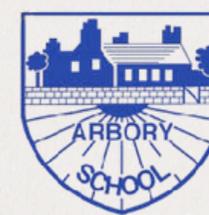


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ARBORY NEWSLETTER



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PUPIL COUNCIL UPDATE

Thank you for your kind donations of stockings – they were very gratefully received by the Southern Befrienders. We are now starting to plan for the Valentine's disco 🎵



A warm welcome to Miss Kneen who joins the Arbory Team teaching full time in Year 1!

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- Monday 12th January - Manx Youth Games Launch Assembly
- 13th & 15th January - YR Health Reviews
- Tuesday 27th January - Y2 Trip to Wildlife Park
- Thursday 29th January - LAST SWIMMING SESSION FOR YEAR
- Friday 30th January - Y5 Trip to Tynwald
- Tuesday 3rd and 10th February - KS2 Isle Listen Workshop
- Tuesday 3rd February - Stay and Learn Session (see above for updates)
- Friday 6th February - Y6 children watch Mary Poppins production at CRHS.
- Wednesday 11th February - School Disco
- Monday 16th - 20th February - HALF TERM

CLUBS:

- Every Monday after school - Y2/3 Tag Rugby
- Every Tuesday after school - Y4/5 Cricket Club
- Every Wednesday after school - Science Club (not run by the school)
- Every Thursday after school - KS2 Choir
- Every Friday after school - KS2 Manx Dancing



Headteacher Update

Welcome back and Happy New Year! 🎉

A warm welcome back to all our Arbory School families. We hope you had a wonderful Christmas break and are feeling refreshed and ready for another exciting term filled with learning and fun.

Please pay close attention to the Dates for the Diary section. While this is not an exhaustive list, it provides a helpful overview of key events coming up.

We are pleased to invite you to our second Stay and Learn session of the year on Tuesday 3rd February. If you are able to join us, please arrive at 1:30pm, as the session will begin promptly. This is a valuable opportunity for you to see how your children learn in school and to share part of their learning experience with them.

We hope many of you will be able to attend, though we understand this is not always possible. Please be assured that Class Dojo is updated weekly to keep you informed about your child's learning.

REGISTRATION OF CHILDREN STARTING SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2026



Parents of children turning five on or after September 1, 2026, should contact the school promptly to register for the 2026/27 academic year. Please register siblings early and remind friends and neighbours to do the same. Early enrolment helps us plan staffing and resources effectively. Thank You!