

Arbory School News

10th January 2023

Dear Parents

Happy New Year! It's great to see the children back in school and hopefully everyone has had some good times over the holiday period as well as a break from the normal routines.

Please take some time to make a note of this month's information.

New starters

As usual, we are asked to submit our predicted numbers for September by the end of this month. Please can you ask relatives and friends to enrol any children who are due to commence school this September.

Radcliffe's Butchers

Once again we are really grateful to Radcliffe's for supplying the sausages for the Christmas parties. Their generous donation is really appreciated by the children.

Isle of Man Creameries

Thanks also to Isle of Man Creameries for providing milk for the hot chocolate afternoon and to the parents who helped organise the event and make the drinks. The children really enjoy the treat!

Dinners - Spring Term

£11.75 weekly First Half Term - £70.50 Second Half Term - £68.15 Full Term £138.65 Please check your child's balance on Parent Pay and pay for meals in advance. Please also note that the kitchen staff need two weeks' notice when children are swapping from packed lunch to school dinners.

Fund Raising

Thanks to everyone who was involved with the various fundraising events in any way. Your support is really appreciated. The following amounts were raised. School Raffle- £749.80 Hot Chocolate - £150.40 Retiring Collections for Isle of Man Hospice - £217.83

Clubs

Guitar Club for Y5/6 and Y3/4 - alternate Tuesdays 8.20am (must have own guitar) Running Club - Tuesday lunchtimes (weather permitting) Tag Rugby for Y2/3 - Wednesday 3.30pm - 4.30pm in the lead up to the tournament Manx Dancing for KS2 - Fridays- 3.30pm to 4.30pm

Advance Notice

Parents Evenings - Monday 6th March and Tuesday 7th March. Bookings can be made on Arbor from Monday 13th February

Yours sincerely

Mr JH Ayres Headteacher

Wednesday 25th January Pedestrian Skills workshop for Reception children

Dates

Tuesday 10th January

Hello Little People

Workshop for Y4 Children

Tuesday 31st January

Y3 and Y4 at the 'Stars' RE Day

Wednesday 1st February First Aid Training for Y6

Friday 3rd February Southern Schools Football Tournament

Tuesday 7th February Y2/3 Rugby Festival

Wednesday 8th February Junior Achievement Y6

Monday 13th February School Public Speaking

20th to 24th February Half Term

20th March Rotary Public Speaking