



Head's Message

Global Entrepreneurship Week has been upon us, which has meant a week of sharing ideas; completing multiple drafts alongside critique and creating a compelling pitch to secure investment from the dragons (aka Miss Carver and I...). I'm pleased to announce every class secured an investment of £20 from the dragons!

We've had a great range of ideas, including decorations, autumnal artwork, bookmarks and even masks depicting the teachers' faces! It's been a great opportunity for children to identify the different elements that drive the development and marketing of a product. The Ark Conway Marketplace this afternoon is set to be an exciting and busy fundraiser - most importantly designed and executed by children for children, with all the profits being donated to Children in Need.

Thank you kindly for supporting the school in raising funds for such an important charity, these events genuinely would not be as successful as they are without your continued support.

Enjoy the weekend!

Composer of the Week

Our composer next week will be:
Leonard Cohen









Celebration Assemblies

Friday 25th November – Dahl Class Assembly – Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents

Friday 2nd December – Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 parents

Stars of the Week

For showing perseverance, our stars of the week are:

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| Jessica | Stanley | Maisie |
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| Lily | Robel | Chloe |

Attendance

This week the attendance figures are:

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| 1 st | Carroll Class | 98.00% |
| 2 nd | Lewis Class | 97.33% |
| 2 nd | Dickens Class | 97.33% |
| 4 th | Potter Class | 97.04% |
| 5 th | Dahl Class | 96.67% |
| 6 th | Austen Class | 94.67% |

Home Learning

Reception: See EYFS News.

Year 1: A leaf is very important to a tree. What else could a leaf be?

Year 2: Create a timeline of the Queen's life.

Year 3: Write a description of your bedroom, using your new skills!

Year 4: Spellings 'mis' and 'dis' prefixes

Year 5: Spelling rule 'ible'

Year 4/Year 5: Ask at least 15 people what their favourite food is and make a tally chart. See if you can make a bar chart from the information you gathered in the tally chart.

Dates for Your Diary

Friday 25th November – Yr 2 Assembly
Saturday 3rd December – Christmas Fair
Wednesday 7th December – Nativity
Friday 9th December – INSET Day (School CLOSED for pupils)
Friday 16th December – Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 20th December – Christmas Carols
Wednesday 21st December – School closes for Christmas at 1:30pm

Notices

Children in Need

We have had a fun-filled day at Ark Conway, raising money for Children in Need. The pupils looked great in their colourful spotty outfits.

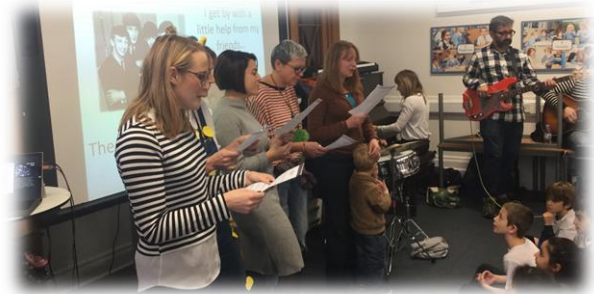


This afternoon we raised lots of money by holding the 'Ark Conway Market Place' and the afternoon will end with a 'Splat the Teacher'! We will update you next week on how much we have raised. Thank you to everyone who supported this appeal so generously. Please see Facebook and Twitter for lots more photos.

Shelter Charity Cake Sale

We raised £211 for Shelter Charity at last Friday's cake sale, as part of our Community and Service pathway. Thank you to everyone who made and bought the cakes.

Celebration Assembly – Parent Band



Thank you so much to the many parents who took part in the Parent Band performance in the Celebration Assembly this morning. They performed a wonderful rendition of 'I get by with a little help from my friends' by the Beatles and they even had 'a little help' from guest singers Mrs Hyslop and Mrs Mabile! Thank you all!

EYFS News

Carroll Class have immersed themselves in the deep dark forest this week, exploring our target text 'Little Red Riding Hood'. They have helped Mrs Hyslop re-design a hood for little red, and have made cards for her granny! In Literacy we have been focussing on the beginning of stories, and have been learning how to write 'once upon time'. We have also been feverishly busy with Global Entrepreneurship Week, making woodland pictures in frames from things that we found in the deep dark forest. Next week we will be exploring the creatures of the forest in greater detail, learning about woodland habitats, and innovating our own stories by choosing a different animal for little red to encounter. Ideas for home learning: You could make a picture or a model of a woodland creature for our Topic Area. You could make a tally chart of the animals you see in the park. You could hunt for natural objects from the forest, and use them to make a picture or model! Have a great weekend.



Mrs Hyslop and the EYFS team.