

Aqueduct Primary School March 2017



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School Lunch Menu

Thank you to all parents who attended the tasting session for the new menu due to start in the summer term. Mrs Hanley and the school council have worked hard since the autumn term working with the Local Authority catering team to devise a bespoke menu just for our school. The children are extremely lucky to be able to create their own menu and we look forward to hearing your feedback on this at the end of summer.



Friends of Aqueduct

The fancy dress disco was a great success and the Friends would like to thank the helpers for planning, preparing or supervising at the disco. They would also like to thank the children for attending and being so wonderfully behaved. It was a great evening.

The pre-paid tickets were much easier and those people who had purchased these got in much quicker. It has been decided that the next disco will be a pre-paid entry only so that all you will have to do is present your ticket and come straight in. There will be less waiting around and filling in contact details and this way everyone can make the most of the time. Thank you for your feedback.

The results of the Easter craft competitions will be announced on Friday 7th April.

Homework

The new homework system has now been shared with all of you through the parents meetings. There has been a huge positive response about this and for that we thank you.

We are excited to start the new 'Homework Experiences' at the beginning of the summer term. The booklets and Maths and English end of year guidance will be coming to you in the first week.

The existing spellings, maths tasks and daily reading will still continue and will be available from the class teacher or through the class pages on the website.

Staffing updates.

This term Mr and Mrs Simmons have decided that they will both be retiring at the end of the summer term. Between them they have served 50+ years here at Aqueduct Primary and have dedicated themselves to the children who have attended our school.

Although this news will come as a sad shock to some of you, I am sure you will join me in wishing them luck in their early retirement. I will be in touch again closer to the end of the summer term with information regarding a good send off for them that I am sure lots of you will want to be a part of.

At the end of this term we will also be saying goodbye to Mrs Hanley as she is taking on the responsibility of caring for her grandchildren. She has been at Aqueduct for 11 years and contributed significantly to not only the teaching and learning but has supported many of our extra-curricular activities. We hope that she enjoys spending time and making special moments with her family. She promises to come back and visit often. ☺

Attendance

As a school our attendance target is 96%. In Monday's assembly the children find out about the class with the highest attendance that week and how close we are to our school target so we thought it was important to share this with you too. This half term so far the winners of the attendance awards are as follows;

Week 1 (27.2.17 - 3.3.17) Mr Westwood's class with 99.26%

Week 2 (6.3.17 - 10.3.17) Miss Griffiths' class with 98.15%

Week 3 (13.3.17 - 17.3.17) Miss Santopietro's class with 100%

Week 4 (20.3.17 - 24.3.17) Miss Griffiths' class with 100%

Week 5 (27.3.17 - 31.3.17) Miss Griffiths' class with 98.85%

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Dates for your diary

Easter Holiday: Monday 10th April - Friday 21st April

Bank Holiday: Monday 1st May

Summer term class assemblies - Monday afternoon at 2:30pm

Mr Westwood	Monday 8 th May
Mrs Simmons	Monday 12 th June
Miss Griffiths	Monday 19 th June

Date	Year Group	Event
Tuesday 4 th April	3 & 4	Visit Black Country Museum
Monday 10 th April	6	Easter School (9am - 12:30)
Tuesday 11 th April	6	Easter School (9am - 12:30)
Tuesday 2 nd , 9 th , 16 th & 23 rd May	3 & 4	Swimming
Wednesday 3 rd May	5 & 6	Horrible Histories @ The Place

Looking for something to amuse the children over the Easter Holidays?

RUGBY FUN DAY
SUNDAY 9TH APRIL

Come and try out what the Telford Raiders have to offer for free !!!
no obligation taster sessions

1.30pm - 2.30pm
Diddy Rugby (school years 0-2)
u9s (school years 3&4)
u11s (school years 5&6)
no experience necessary

Phoenix Sports Centre 3G pitch
Langley School, Dawley
Telford TF4 3JS

wear trainers, blades or rubber studs

Plus refreshments on sale
BMW cars on display
club training & leisurewear
touch rugby for the adults
telfordraiders.com for more info

eastor HOLIDAY CAMP

Week 1: Monday 10 - Thursday 13 April
Week 2: Tuesday 18 - Friday 21 April
9am - 3pm

AGES 6-12

Activities include:
Basketball, Volleyball, Football, Handball, Rounders, Hockey, Dodgeball, Climbing, Dance and much more...

£12.50 per day or £40 full week (4 days)

VENUE: Telford College of Arts and Technology, Raybridge Rd, Wellington, Telford TF1 2NP

To book call 01952 382382 or book online at www.theplacetelford.com

AFC Telford United
Easter Holiday Courses

Ages 5-14 Mixed

Dates
Week 1 Monday 10th April - Thursday 13th April
Week 2 Tuesday 18th April - Friday 21st April

Venue AFC Telford United, Goalzone 5 a Side Centre

Times 9am - 3pm

Cost £12 per day or £40 for 4 days

To Book:
please contact Luke Shelley on
07824 375 869
community@afctu.co.uk

wildcats
GIRLS' FOOTBALL CLUB

HAVE FUN, MAKE FRIENDS, PLAY FOOTBALL

Telford College of Arts & Technology (TCAT) TF1 2NP
GIRLS AGED 6 - 11 Years
Starting Monday 3rd April 2017 (Every Monday)
6pm - 7pm (3G Pitches)
£2.00 per session
Contact: Luke Shelley - community@fca.co.uk / 01952-567546

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