



## Head's Message

Our much anticipated Arts Week is almost here, with a real focus on the Performing Arts this year. There will be much singing, dancing and performing next week, with all children taking part in a public performance for their parents, whether it be the KS1 Recital, the KS2 performance of Lion King, or the Reception Class Graduation Assembly.

The KS2 performance of Lion King is particularly exciting as we have booked a great venue which will hold **all Conway children and all Conway parents**. We are inviting **everyone to come to Ark Swift** for 3.15pm on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July, where the Year 3 and Year 4 children will be performing on stage.

All Conway children will walk to Ark Swift for the 3.15pm performance, and we would love it if **all parents could come too**. This will be a fantastic way to end the year and celebrate the talent and energy that we have at Conway.

In order for this whole school celebration to take place we are asking that children be picked up from Swift at the end of the school day. Please look out for the letter with full details of this very exciting event, and please speak with your class teacher or with someone in the school office if you have any questions.

## Composer of the Week

Next week our composer will be:  
**Ludovico Einaudi**



## Celebration Assemblies

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July** – Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents

## Dates for Your Diary

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July 12 – 2pm** - Summer Fair  
**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July** - Arts Week

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July 9.30am** – Reception Class Graduation Assembly

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July 10am** – KS1 recital (all Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents welcome)

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July 3.15pm** – KS2 performance at Ark Swift (all parents welcome) (**There will be NO after school care on this day.**)

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July** – Move up morning in class for children to meet their new class team

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 1 and Year 2 trip to the seaside

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 2 sleepover

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July** – School closes at **1.30pm** for summer holidays (**there will be NO after school care on this day**)

## Home Learning

**Reception:** See EYFS News.

**Year 1:** What would you create out of Lego if you could make whatever you wanted?

**Year 2:** Name your top 5 moments from this school year.

**Year 3:** What can you improve in your writing next year?

**Year 4:** In preparation for Arts Week, find five examples of amazing music/dance routines (e.g. on Youtube)

## Attendance

This week the attendance figures are:

1 <sup>st</sup>	Dahl Class	97.90%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Potter Class	97.78%
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dickens Class	97.44%
4 <sup>th</sup>	Lewis Class	96.54%
5 <sup>th</sup>	Carroll Class	96.42%

## Stars of the Week

For showing aspiration, our stars of the week are:



Celeste



Mateo



Kabe



Sam



Grace



Maria



Sunshine



Milen



Esah



Maya

## Notices

### Year 4 Trip to Waterstones

At Ark Conway we value the importance of reading and have been encouraging children to voice their opinion on a variety of books through book reviews and guided reading. To further develop their love of reading, Year 4 have been on a visit to Waterstones in Gower Street today. This book shop has an outstanding children's section and the main aim of the visit was for the children to select books that they would like to have when they progress into Year 5. The pupils have really enjoyed the experience and have come back with lots of ideas!



### Summer Fair

Don't forget it's the Summer Fair tomorrow, Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2016 from 12pm – 2pm. There are lots of attractions including a BBQ, stalls, games, icecream, prize raffle, crafts, live music and more! Admission: £1 for adults and 50p for concessions. Please come along and bring your friends and family to support us!

## EYFS News

This week we've been busy making and eating lots of jam sandwiches during activities ... oh, and we've been preparing for our Graduation on Wednesday!

It would be great if you could have a final practice of your child's lines this weekend, as well practicing singing a few of the songs. We're really looking forward to seeing you all on their special day.

A massive thanks once again to all the parents who helped with the Mad Hatter's Tea Party! Your generosity in giving so much time and effort made for a truly unforgettable experience for the children, and for the adults!

A quick note lastly that we are beginning to collect in library books so please could you make sure they are in your child's book bag by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July. Thank you!

Have a great weekend,  
Mrs Hyslop and the EYFS team

