



Alfriston School

Fair, friendly, fulfilling and fun!

Newsletter – Friday 8th June 2018

This Week's Attendance

Pearl Class	Green
Ruby Class	Green
Sapphire Class	Green
Emerald Class	Amber

Green = 98% to 100%

Amber = 96% to 98%

Red = Below 96%

Well done Pearl, Ruby and Sapphire Class, all with 'green' attendance.

We hope you keep it up!

Celebration Assembly

As we were unable to do celebration assembly this morning, children have been presented with their star of the week badges and certificates in the class.

Lunch Menu

As from Monday the children will also have the option of a filled baguette or wrap for lunch. This is in addition to the daily main course and vegetarian option and jacket potatoes.



New Activity Trail

Over the past couple of weeks we have seen our old wooden activity trail transformed into a fun and colourful area with new equipment and surfacing. The area now needs a few days to settle and the children are very much looking forward to being able to start using the trail at the start of next week. We are very grateful to the Friends of Alfriston School who contributed to the cost of the project.



Storyteller Visit

On Tuesday we were very fortunate to be visited by Jamie Crawford, a professional storyteller. He spent time with all the classes giving them tips on how to write amazing stories and he also performed a show of one of his own stories. We are very grateful to the Friends of Alfriston School who completely funded the visit.

Governors

We are pleased to announce that Sally Streames and Lou Wake have been appointed unopposed to the school's Governing Body as parent governors following the recent round of nominations. We welcome them to our team and look forward to working with them for the benefit of our school and the school community.

What's on next week

Tuesday 12th June
Thursday 14th June
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Alfriston All-Stars Netball Match
Football Tournament Albion in the Community - Years 3 & 4
'Sports for Champions' Athlete Visit

E-Safety tip from the NSPCC

Parental controls can be used to block upsetting or harmful content, control in-app purchases or manage how long your child spends online. The good news is parental controls are really easy to set up. Innocent searches sometimes reveal not so innocent results.

So if you're worried about what your child is searching for online, who they're talking to or what they're seeing, the NSPCC can help. It's simple to get started. Along with talking to your child regularly, using parental controls is one of the best ways to help keep children safe online. To find out more information give the NSPCC a call on 0800 800 5002 to chat to one of their expert advisors.

Driving

Please can parents and carers be extremely careful when driving near the school. We want to keep everyone safe and we have had reports of very fast driving in the vicinity of the school this week. Your help in this matter is very much appreciated.



Sapphire Class

Well done to Years 3 and 4 for their hard work and determination this week sitting assessments.

We are all very proud of you!

Congratulations

Ben and Bella's Dad, Dan, has been selected to take part in the Invictus Games, which will be taking place in Sydney in October. The games were set up by the

Duke of Sussex for injured, wounded and sick servicemen and women to inspire and motivate them to move on following their life-changing injuries.

We wish Dan all the best with his training and the actual event!



Photo Permission Forms

Following the introduction of the new GDPR rules around data protection recently, we sent out new photo permission forms to parents as we broke up for the May break. Please can the outstanding forms be returned to the school office by Tuesday, 12th June.

Raffle & Auction

100 Club

The winner of this month's 100 club is Bronwen with the number 42!

Don't forget to return your raffle tickets for the summer fayre raffle. There are more available from the school office if you need them.

If you are able to offer a 'promise' for the auction please contact Tanya in the office as soon as possible.

THANK
YOU!

Thank you very much to Mrs Streames and her brother, Nick for their hard work in clearing the pond and wildlife area for the children to now use.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 18th June	INSET day
Tues 19th June	New Reception parents meeting
Thurs 21st June	Year 2 overnight stay
Tues 26th June	School Games Day (9 - 12:30pm) & FoAS Summer Fair (2 - 4pm)
Thurs 28th June	Reserve School Games Day & FoAS Summer Fair
Wed 4th July	Emerald Class end of year play - 7pm
Thurs 5th July	Emerald Class end of year play - 1.30pm
Fri 6th July	FoAS Meeting
Mon 9th July	Whole school Transition Day (Amended Date)
	New classroom open session for parents (2.30pm to 3pm) (Amended Date)
Tues 10th July	Whole school Transition Day (Amended Date)