results in the summer.

Certificates were awarded to the following pupils:-

Reading	Writing	SPAG	Mathematics
Brandon Henry Ellie Anderson Leon Green Theo Shannon Ajay Jegatheeswaran Abby Reynolds	Brandon Henry Lucy Rose Ellie Anderson Ina Williams Jacob Green Kieran Saccone Arron Buckton Leon Green Theo Shannon Ajay Jegatheeswaran Abby Reynolds	Aaron Buckton Josh McCormick Brandon Henry Kieran Saccone Ellie Anderson Leon Green Theo Shannon Ajay Jegatheeswaran Abby Reynolds	Brandon Henry Leon Green Ajay Jegatheeswaran Abby Reynolds

Up to four of these pupils and their parents/carers will be invited to represent the school and celebrate their achievements at a PiXL Celebration Event to be held in London in July – more details later.

PiXL is one of many examples on initiatives in which Archibald Primary School is engaged with in order to help pupils have the best possible outcomes. We value the support that the parents/carers of these pupils show in supporting their children with this goal.

## HEAD LICE BUSTING DAY

Head Lice Busting Day 26th February.

Following requests, Miss Chapman has arranged for the school nurse to provide an information session for parents and carers.

Please come along to the dining hall at 9 am for the most up to date information and advice.

## Parent Academy Update

This Week	
Monday 9th	Tuesday 10th
Red Group	Orange Group
After Half Term	
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	
Blue and Green groups	

In addition to finding out how you can help your child achieve well in school, you will receive a free lunch and, if you are in one of the incentivised groups, **£30** in shopping vouchers each session.

## Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers



We are once again collecting the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers. They are available in store until 5th May.

Please give any vouchers to your children to bring in to school and post them in the collection box opposite Mrs Jefferies office, or hand them in at the school office.

## HALF TERM HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Meet Olaf, Elsa, Anna, Hans and Kristoff at an interactive sing along screening of Frozen. Children are encouraged to dress up as their favourite character and come along to watch the hit animation film with lyrics on screen so that EVERYONE can join in. Watch live characters dance and sing along to the tracks.

This half term AJ Academy are running a Frozen Sing Along at MyPlace Middlesbrough.

Cost: £8 per ticket or £25 for a family ticket (2 adults & 2 children.)

February Showings: Saturday 14th February 11am & 3pm, Monday 16th 11am & 3pm, Wednesday 16th 11am & 3pm, Saturday 21st 11am & 3pm.

How to book: to book online please go to [www.ajproductions.tv](http://www.ajproductions.tv) you can also call 07999428171 or email [contact@aj-academy.com](mailto:contact@aj-academy.com)