

Newsletter 25/04/2024

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Dear Anthony Roper Community,

We hope you have had a great week! In school, our successes have included:

- Our Year 5 children returned after an excellent week in Aylmerton! Coastal walks, high-ropes courses and many other exciting activities were taken part in and our children were a credit to the school. Thank you to our families for supporting this opportunity and thank you to Mrs Haynes, Mrs Nicholson, Miss Kell and Mrs Goodwin for taking our children for this amazing experience!
- Our UKS2 children have completed 2 out of the 3 river trips booked. Zephaniah Class and Einstein Class visited Horton Kirby to support their Geography learning Da Vinci Class will complete their day next week!
- Our EYFS children were visited by a paramedic this week, as they continue to learn about people who help us!
- The school supported an interview process this week to try and secure a new crossing patrol to support the safety of our families at drop-off and pick-up times! We will update you when we know more.

A quick reminder that you have one day left to contribute to our next Parent/Carer Forum, where the topic is SEND and Inclusion.

If you would like to attend in person (Friday 26th April, 9.15am) please sign-up here: https://forms.office.com/e/PiWHyFBwqY

If you would like to contribute online, please click here: https://forms.office.com/e/VGyaj8G44i

This week, we've welcomed a series of SEND specialists into school to support with the school's strategy moving forwards and your contributions through the links above have been helpful for this work.

Looking ahead, Enrichment Courses for this term start tomorrow, so please check Dojo if your child requires any kits/clothing/etc that would be different to normal!

Keep safe,

Adam Nicholls

Safeguarding

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This week's resource is the Breck Foundation: https://www.breckfoundation.org/

Breck Foundation speakers travel the UK educating parents and pupils to ensure that young people stay safe online.

Attendance

Bear Class - 89.9% Mae Class - 90.4% Knight Class - 93.8% Armstrong Class - 98.7% Rose Class - 95.4% Tull Class - 100.0% Rashford Class - 95.8% Othello Class - 92.1% Einstein Class - 99.0% Zephaniah Class - 96.2% Da Vinci Class - 97.1%

Attendance matters - **The whole school attendance this week is 95.8%**. We aim for all children to achieve 96% attendance within the school year. For unexpected absences, due to illness for example, please contact the School Office so that we can record your child's absence correctly. All other absences must be requested using the Absence Request Form. A copy of our Attendance Policy can be found on the school website.

Key Dates

Term Dates Term 5: Monday 15th April – Friday 24th May Term 6: Monday 3rd June – Friday 19th July Inset Days Monday 22nd July 2024 Tuesday 23rd July 2024 Exhibition Afternoons Thursday 23rd May 2024, from 2.30pm Tuesday 16th July 2024, from 2.30pm Sports Day Tuesday 9th July 2024 Thursday 11th July 2024 (Reserve Date)

Notices

SWIMMING

We are pleased to have secured swimming lessons for all classes in KS2! They will run in the following terms:

Term 5 – Rashford (Commencing tomorrow)

Term 6 – Tull

Each class will receive more specific information, such as dates and kit lists, as their turn approaches.

PAYMENT FOR CLUBS

Payment for clubs is now available on Arbor. Can you please ensure payment is made as soon as possible.

JOB VACANCY

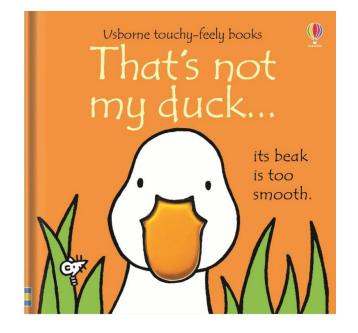
Anthony Roper - After School Club Assistant. If you are interested please contact Mandy Sheaf Email: mandy-sheaf@hotmail.co.uk.

PTA NEWS

A few dates for the summer term below:-Summer Disco - 6th June 2024 Father's Day Shop - 12th and 13th June 2024 Summer Fair - 29th June 2024 Further information to follow shortly The PTA Team

DONATION OF SENSORY BOOKS

We are looking for a donation of sensory books in particular the That's not my range of books or pop up books. If you have any of these books and would like to donate them to the school please drop them into the school office.



Awards

Numbots Champions

Bear Class - Iris, Thomas, Edie Mae Class - Elliott, Poppy, Chloe Knight Class - Theodore, Hudson, Jacob Armstrong Class - Faith-Evelyn, Anna, Jenson Rose Class - Edison, Ayla, Rory Tull Class - Sophia, Harry, Olivia Rashford Class - Rudy, Iylah-Louise, Ralphy Othello Class - Robert, Riaan, Emily Einstein Class - Sienna, Albie, Tabitha Zephaniah Class - Sienna, Albie, Tabitha Zephaniah Class - Kaius, Max, Emily D Da Vinci Class - Ilona, Rana, Stanley Times Tables Rock Stars Champions Bear Class -Mae Class -

Armstrong Class - Oliver L, Faith-Evelyn, Thomas Rose Class - William D, Edison, Jake Tull Class - Owen, Jessica B, Harry Rashford Class - Arissa, George, Harrison Othello Class - Poppy, Lucienne, Marguerite Einstein Class - Levi, Tabitha, Arthur

Zephaniah Class - Kaius, Emily D, Emily C-J

Da Vinci Class - Mia, Thomas, Bronte

Achievement Awards

Bear Class - Sidney Mae Class - Piers & Leo Knight Class - Horatio Armstrong - Dollie-mai

Rose Class - Lydia

Tull Class - Whole Class

Rashford Class - Charlie D

Othello Class - Brianna

Einstein Class -

Zephaniah Class - Ivy

Da Vinci Class - Bronte

House Points

- Knole Week 95
- Chartwell Week 64
- Penshurst Week 92
- Ightham Week 49







