Amble Links First School

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Attendance for Last Week

Our School Target is 97%

LAST WEEK WE ACHIEVED 96%

Class percentages for last week:

Nursery (am) - 98.2%

Nursery (pm) - 81.2%

Reception (Turtles) - 93.3%

Year 1 (Jellyfish) - 97.1%

 Year 2 (Puffins)
 - 98.1%

 Year 3 (Sharks)
 - 94.7%

Year 4 (Penguins) - 96.3%

Well done Puffins!

STARS OF THE

WEEK

Joe Pringle
Cali Paterson
Daisy Boutflour
Megan Nyberg
Kelsie Ramsay
Ethan Sales

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2017 SCHOOL DIARY

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Monday 27th February	School Reopens NO TRAINING DAY
Monday 27th February	9am EdUKaid Presentation and Coffee Morning
Monday 27th February	Y3 Roman Mosaics Workshop
Friday 3rd March	World Book Day - Dressing up and Photo Competition
NEW Friday 3rd March	Deadline for Robinwood Deposits (Y3)
Friday 17th March	PTA Movie Night Y1-Y4
Tuesday 28th March Wednesday 29th March	Parents Evenings
NEW Wednesday 29th March	Y4 Visit to Life Museum
NEW Wednesday 29th March	6pm—Dance Showcase at JCSC
NEW Thursday 30th March	9am Year 2 Puffins—Class Assembly
NEW Thursday 6th April	9am—Turtles Class Assembly
NEW Friday 7th April	9am—PTA Chocolate Raffle after Assembly
NEW Friday 7th April	2pm—School Closes for End of Term
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WORLD BOOK DAY FIRST WEEK BACK!

As usual, we will be celebrating World Book Day this year on Friday 3rd March (the day after the official day!). We will be asking children to dress up as their favourite book characters and also running a 'Reading in Unusual Places' photo competition again. See the back of this newsletter for more information.

Sharks Class Assembly

Well done to our Y3 Sharks who impressed us with their 'Rotten Romans' assembly on Thursday morning. We found out much more about their learning through artwork, dancing, singing and some very impressive acting. Those Romans really were rotten. Look out for photos on our Facebook Page.

AROUND THE WORLD DAY

Thanks to everyone who put in so much effort for our 'Around the World Day' today. We have been really impressed with the creativity of costumes that many of the children came to school in. With the Smarties boxes we have raised lots for EdUKaid so far and that's before our Coffee Morning!

COFFEE MORNING FIRST DAY BACK

Don't forget to come and join us for assembly on our first day back after half term to find out more about the work of EdUKaid. Parents are also invited to stay afterwards for a Coffee Morning organised by our School Council.

A VERY BUSY WEEK IN YEAR 4

Year 4 have had a very busy week this week. On Tuesday we welcomed an artist to the classroom who worked with the children to make a felt wall hanging. The children each made their own part of the Jungle themed hanging in the style of artist Henri Rousseau, before combining these into an impressive finished piece.

Thanks to the PTA for funding this activity!

Year 4 also spent the day on Thursday making their own Tropical themed cookies completely independently!

The Year 4 children have also brought in their Homework projects about the Amazon rainforest this week. Yet again we have been very impressed by the range, creativity and quality of the projects that the children and parents have worked on together to create. These will be on display in the meeting room during the first week back after half term.

DON'T FORGET THAT OUR WEEKLY NEWSLETTERS ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE.



First Week Back Thursday—Year 1, Friday—Year 3
Please don't forget to send your contributions!

COOKING AROUND THE WORLD

This week we also welcomed Jill from Quorn Foods back to school to work with our Year 2 Puffins on an 'Around the World Cooking Day'. The children helped Jill cook a range of delicious dishes before tasting each of them. We were really impressed that most of the children tried most of what they had cooked including Brazilian Pizza,

Chow Mein, Paella and Curry. The children also enjoyed trying the Chopstick Challengel.

We've continued the international theme with a Spanish Themed School Dinner today!



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