

ARLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

Exciting News!

Dr Christine Carr, a local GP, who lived in Arley for 47 years has kindly gifted her grand piano to Arley Primary School in the hope that '...your pupils will find it beneficial in their appreciation of music'. Already the Nursery children have sung 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star', beautifully accompanied by Mrs Orton and many of the children across school (and some of the adults) are keen to have lessons. We are currently investigating opportunities for the children to learn but if you know of, or are indeed yourself a practised pianist we'd love it if you could come and show us how it is done!

Fantastic news!

Our Magic Breakfast funding for free bagels has now been extended until July 2020. This is due to the high demand and take up from all the schools involved; including our school. Did you know that 87% of pupils enjoy a nutritious bagel and the option of fruit every morning? Huge thanks to the commitment of the staff and the Year 6 monitors; the success of the scheme is down to them.

Sun Tokens

The Sun newspaper offer of collecting tokens in exchange for books is due to close soon - if you have any at home that you haven't yet sent in could you please do so as soon as possible please. We are still quite a way off the target so a last minute push could result in some new books for our children.

Building our learning power

It's been wonderful to see the children diving into their learning opportunities and being proud of their own bravery. The resilience they are developing will strengthen their life skills and give them the confidence to persevere when learning is hard. Well done children - always remember - new beginnings every day lead to endless opportunities to be the very best that you can be. Wishing you a lovely weekend - Kind Regards Mrs L Kelly / Head teacher.



The Hive at Arley Primary School

We currently have places at 'The Hive' for both the before and after school sessions. If you would like to enrol your child/children or would like more information please contact Mrs Roberts in the school office.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 29 th January	Year 4 trip to Bosworth
Thursday 30 th January 1.00 pm onwards	Reception Class vision testing.
Friday 7 th February 9.15 am	Owl class assembly
Tuesday 11 th February	Safer Internet Day
Friday 14 th February 9.15 am	Butterfly class assembly Non-uniform day Last day of half term
Monday 24 th February	Back to School

We will soon be sharing with you the house points collected by individual children or groups of children. These are then added to an overall target and shared weekly.

Staff in school also belong to a house so the healthy level of competition is exciting!

There will soon be display changes in school to reflect our commitment to: De Clinton, Bassingburn, Alberic and Aethelfled. Come and see them after half term – the School Ambassadors would love to share them with you and you are, as always, very welcome.

Attendance



Come join us!

Weekly class percentage	
Reception - Rabbit	97.6%
Year 1 - Butterfly	96.2%
Year 2 - Ladybird	97.7%
Year 3 - Owl	96.2%
Year 4 - Woodpecker	96.3%
Year 5 - Fox	97.5%
Year 6 - Stag	96.6%

Sitting at the top of the league table are still Owl class

with 96.2% %

