Amble Links First School

LINKS NEWS

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SPORTS DAY

It's Sports Day for Reception to Y4 on Monday 8th July - the weather is looking promising for us; fingers crossed! We will be aiming to start as soon as possible after 1pm. Parents are invited to attend but will only be able to access the field through the gate at the main entrance once we have taken he children in after lunch. In the interest of safety we ask that parents please stay on the side of the running track closest to school-we will sit the children inside the track. Seating is extremely



limited so why not bring a blanket to sit on?? The PTA will be selling refreshments and Mrs Britton's Little Shop will also be open. Please ensure that your child has their full PE kit for Sports Day including a T-Shirt of their house team colour. We will keep you posted via Facebook and the school website if we need to make any changes due to weather. A separate letter has been sent out about nursery sports day on Tuesday.

Attendance Treat

As a reward for good attendance we'll be taking all children in Reception to Y4 who have achieved 93% attendance in this academic year (by Friday 12th July) to Castlemania on the morning of Tuesday 16th July. The children will be back to school for normal lunchtime. As we decided to give this reward at very late stage of the year we have lowered the percentage we originally mentioned slightly. Next year the end of year attendance reward will be more challenging; to earn the reward at the end of the year children from Reception to Y4 will need to achieve 100% attendance in 4 out of the 6 half terms AND be late to school no more than 15 times in the whole school year AND have no more

than 5% of the school year missed through holidays.

STARS OF THE

WEEK

Ben Belisle
Evie Bell
Sophie Boutflour
Ebony Taylor

Kai Stewart Chloe Wilkinson

Attendance for Week 4

Our school target is 95 %

OVERALL LAST WEEK- 93%

 Reception (Turtles)
 91%

 Year 1 Puffins 95%

 Year 2 Puffins 96%

 Year 3 Starfish 89%

 Year 4 Starfish 96%

Well Done Y4 Starfish and Y2 Puffins again



DISCOS

End of Year Discos are on TUESDAY 9th JULY at 4pm and 5.15pm. Look



and 3.13pm. Look out for posters around school.

SWIMMING

Today is the last day of swimming for the Turtles.
Last Swimming for Puffins and Starfish is NEXT WEEK.

2013 SCHOOL DIARY

Monday 8th July (bad weather alternative 10th July)	Pm—SPORTS DAY (Reception to Y4)
Tuesday 9th July	Nursery Sports Day
Tuesday 9th July	End of Year Discos
Monday 15th July	5.30pm Y4 Leavers' Performance
Tuesday 16th July	12.30pm Family Picnic and The Great Amble Links Pea Hunt!
Wednesday 17th July	KS2 Children to Archaeological Excavation at Hauxley
Thursday 18th July	2.15pm 'Thank You' Cream Tea for school volunteers
Friday 19th July	End of School Year 2PM FINISH



Class Names - Some old, some new!

Next year's class names have now been revealed!!

Foundation Stage - Seahorses (Nursery) and Turtles (Reception)

Year 1 - Jellyfish, Year 2 - Puffins, Year 3 -Sharks, Year 4 - Penguins



Look out for transition day photographs on the school website.



INTERNATIONAL MUSICIAN PERFORMS AT AMBLE LINKS!

Last Friday we were very pleased to welcome Dutch Musician, Tim Vantol to perform for us in the hall at lunchtime. Tim is a Dutch musician who has performed in front of thousands of people. He called in to meet Lillie Oliver, who is a big fan of his, but ended up

performing a short concert in front of the whole school. Tim said that although he has performed in front of thousands of people before, this performance was the most nerve wracking!



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