



Bulletin: 10th November 2023

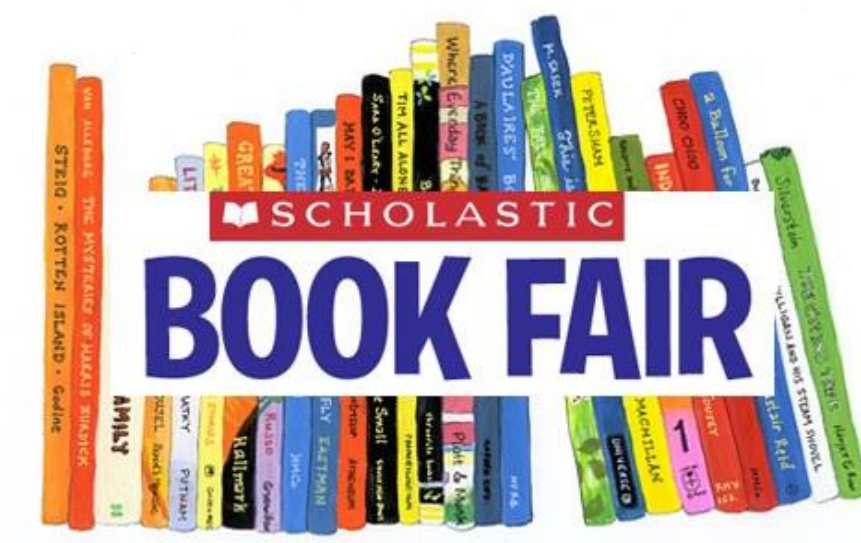
We hope you have had a restful half term break and I have enjoyed hearing from the children about what they got up to over the last couple of weeks. Although it is only the start of November, the preparations for Christmas are getting underway.



1 - Remember to wear your odd socks on Monday!!

The parent consultation evenings are being held next week; you should have been able to book an appointment online. If you have not been able to, please contact the school office who will be able to let you know what appointment slots are left.

The Scholastic book fair will also be in school with a large selection of books to choose from. As last year, payment is cashless and you will need your mobile phone.



Unfortunately, due to ever increasing costs, new cost for school meals is now £2.60 per meal per day.



2 - We love hearing about what the children achieve out of school. Well done to Betsy who has just earned her 400m badge in swimming, that is 16 lengths, fantastic!

Don't forget that Children in Need day is next Friday, 17th November. You will have received a letter explaining how we are celebrating the day.

Keeping children safe online is a challenge for everyone. Technology changes regularly and the number of social media sites appears to be increasing weekly. The NSPCC offer some great advice for parents. If you would like to find out more, please follow the link below:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

This is a reminder that the school immunisation team will be in on Monday, 20th November. The deadline for giving consent or declining is Monday, 13th November. You can access the site by clicking

on the link below. Please remember that even if you do not want your child to have the flu vaccine, they are asking that you complete the declaration, thank you.

<https://nhsimms.azurewebsites.net/session/6686c04a>

Diary Dates 2023 to 2024

Arno Vale Junior School Diary Dates 2023 to 2024	
13 th November 23	Anti-Bullying week
Tuesday, 14 th November 23	Parents' Consultation Meeting – 3.40-6.30pm
Wednesday, 15 th November 23	Parents' Consultation Meeting – 3.40-6.30pm
Thursday, 16 th November 23	Parents' Consultation Meeting – 3.40-6.30pm
Friday, 17 th November 23	Children In Need – activities TBC
Monday, 20 th November 23	Flu vaccinations
Friday, 24 th November 23	FOAV non-uniform day
Friday, 1 st December 23 (TBC)	FOAV Christmas fayre 3.35pm - 5.00pm
Tuesday, 5 th December 23	Christmas Concert at St Marks Church – 2pm
Thursday, 7 th December 23	Save The Children Christmas Jumper Day
Wednesday, 13 th December 23	Christmas Dinner Day
w/c 18 th December 23 TBC	Children's Christmas Parties
Friday, 22 nd December 23	Last day of the Autumn Term
Thursday 4 th January 24	First day of the Spring Term
Monday, 22 nd January 24	Dukes Barn week for Year 4
Tuesday, 6 th February 24	Safer Internet Day
Thursday, 8 th February 24	Chinese New Year Themed Lunch
12 th – 16 th February 2024	Half Term Week
Monday, 26 th February 24	Inset Day – school closed to pupils
Tuesday, 5 th March 24	Parents' Consultation Meeting – 3.40-6.30pm
Wednesday, 6 th March 24	Parents' Consultation Meeting – 3.40-6.30pm
Thursday, 7 th March 24	Parents' Consultation Meeting – 3.40-6.30pm
Thursday, 7 th March 24	World Book Day
Tuesday, 12 th March 24	Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea
Wednesday, 13 th March 24	Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea
Thursday, 28 th March 24	Last Day of the Spring Term
Monday, 15 th April 24	First Day of the Summer Term
Monday, 6 th May 24	Bank Holiday
Monday 13 th May 24	Year 6 SATs week
Wednesday, 22 nd May 24	Y3 Trip to Brackenhurst
Thursday, 23 rd May 24	Y3 Trip to Brackenhurst
27 th May – 31 st May 24	Half Term week
Monday, 3 rd June 24	Inset Day – school closed to pupils
Thursday, 20 th June 24	School Games Afternoon
Tuesday, 25 th June 24	Back up School Games Afternoon
Wednesday, 3rd July 24	Year 6 Arnold Hill Transition Day 1
Thursday, 4th July 24	Transition Day
Thursday, 4th July 24	New Parents Meeting – 6pm
Thursday, 4th July 24	Dukes Barn Meeting for Y3 parents 5.30pm
Friday, 28th June 24	Year 6 Arnold Hill Transition Day 2
Friday, 5th July 24 (TBC)	FOAV Summer Fair 3.35-5.00pm
Friday, 12th July 2024	Inset Day – school closed to pupils
Tuesday, 16 th July 24	Y6 Performance
Wednesday, 17 th July 24	Y6 Performance
Tuesday, 23 rd July 24	Y6 Leavers' Festival
Friday, 26 th July 24	Last Day of the Summer Term