

Arnold Mill Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I have been so proud of the children's resilience and perseverance this week. Year 2 and Year 6 have been doing their SATs tests and they have been amazing. Foundation went off to visit the local church, year 3/4 had a visit from a Baptist Minister, Rev. James Pate, and year 4s continue to enjoy their swimming sessions. Overall, the children have taken every challenge in their stride.

Thank you - I would like to thank parents for the clear effort they've made this week to get children to school on time after my appeal last week. It's really helped the children feel more settled and ready to work. Thank you!!!!

Covid - We are still having a few issues with covid related illness and would like to remind you that if your child has covid symptoms or tests positive with covid the guidance is now that children only need to isolate for 3 days unless they have a temperature (adults are asked to try and isolate for 5 days). In the past when isolation periods were longer, we used to send work home via teams. As we are now only expecting children to be off if they are actually ill, we won't be setting online work, in most cases. We wouldn't expect a child to be doing work if they are not well enough to attend school. If you have any questions about this, please talk to your child's class teacher.

After School Clubs - A letter was sent out earlier this week with details of the new clubs due to start during the next half term. Please make sure you sign your children up on the SIMS Parent App by Friday 20th May so that we can allocate the places w/c 24th May - see attached letter for more information. If you have any problems with the app, please contact the office. Please note that the gates to the staff car park will remain locked until after all clubs have finished and the last child collected (unless a member of staff is leaving the premises). If the gate is open please do not park in the staff car park as you risk being locked in.

School Holiday Club - Happy Munchkins After School Club will be running a holiday club during the upcoming half term, a copy of their leaflet is attached or information.

House Fire - As many of you will have heard, one of our families suffered a terrible loss last weekend as their home, possessions and beloved dogs were lost to a house fire. The response from the community has been amazing and the family would like to thank you all for your support. Over the next few weeks, we may be able to support them further as they start to rebuild their lives. I will send out messages as and when they need more support. Thank you all for caring!

Breakfast Club - is £3.25 per session (payable in advance/on the day via Parent Pay. It is open Monday to Friday (7.45am - 8.50pm drop in no need to book). Please see the attached poster for more information. Please note that the car park is for staff only and should not be used for dropping off at Breakfast Club. If the gate is open please do not park in the staff car park as you risk being locked in.

Have a super weekend!

Kind regards,

Jackie Oldfield Head Teacher

Week

Menu for next week is

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Dear Parents/Carers

School Clubs for the Summer Term 2

The current set of clubs will have their last sessions w/c 16th May (apart from Boccia which will continue). We are now asking parents to register their children for the clubs which will run for the last half term of the academic year. These will run for 6 weeks from w/c 13th June to w/c 18th July. Details of the new clubs are on the next page.

Please register your child's interest in a club via the SIMS Parent app under the 'Activities' widget by Friday 20th May and we will inform you w/c 23rd May as to whether your child has been successful.

If you don't already have access to SIMS Parent, you can download the app, or go to www.sims-parent.co.uk for the desktop version. If you require login details, please ask at the office.

Spaces in clubs are limited and waiting lists will be in operation if they are oversubscribed.

We would emphasise that if you sign your child up to a club, they should attend every week unless there are exceptional circumstances. Regular non-attendance may mean we offer the place to someone else. We have had a lot of children dropping out of the current clubs, so please ensure they are committed as they could be denying another child of a place. If your child can't make it for any reason, you should let the office know. If, for any reason, the school needs to cancel a club, e.g. staff absence, this will be updated on the app and we will email and text the relevant parents.

Kind regards,

Mrs Oldfield Head Teacher

Day:	Club:	Organiser:	Times of club:	Year	Number of places:	Parents to collect
				Group:		from:
	Girls' Football	Mr Robinson/Mrs Stones	3.30pm-4.30pm	3/4/5	30	Class 2E
	Gardening	Mrs Hopewell/Miss McLean/Miss Joynt/Miss Rose/Mrs Humphrey	3.30pm-4.30pm	3/4/5	15	Library (off the playground)
Monday	Outdoor Art and Craft (poor weather inside 2D)		3.30pm-4.15pm	9/9	15	Class 2D
	Newspaper Club	Mr Hewlett	3.30pm-4.15pm	Year 6 - Continui current children	Year 6 - Continuing with the current children	2F
	Games Club	Mrs Smith	3.30pm-4.00pm	F2	10	Foundation Unit
	Cricket club	Mrs Greentree	3:30pm-4:30pm	9/9	20	Main entrance
	Board Game Club	Mrs Rathore	3.30pm-4.15pm	3/4	15	Library
Iuesday	Running club	Mrs Greentree	3:30pm-4:30pm	9/9	30	Main entrance
Wednesday	Boccia	Mr Knight/Mrs Greentree/Mrs Stones	3.30pm-4.15pm	By invitation only	yluo ud	Main entrance
	Boys' Football	Mr Robinson	3.30pm-4.30pm	4/5	30	Class 2E
	Choir	Mrs Oldfield/Mrs Bennett	3.30pm-4.15pm	KS2	30	Class 2F
Thursday	Sewing	Mrs Nunley/Ms Ward	3.30pm-4.15pm	9/9	8	Library (off the playground)
	Tennis	Mrs Greentree	3.30pm-4.30pm	1/2	20	Main entrance
	Kapla Construction	Mr Phillips/Mrs Appleyard	3.30pm-4.15pm	3-6	10	Class 1c
Friday		There are no cl	There are no clubs running on a Friday	iday		





Breakfast Club



£3.25 per session (payable in advance /on the day via Parent Pay)





Monday - Friday
7.45am - 8.50am
Drop In- No Need to Book

Breakfast Club is led by school staff. Children spend their time playing/ socialising with other children. At the end of Breakfast Club the children are escorted to their classroom.

A nutritious breakfast

(served up to 8.30am) offering a choice of:

- * Cereal * Beans on Toast
- *Toast with Butter or Jam
- *Crumpet *Juice or Milk