

AVJS Bulletin: 28th April 2023

Thank you to everyone for your patience this week with the industrial action. As you will know, there is another strike planned for next week and as a reminder, the following classes will be closed on Tuesday, 2nd May:

- 3 Grey
- 4 Yellow
- 6 Blue **from 1.10pm**
- 4 Orange **from 2.25pm**

On Thursday, 4th May we are holding our coronation picnic on the field. If you have a picnic blanket that your child would like to bring in, please ensure that it is named (just in case!). If your child usually has a school dinner there is nothing else you need to do but if your child normally has a packed lunch, but they would like to have a school lunch on the 4th, please book and pay for in your ParentPay account by no later than midnight on Sunday 30th April.

We are going to hold a decorated cake competition for the coronation, also on Thursday, 4th May. Your child can bring in a cake of any size decorated to celebrate King Charles III's coronation. We will judge them in the afternoon (on their appearance only) and there will be a prize. The cakes can then be taken home at the end of the day.

Children are also allowed to wear non-uniform (red/white/blue theme) on Thursday. Of course, they can come in their normal school uniform if they'd prefer.

To match with our red, white and blue theme, the children will be making crowns. These will be crowns with a difference! Wild crowns will be decorated with leaves and grasses and flower petals. In fact, you can use anything wild from your garden. The school grounds will obviously allow us to use a few things but not enough to make 250! Can you please collect some things for your crown. Don't do it before next Wednesday May 3rd, so

that your items are still fresh and pretty. Bring them into school on the morning of May 4th.

A reminder that there is a FOAV meeting at school on Wednesday, 3rd May at 3.45pm. It would be lovely to see you there and if you require child care, Mr Baker will be supervising them in his room.

It was great to see so many of you at the quiz night last Friday. It was a lovely event and I would like to pass my thanks on to the FOAV for organising it and to Matt Wilson who provided the questions.

Community News

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Woodthorpe
Nottingham
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Mr Ward and Mr Lindley will be running their sports camp on 30th and 31st May. If you would like your child to attend, you can access the booking form by clicking here:

<https://www.arnovale.co.uk/community-news/>



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Monday, 1 st May 23	Bank Holiday
Thursday, 4 th May 23	King's coronation picnic on the school field
Monday, 8 th May 23	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 9 th May to Friday, 12 th May 23	Year 6 SATs
Wednesday, 10 th May 23	White Hills Park presentation to parents
29 th May – 2 nd June 23	Half Term week
Monday, 5 th June 23	Inset Day – school closed to pupils
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
Friday, 7 th July 23	Summer Fayre
Friday, 14 th July 23	Year 5 Inspire Day at Arnold Hill
Tuesday, 25 th July 23	Last Day of the Summer Term

