



Bulletin: 19th April 2024

Welcome back and we hope you all had a lovely Easter break. The summer term is always a busy one and we will keep you updated as to what is happening in school.

Our girls' football team celebrated their third victory of the season last night; Ella in year 6 has been kind enough to provide us with the following match report:

"In the football match we won 11-0 (against Lowdham). In the first half we scored 4 goals and in the second we scored 7 goals. The people who scored were: Imogen (year 5), Matilda (year 5), Laila (Year 5), Freya (year 5), Amelia (year 6), Margaux (hat trick, year 6) and Ella (year 6). It was a very good match and both teams performed well. We had a very strong defence and I think we would have

conceded had the defence not stayed consistently strong throughout the game. We also had very strong attacking players."

We are always keen to hear your views and constructive suggestions as to how to improve things for the children at Arno Vale. In the bulletin next week there will be a link to an online survey and we would be most appreciative if you could complete it, thank you.

As you know, every year we write a school improvement plan. This is a working document written by the senior leadership team and agreed by the governors. We usually choose four main priorities but this does not mean that we are not working on other areas in the school! Our updated plan which shows how we are progressing against those priorities can be found on the school website or by clicking here: <https://www.arnovale.co.uk/school-improvement-plan/>

If you have any questions about it, please do not hesitate to contact us.

In celebration assembly today, we celebrated the following:

Birthdays:

Oliver, Christy, Isla, Adam, Hannah, Lakai, Lediana, Isaac, Lionela, Caleb, Faris, Jacob, Laila, Leo, Grace and Luke all celebrated their birthdays over the Easter holidays and this week. Happy Birthday everyone!

Stars of the Week:

4Orange: Alex for honesty and determination and Evan for independence.

3Grey: Jonah independence and Louie for curiosity.

6Purple: Archie for independence and Maya for curiosity.

5Red: Emily Sm for determination and Caleb for independence.

5Baker: Emily Sc for determination.

6Baker: Emelia for independence.

3White: Mason for independence and Imogen for respect.

5Green: Lionela for independence and Edward for determination.

4Yellow: Dylan for curiosity and Ivy for respect.

6Blue: Henry, Will Wr and Leo for determination and Lara for respect

TTRS: Joe I achieved the highest amount of correct answers this week. 5Green are the class who made the most effort with TTRS this week. Well done everyone for all that hard work!

Out of school achievements: Eliza was very proud to share her swimming certificate. Edith has shown lots of determination in earning her badge 2 in gymnastics.



Just a reminder that if you have a child in either year 3 or 5, payments for the Brackenhurst trip and Willersley Castle residential are now due and can be found on your ParentPay account.

Club Vale sessions need to be paid for at the same time as making the bookings. If there are insufficient funds on the account, this can cause the bookings to drop off the system and we could miss children needing to be included on the registers.

Can we also please remind you that if you cancel your bookings at short notice, we will still have to charge you as we staff Club Vale according to the number of children we have booked in. We do not charge if your child is poorly or has a medical appointment.

Thank you for your co-operation.

You may have noticed in the diary dates section that we were due to hold a curriculum evening next Tuesday. Unfortunately, we have had to postpone this, but it will be re-scheduled for later in the year.

Diary Dates 2023 to 2024 April 19th

Arno Vale Junior School Diary Dates 2023 to 2024	
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
Friday, 24 th May 24	English and maths open morning for parents
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
Tuesday, 2 nd July 24	Year 5 INSPIRE day at Arnold Hill
Wednesday, 3 rd July 24	Year 6 Arnold Hill Transition Day 1
Thursday, 4 th July 24	Transition Day
Thursday, 4 th July 24	New Parents Meeting – 6pm
Thursday, 4 th July 24	Dukes Barn Meeting for Y3 parents 5.30pm
Thursday, 4 th July 24	Year 6 Arnold Hill Transition Day 2
Friday, 12 th July 2024	Inset Day – school closed to pupils
Tuesday, 16 th July 24	Y6 Performance
Wednesday, 17 th July 24	Y6 Performance
Friday, 19 th July 24 (TBC)	FOAV Summer Fair 3.35-5.00pm
Tuesday, 23 rd July 24	Y6 Leavers' Festival
Friday, 26 th July 24	Last Day of the Summer Term

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