

## DIARY DATES

Tuesday 24th January  
General Parent Development Group at 8:30am

Year 6 assembly at 1:45pm  
- Year 6 parents welcome

Wednesday 25th January

Mardi Gras meeting in school hall at 3pm

Monday 30th January  
Year 1 class assembly at 8.30am- Year 1 parents welcome

Friday 27th January  
Development day- school closed to pupils

Thursday 2nd February  
Community Development Group 8:30am

Year 5 charity cake sale at the collection shelter after school.

Tuesday 14th February  
1:30pm Year 3 will lead a service at the church- Year 3 parents welcome.

Friday 17th February  
Break up for half term

Monday 27th February  
Return to school

Monday 3rd April  
Easter service at the church- all parents welcome.

Monday 6th February  
KS1 celebration assembly (invite only)

Friday 7th April  
Last day of term

Monday 24th April  
First day of summer term

Monday 1st May  
Bank holiday

Thursday 25th May  
Break up for half term

# Arreton News



FRIDAY 20TH JANUARY

## "Room to Grow"

Thank you to all parents and carers who are supporting the Parent Development Group Subcommittees.

Any member of the reading committee wishing to support the sifting through of reading books, is welcome to join Mrs Fry, Mrs Birch and Miss Hann on Friday 27th January. Your children are welcome to join you.

Years 1 to 6 had a visit from a scout Leader, who shared all the fantastic opportunities available to children at Cubs, Beavers and Scouts. If your child is interested in joining, please complete the application form recently sent home and return to school.

### Headlice

We have had reports of headlice within the school; please ensure you check your child's hair over the weekend and treat if necessary.

### Year 1 Assembly

Year 1 parents are invited to their class assembly on Monday 30th January at 8.30am.

### Mardi Gras 2017

If you would like to take part in the Mardi Gras parade this year please come along to the meeting on Wednesday 25th January at 3pm in the school hall.

### IMPORTANT PARKING REMINDER

Parents are not permitted to park in the staff car park or School Lane at any time of day, including pick up from after school clubs. Please either use The White Lion community car park or the Arreton Barns overflow car park. Please inform any grandparents, family etc. who collect your children from school of our parking arrangements.

### Development Day

Please remember that Friday 27th January is a development day, no children to attend. We also have a development day on Friday 26th May.

### Attendance

If your child is unwell please inform the school office by 9am on each day of absence. In line with local authority guidelines, please confirm your child's absence in writing or email to the school office: [admin@arretoncepri.iow.sch.uk](mailto:admin@arretoncepri.iow.sch.uk)

If we have not received confirmation within 2 days of their return then the absence will be recorded as unauthorised.

### Lateness- A Quick Reminder of the Statutory Guidance

Children must be in their classroom and ready for registration by 8.25am. If a pupil arrives between 8.25am and 8.35am, a late mark will be recorded on the register. If a pupil arrives after 8.35am they will not get a morning mark, which will negatively affect their attendance.

So, for example, if your child attends school every day in a week, but is over 10 minutes late one morning, then their attendance will be 90% for that week.

### Personal Details

Please remember to update the school office with any changes such as addresses, phone numbers, medical conditions etc.

### Cake Sale

There will be a cake sale for Year 5's chosen charity Age UK on Thursday 2nd February. Any contributions will be extremely welcome and will be sold at the end of the day on Thursday 2nd February in the collection shelter by the car park. Mr Fleming will also be make a batch of his famous rocky road. Strictly first come first served!