

#### **Arnold Mill Primary School**

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week at Arnold Mill we have been making the most of the gorgeous weather. We have arranged for a sports coach from TB Sports to lead focused skills sessions for different year groups at lunchtime. So far, these sessions have made lunchtimes much more fun for all the children. We had a group of children who attended a Boccia tournament. They did us proud and showed a really positive sporting attitude. Plus we've had more visits to our local church and library.

Reading for Pleasure - The children in Year 6 have worked hard to create the first ever Arnold Mill Newspaper! (copy attached). It is based around Reading for Pleasure; I hope you enjoy reading it as much as I did. Well done Year 6 Journalists.



Trim Trail - for health and safety reasons the children are not allowed to play on the trim trail or spiders web before or after school. We have set rules for using this equipment and so ask that you do not let them play on it whilst with you.



Jubilee - The kitchen will be serving a special Jubilee menu on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May (copy attached). On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, the children will be gathering together on the school field for an afternoon of entertainment (the children will be performing to each other), juice and biscuits. We will also be working on a whole school work of art to mark the Jubilee. Once finished, it will brighten up the white wall at the back of school, near the school library.

Easyfundraising - A big thank you to our 80 supporters - since we signed up to the scheme you have raised £966.31 in donations by shopping online for such things as groceries, holidays, days out, takeaways, renewing insurance and energy policies and generally buying items for the children, pets, or a small business. It just goes to show that even little donations really mount up and make a BIG difference to us.

We'd really appreciate it if parent/carers (or other family members) and small business owners could sign up and support us. It's completely FREE and only takes a moment. Once registered all you have to do is find the retailer you want to shop with on the easyfundraising website or App, shop as usual and the retailer will donate to us when you make a purchase - at no extra cost to you! Just visit our easyfundraising page at:



https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/arnoldmillprimary/?utm\_campaign=raise-more&utm\_content=en-n3 and click "Support us for free".

Thank you so much!

Have a super weekend!

Kind Regards,

Jackie Oldfield Head Teacher

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Week

Menu for next week is

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### ARNOLD MILL NEWS

#### Book Recommendations:

Trying to get into reading? Why not try some of these books below:

4-5 years old



This book is amazing as the Potato is a protector of all vegetables besides the evil peas! It's a must read!

5-7 year olds:



This book is fantastic as Traction Man and Scrubbing Brush save the day! Give it a go!

7-9 year old:



Half dog, Half man...Will Dog Man defeat all crime? Read the book to find out.

9-11 years old



This book is fantastic. The boy thinks he is ugly but his friends manage to reassure him that he is a wonder to all life!

#### READING TEAM

Hello Arnold Mill...This is your brand new reporting team. We are here to report on all your favourite events happening at our fantastic school! So this is a quick hello from your very own news team:

Oliver, 2F, Year 6. I wanted to be part of the news team because I love reporting all the cool events around school.

Charlotte, 2E, Year 6. I wanted to be part of the news team to make sure everyone in school knows about all the important and fun events.

Adam, 2F, Year 6. I wanted to be a reporter so I can inspire the younger pupils of the school.



Come and recommend a book to us....

Gracie, 2F, Year 6. I want to be part of the news team so I can help the new generation of Arnold Mill.

Anae, 2F, Year 6. I wanted to be a reporter to reach out to all of the younger children in Foundation and Year 1.

In this Summer edition we have an interview from one of our greatest reading teachers Mrs. Appleyard. You will also find our recommended books that you must read! We will also tell you about our brand new reading snug. Are you ready for our booktastic newsletter??

## CHARLOTTE-THIS BOOK IS A MUST READ FOR FOUR-SEVEN YEAR OLDS.



#### World Book Day Competition



During World Book
Day we were lucky to
receive some
excellent free books.
We decided to run a
book competition
where you had to
design your own front
cover...Well done to
all the winners that
were announced last
week in school!
#Keep Reading!

Listen to MC Grammar's funky world book beat! Can you make your own



song and let the AMPS News team know!

M.C. Grammar's World Book Day Sones World Book Ba The interview you won't want to miss ....



Q: What is your favourite children's book and why?

A: I love the Gruffalo because it makes me smile and was one of the books I read to my boys. I also like an author Ross McKenzie, who wrote the Nowhere Emporium and

these books are for older children!

Q: What do you like about reading?

A: I like the way it can take you to a different place. It can help you forget everything, it can destress you and I just love the smell of a new book!

Q: If you were able to write a book what would it be about?

A: I really like magical books so I would write a story about a magical journey.

Q: Why do you love reading to others?

A: I like to share my love of reading with everyone else. I like making worlds in my head and I want to share that with other people so they can have the same feelings.

#### Arnold Mill's Reading Cafe

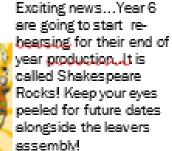
This is our new Reading Café named Statbooks where you can come and read one of our brand new timeless books. After you have read one of our timeless books you can leave a fantastic book review. So what are you waiting for? Get yourself down to the reading snug outside the small group room (where you can find Mr Hewlett drinking coffee!) and read one of our fabulous books.

A big thank you to Mrs Moodie and Mr Knight for their amazing work to create this display.

#LoveReadingFrasdingsoug Relaxandraad#readingforpleasure.













# Entry Form

Tel no.....

Email address.(Please print)..... School.....

Date of Birth.....ECF Grade .....

ECF Member no......Age Group entered.....

Section Entered

Minor Section

Major Section .....

Please select which section and age group.

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The venue address is different from the postal address.

Nottingham High School

53-61 Forest Road East

Nottingham

Use this post code for Sat nav

## NG1 4HH

English Chess Federation membership is required for this competition. This is very easy to take out, use link;

Membership rates & joining details - English Chess

## -ederation

Children who have never been members before can have free silver membership; otherwise, the cost is £6. The staff in the ECF office are very helpful so a quick call might be your easiest route to taking out silver membership, but it is possible to do this online too. It does take a few days for the membership to appear on the rating site. ECF membership applies to the child - the parent/guardian does not need to be an ECF member?

# Supervision

We would expect parents/carers to look after their children in between rounds. No children are allowed outside the building on their own.

No ball games are allowed on the

N.P.S.C.A
County Individual
Tournament
ECF Rated

Nottingham High School Saturday 11th June 2022

8.45am-3.15pm



Our website address

nottsprimarychess.uk