

AVJS Bulletin: 26th May 2023

It is hard to believe that we are already at the end of this half term with only a few weeks to go until the end of term. The due diligence process that we have to undertake with White Hills Park is well underway now and we hope to be officially joining them sometime in the autumn term. Every summer, the trust holds an inset day for all of its schools. Next year, this will be on Friday, 5th July 2024. You will know that we have already published our inset days for next year, but we have been asked if we can change one of them so that our staff can be part of the whole trust day in July 2024. Because of this, we need to cancel the inset day we were due to have on Monday, 6th November and change this to Friday, 5th July. To confirm, the inset days for next year will be:

Monday, 4th September 2023

Tuesday, 5th September 2023

Monday, 26th February 2024

Monday, 3rd June 2024

Friday, 5th July 2024

Woodthorpe Infant School will also be amending their inset days so that they will be the same as ours. I am sorry if this causes you any inconvenience and if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school, thank you.

It must be summer as some of our children attended a cricket festival at Gedling Colliery Cricket Club on Tuesday. Miss Elliott took Ella, Naomi, Jessica, Bea, Maryam, Lucia, Holly, Ruby, Mia and Emily for an interschool festival. The children displayed our school values and some extremely skilful play; Miss Elliott was incredibly proud of them. They won and are now through to the county championships, well done to them all!

Our Year 4 children have been getting incredibly creative and have produced a picnic fit for royalty as you will see from the pictures below:



It is hard to believe that they are made from paper and mod-roc. Well done to our wonderful year 4 children for their hard work – they also really enjoyed it.

I am really pleased to let you know that our FOAV have paid for us to have a theatre group come into school on the morning of Tuesday, 4th July. They will be performing 'The Railway Children' to the whole school and should be a great experience.



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A reminder from the office to book your places for Club Vale by midnight on Thursday, 1st June for after half term, and book and pay for school meals by Sunday, 4th June. If you haven't already done so, you can pay for the year 3 trip to Brackenhurst, the year 5 trip to the tennis centre and the year 6 trip to Willersley Castle on ParentPay. If your child is in receipt of the Pupil Premium, please email office@arnovale.notts.sch.uk to give consent to go on the trips. Thank you.

This week in PE, each year group has competed in a class vs class dodgeball competition! So far this year, each year group has competed in a class competition of their choice, a year group competition of their choice, and next half term we have our whole school competition (school games afternoon) on Thursday 22nd June. For this we would like each child to wear something in their class's colour to represent their class whilst they compete for as many points as they can across a variety of different activities throughout the afternoon.



We would like to remind you that if you have any changes to the arrangements regarding collecting children from school, that these should be phoned through to the office or emailed to office@arnovale.notts.sch.uk. During the day, it is often difficult for teachers to check their email or ClassDojo accounts and we don't want to miss any changes, thank you.

Well done to Nico, Joey, Finn, Harry, Ollie and Jacob who play for the Arnold Town under 10 maroons. On Sunday, they played the YEL Cup Final and won as well as winning the league! Well done to them all.



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Community News

FREE ENTRY!

LOUGHBOROUGH CYCLING FESTIVAL

Loughborough University's famous Campus will be turned into a racetrack this May! The fast, technical circuit makes this the perfect course for watching the next generation of elite cyclists!

Come and see the action with entertainment and activities for the whole family!

SUNDAY 28 MAY
9AM - 6PM
HAZLERIGG FOUNTAIN
EPINAL WAY, LOUGHBOROUGH LE11 3TU

SCAN TO FIND OUT MORE!

Twisting and Jiving

Join Inspire Music's rock and roll band for an exciting adventure through the 60s in this energetic family concert!

A fun family concert for ages 5-11

60s MUSIC

INSPIRE MUSIC ROCK AND ROLL BAND

Mansfield Central Library, Saturday 13 May, 11am
Arnold Library, Saturday 10 June, 1pm
Retford Library, Saturday 1 July, 1pm
Library members £4 | Non-library members £7

Book online at inspireculture.org.uk/familyconcerts



Rothesay
OPEN
NOTTINGHAM

BIG TENNIS WEEKEND

10th & 11th June 2023 • Kids go free. Adults £6

Free parking, plus you can take part in fun off-court activities whilst watching world-class tennis!

LTA Youth Clinic Sessions

- LTA Youth Coaches
- Organised LTA Youth tennis games
- 5-12 years
- Equipment provided
- Limited spaces, online booking essential
- Book a place at: shop.lta.org.uk/NottinghamYouthCentre

The Adventures of Paddington

Meet Paddington!

GIVE TENNIS A GO

- Drop-in and try tennis - 10am until close
- All equipment provided - All ages welcome
- No need to book

Don't forget that Monday, 5th June is an inset day so we will see you on Tuesday, 6th June. Have a great half term!



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29 th May – 2 nd June 23	Half Term week
Monday, 5 th June 23	Inset Day – school closed to pupils
Monday, 12 th June 23	Y5 Tennis trip
Thursday, 15 th June 23	Y3 trip to Brackenhurst
Thursday, 22 nd June 23	School Games afternoon (sports day)
Thursday, 29 th June 23	Transition Day (Arnold Hill Transition Day 1)
Thursday, 29 th June 23	New Parents Meeting – 6pm
Friday, 30 th June 23	Year 6 Arnold Hill Transition Day 2
Tuesday, 4 th July 23	The Railway Children production in school
Friday, 7 th July 23	Summer Fayre
Friday, 14 th July 23	Year 5 Inspire Day at Arnold Hill
Tuesday, 18 th July 23	Year 6 Leavers' Performance
Wednesday, 19 th July 23	Year 6 Leavers' Performance
Tuesday, 25 th July 23	Last Day of the Summer Term

