



Arbory School News



Dates

Tuesday 11th June

Choir Rehearsal 2pm-4pm
Villa Marina

Wednesday 12th June

Evening Concert - Sounds
of Stories at the Villa
Marina 6.30pm

Thursday 13th June

Rushen Silver Band
Concert 2pm

Y3 Trips to Glen Maye

Friday 14th June
Friday 21st June
Friday 28th June

Wednesday 19th June

Southern Football and
Netball Competition at
KWC

Thursday 20th June

National Netball Finals
10am to 12pm at
Bemahague

Monday 24th June

Y4 trip to Cregneash

Monday 1st July

Venture Centre Meeting for
Y5 and families
7pm

Wednesday 3rd July

LifePath Y4 and Y5

21st June 2019

Dear Parents

Welcome back. Hopefully you all enjoyed the TT break despite the poor weather. Please take some time to note the times and dates of events for this half term and please note that in response to some requests from parents, our traditional sports will be run as part of the Laa Columb Killey festival. The races are also open to any visiting children.

Updates

Guild

Well done to everyone who took part. We had some success this year in being placed for Manx Dancing and Choral Speaking. (Y4)

St John's Garden

The gardening club have done a great job in planting out a new theme based on Laa Columb Killey so please pop in and have a look if you are passing St Johns. The gardens are almost opposite the entrance to the school.

Dinner Money

Please use Parent Pay if possible or cash/cheques made payable to IOM GOVERNMENT
Weekly £11.25
Half Term £63.00

Rushen Silver Band

A small group from Rushen Silver Band will be performing a short concert for pupils as part of the school day on the afternoon of Thursday 13th June. Any parents with Key Stage Two pupils that would like to learn to play a brass instrument from September onwards should contact Matthew Callister via email matthewcallister@me.com Lessons take place on Friday evenings from 7pm during school term, with a cost of £15 per year that includes the use of instruments and tutor books.

Events - Advance Warning

Summer Fair

This will take place during the afternoon on 12th July. All Reception and Key Stage One children will need an adult to go with them around the fair on this afternoon. Parents and other family members are welcome to join us and we will need some help from the Friends of the School. The fair will take place between 1pm and 3.15pm. Children travelling on the bus will then be ready to leave school at 3.30pm.

Southern 100 Races

The Billown Circuit will be closed on Thursday 11th July. Any children who live on the course or who cannot get home will need to leave school at lunchtime. There will be a service bus around 11.45am. Please advise us if your child will be leaving then.

School Fair - Friday 12th July 1pm-3.15pm

Arbory Mini Olympics - Monday 8th July 1.30pm

Arbory's Got Talent - Thursday 18th July 1.30pm

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Laa Columb Killey

Tickets and Programmes will be on sale between 3pm-4pm Friday 14th June.

Ceili Tickets are now available - Friday 28th June 6.30pm to 8.30pm Adults £3 Children £2. Tuck shop snacks and soft drinks will be available to buy as in previous years.

Lycée Ombrosa - Lyon

We are pleased to welcome four students from the Lycée this year. The children will be hosted by two families in Y5 and two in Y6. I also notice that some of our former students are hosting their French friends from last year.

The children will be in school for two and a half weeks and will take part in all the same lessons as their English is excellent.

Any families in the current Y4 who would like to host a French child should have a chat with Mr. Ayres about the scheme if they are interested. Letters and information go out to pupils in February and the French teacher usually visits the island in the spring term.

Year 6 Transition Days / Trips

Thursday 13th June - It's Your Move - RE Transition (at Arbory)

Friday 14th June - Art Transition (pm)

Monday 17th June - Crucial crew (whole day)

Friday 21st June - Science Transition (pm)

Tuesday 2nd July - Tynwald Visit - (am)

Wed/Thurs 3/4th July - Transition Days at Castle Rushen

Tuesday 16th July - Leavers'Treat

Wednesday 17th July - Leavers' Assembly

Yours sincerely

Mr JH Ayres
Headteacher