

AVJS Bulletin: 22nd July 2021

This is the last bulletin of what has been quite an extraordinary year. The resilience of the children has never failed to amaze me as they have coped with lockdowns, self-isolation, bubbles, staggered start times and everything else that has been thrown at them. I would like to extend my thanks to them for how well they have coped, to you for all the support you have given us and how you have managed having to keep your children at home at short notice and also to my fantastic team at Arno Vale who have all pulled together to keep as much normality as we can. Who knows what September will bring?

You will be receiving your child's report by email on Monday. If you have any comments you would like to make, these can be directed either to the class teacher or to noreply@arnovale.notts.sch.uk.

We will be making the draw for the raffle soon but we could still do with some more prizes! If you have anything that is yellow, orange, green, red, purple, blue, grey or white, please send it in for the hampers. Tickets are still available to purchase on ParentPay and all proceeds go to the Friends of Arno Vale.

Please remember that next Wednesday, the last day of term is a non-uniform day. We are asking for a voluntary donation of £1 per child for our school fund. This goes towards the little extras we would like for the children but our school budget cannot quite stretch to!

From next week, we will be sending home books and other pieces of work that the children have completed this year. If you could send your child in with a carrier bag, that would be most helpful, thank you.

If you have a child in year 6 and have any medication in school, please call into the office to collect it before the end of term. Any

uncollected medication will be disposed of appropriately, thank you.

Thank you to all of you who have donated clothing, hangers and rails for our used uniform. We appreciate that you do not always carry money on you, but if you would like any items and to make a donation, you can send this in with your child in a sealed envelope.

This is just a reminder that school meals will be going up slightly in price from September to £2.40. I am sure you will agree that this still represents excellent value for money for a two course meal.

Because of the pandemic this year, we have not been able to hold the social and fundraising events that we usually do. However, behind the scenes, the Friends of Arno Vale have still been working hard to make sure we have had raffles, gifts for father's day, events for the children in school and Christmas gifts. I would like to thank all the members of the FOAV for all their hard work and dedication to ensure that our children and families have a great social experience at Arno Vale and raise funds too. This year, we lose four of our fantastic key members. Emma Radford, Claire Pickard, Claire Read and Debbie Geeson who have been at the heart of the FOAV for at least four years but now move on. I would like to thank them for all the support they have given us, they really have been hardworking and enthusiastic supporters of the school and we will all miss them. We will, of course, be looking for more members for the next academic year, so if you are interested, you can email us at foarnovale@gmail.com.

And finally we say good bye to our wonderful year 6 children. This amazing group of children have been a pleasure to work with over the last four years and are a credit to the school and their families. We will all miss them (but know they will come back and see us at some point) and wish them the very best of luck.



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Community News



GIRLS RUGBY TRAINING

We are running fitness and rugby session
for Girls (only) throughout the summer:

**Every Wednesday night
6.30pm to 8pm @ Paviors Rfc
Burntstump Hill, Arnold,
NG5 8PQ**

These sessions are for Girls in the RFU: U15's age group
that is all girls aged 12, 13, 14.
Also Girls in the RFU U18's age group this is all girls
aged 15, 16, 17.

Under 11's and u13's to start mid-August keep an eye on
Paviors RFC Website – or contact the low

Finally Ladies Rugby for those 18 and above at the same
time

Why not come and give it a TRY!

For more information contact
Ken James (Director of Ladies & Girls Rugby)
Email: ken-paviorsrfc@hotmail.co.uk
Tele: 07765 305722

Have a great summer and we look
forward to seeing (most of) you in
September!

