



Ark Conway Primary Academy

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Head's Message

This week children across the school have been creating bird feeders, making the most of plastic bottles that otherwise would have been thrown away. The idea to do this came from our Year 5 and Year 6 Environment group who are committed to reducing our plastic waste at school. Following on from this, our next step to improving the environment will be taking place next week on Clean Air Day, see overleaf for further information.

Today we marked the anniversary of the Grenfell tragedy by wearing green. With so many people affected in our local community, they are in our thoughts on what must be a very challenging day.

Earlier in the week, Ark Conway took part in the much anticipated annual Ark Schools Football competition. Mr White was blown away by the enthusiasm and respect shown by all of our pupils who were a real credit to the school. We are thrilled to say that our results were as follows:



- Year 1 and 2 team – 4th place!
- Year 3 and 4 team – 1st place!
- Year 5 and 6 team – 1st place!

Well done to everyone who was involved!

Have a lovely weekend.

Composer of the Term

Our composer for this half term is: *Clara Schumann*



Stars of the Week

For showing honesty our stars of the week are:

		
Zafeerah	Dhanny	J'da
		
George	Lily	Hamza

Attendance

This week the attendance figures are:

1 st	Dahl	98.67%
2 nd	Dickens	98.65%
3 rd	Shakespeare	98.33%
4 th	Austen	98%
5 th	Potter	96.28%
6 th	Lewis	94.48%
7 th	Carroll	94.19%

Celebration Assemblies

Please join us at 8:35am for our celebration assemblies on the following dates:

Friday 21st June - Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 parents

Friday 28th June - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents

Friday 5th July – No assembly due to inset day

Friday 12th July – Arts week assembly

Dates for Your Diary

Tuesday 18th June – Reception and Key Stage 1 Sports Morning, all parents invited to watch!

Tuesday 18th June – Key Stage 2 Sports Afternoon, all parents invited to watch!

Tuesday 18th June – Obstacle Day, raising money for Unicef

Monday 24th June – Inset Day

Tuesday 25th June – Year 6 trip to Kew Gardens

Thursday 27th June – Year 5 trip to the Royal Courts of Justice

Wednesday 26th June – Pelican music performance at 5pm

Thursday 27th June – Parent Teacher Quiz evening, starting at 7pm

Saturday 29th June – Ark Conway Summer Fair!

Monday 1st July – Thursday 4th July - Year 6 trip to France

Thursday 4th July - Year 4 and Year 5 Play in a Day performance. Time TBC – likely to be approximately 3pm

Friday 5th July – Inset Day

Week commencing 8th July – ARTS week with performances on Thursday 11th July and Friday 12th July – further information to follow

Wednesday 17th July – Year 3 trip to Hyde Park

Wednesday 17th July – Thursday 18th July – Year 4 trip to Bath

Tuesday 16th July – Year 6 end of year show at 6pm, Year 5 children also taking part.

Thursday 18th July – Reception graduation at 9am, all Reception parents invited to watch!

Thursday 18th July – Year 6 Leavers Disco

Monday 22nd July - Move Up Day, all children will meet their new class teaching team

Monday 22nd July – Year 2 overnight stay

Tuesday 23rd July – Last day of year, school closes at 1:30pm

Home Learning

Reception: Write a letter to send to the pirates who have been in to school!

Year 1: What is/was the best toy in the history of the world?

Year 2: What plastic items do you use around your house? Could you replace them?

Year 3: Research any river in the world! Display your information as you please.

Year 4: What games and hobbies did your parents and grandparents have growing up? How were they different or similar to your hobbies? Please make sure you complete at least 1 reading journal entry.

Year 5: Research the system of law and government in a different country. How is it different to ours?

Year 6: Learn your lines for our upcoming production. Please make sure you complete at least 1 reading journal entry.

Notices

Ark Conway Sports Day 2019!

All Ark Conway parents and families are invited to watch our sports day events on Tuesday 18th June. Reception and Key Stage 1 children will have their Sports Day in the morning, whilst Key Stage 2 children will have their Sports Day in the afternoon.

Please see the letter that was sent home this week for further information on locations and times. We are looking forward to seeing parents and families taking part in some of the races too!

Clear Air Day

Thursday 20th June marks the U.K.'s Clean Air Day. One way that we will be taking part in this event is to ask all families and staff to leave their cars at home and to come to school on foot, bikes, scooters or skateboards. We know that many of you are already doing this which is fantastic so thank you!

Our goal is to do this every day for the remainder of this year and beyond, in order to significantly reduce the number of cars driving on the roads near our school gates.

Recently we have also introduced more indoor plants across the school so that we can further improve the air quality. If you have any spare indoor plants that you would like to donate to the school then we would be very grateful to receive these at the Front Office. Thank you all for helping our school and our world!



Facebook and Twitter



Please take a look at our Facebook page 'Ark Conway Primary Academy'. You can also follow us on Twitter: @ARKConway.

Safeguarding is everybody's responsibility

Our safeguarding policy can be found in the school office