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# Arbory School News

## Summer Dates

### 9th July

Mr Ayres' and Mrs  
Collister's Farewell  
3.45pm- 5.30pm

### 10th July

Southern 100  
Road Closure

### Friday 11th July

School Fair  
1.30pm-3pm

### 15th July

Leavers' Treat  
4pm-6pm

### 16th July

Leavers' Assembly  
2pm

### 17th July

Arbory's Got Talent  
(Children only)

### 18th July

School closes for  
Summer Holidays

8th July 2025

#### Dear Parents

As usual the last few weeks of the school year is very busy so please take a notes of the events and dates as we go through July.

#### SCHOOL FAIR

Please bring bottles, jars, red and blue items and teddies. These can be brought to the school office.

Cakes and biscuits will be really welcome too but please send these in on Friday 11th July.

#### Millennium

Well done to the football to team who took part in the inter-schools competition on Saturday 28th June. The team played well and were a credit to the school.

#### Foodbank

Before we finish for the summer, we have a request from the Isle of Man foodbank for packets of biscuits. Other items are welcome too, but if you can spare a packet, these can be put in the Foodbank box at the school entrance.

#### Laa Columb Killey

I was pleased that we had dry, if windy weather this year for my last Laa Columb Killey and it was lovely to see so many people on the field. Well done to everyone who entered the different classes and especially those of you who won certificates and cups. Thank you to everyone who helped to make it such a great community event - long may it continue - or as we say in Manx 'Laa CoulmbKilley Aboo!'

The Ceili was very well attended again and the music was provided by the Taroo Marroo Ceili band.

#### Southern Hundred

Please note that the course on the Billown Circuit will be closed on Thursday afternoon (10th July)

Any children living on the course or on the Castletown side of the course will need to leave school at lunchtime. Bus Vannin will have a bus that leaves school at **12.19pm**. Please let Mrs. Harrison know if your child will be travelling on the bus. Children can also be picked up from school if necessary **but will not have time to eat school dinner**.

The roads will be open between **12.45pm** and **1.30pm**

#### North American Manx Awards

Well done to Mrs Collister and the Manx dancers who have won the NAMA award for their outstanding contribution to Manx Culture.

#### Classes for 2025-26

Mrs Johnstone has asked me to pass on the following information;

Reception - Mrs Molnar

Year One - Mrs Sowrey

Year Two - Miss Maestri-Banks

Year Three - Mr Stewart

Year Four - Mr Parry

Year Five - Mrs Weeks and Mrs Wood

Year Six - Mrs Morgan

Yours sincerely

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