

Newsletter

No.27

Friday 12th April 2019

Introduction

Well we've made it to the final week of the term once again. Easter is very late this year, so it has been a long term (and the next one is very short!). I hope you all have a happy and safe Easter and manage to get some time to relax and unwind too. See you back on Monday 29th for the summer term.

Upcoming Events

April:

29th: School re-opens

May

1st: KS2 Film night at 3pm

6th: School closed – May Day bank holiday

13th-16th: Year Six tests week

24th: School closes for half term

All dates are available online at: www.acombprimary.org.uk/parents/calendar-dates/

Milk for the Summer Term Year 1-6

It's time to pay for milk again so if your child would like to have milk until 19th July, the cost is £11, payable via ParentPay **before** Monday, 29th April. To do this, just log in to ParentPay and select and pay for milk. We are unable to refund payments if your child is off school for any reason. If your child is entitled to (income related) free school meals, there is no charge, but please contact Mrs Forrest (office@acomb.pmat.academy) if he/she would like milk for the summer term.

Reception Trip

The Reception classes will be going on a school trip to Askham Bryan Wildlife Park on **Monday 20th May**. The children will have a hands-on mini beast workshop and a guide for both outdoors and indoors. We shall travel there by coach during the normal school day. All the children will need a packed lunch and a drink (no glass bottles or nut products please). He/she should wear school uniform, a coat and sensible footwear. A donation of £8 via ParentPay would be greatly appreciated to cover the cost of the transport, the workshop and the guide. Log- in details are available from the need lots of helpers so please let us know if you can come with us. Unfortunately, we can't accept an offer of help if you have other children in your care. Thank you.

K. Bradley and E. Peggs

Drumming

We had an incredible demonstration from Mr Jon Ward and the drummers (Ben, Jamil and Larbi) in assembly this week. If anyone from Y3 up is interested in taking up lessons, please see Mrs Forrest for a form.

Term Dates

Term dates for the 2019/20 and 2020/21 school years are attached. Please note that the 5 training days have been added for 2019/20 but not for 2020/21 yet. These are also on the school website via the calendar page as above.

Menu

The school menu for next term is attached. Dietary variations will be emailed separately.

Non-uniform days

This half term, the **Green Team** are our winning team with the most team points – well done to them all. **As a prize, they get a non-uniform day on Thursday 2nd May.**

The **whole school** will have a non-uniform day on **Friday 3rd May** to raise funds for the Summer Fair tombola - £1 per child please.

Thank you

Reception Parents – Tapestry Online Learning Journal

We will very shortly be adding your contact details to the Tapestry system to allow you to view your child's online learning journey. You will receive an email from Tapestry about this - please follow the instructions in this email to set up your account. The free app is available through your mobile app store and is the easiest way to access your child's learning journey.

Mrs Bradley and Miss Peggs

Clubs for the Summer Term

Please see details below of clubs being offered in the summer term...

School Choir

Mrs Betts would once again like to run her very popular school choir in the summer term, with a concert at the Gateway Centre in July (date to be advised).

The choir will run on **Wednesdays from 3.00-4.00** and is suitable for children from **Y1 to Y6**.

The first date of the choir will be **1/5/19** and the final date **10/7/19**.

The cost of the club will be **£25** and there is space for up to **40 children**.

A drink and biscuit will be provided at each session.

Please email Mrs Betts at nicolabetts@yahoo.com to book a place including your child's name and surname, class, arrangements at 3pm eg collect, Out of School Club or walk home unaccompanied (Years 5 and 6 only) and any dietary requirements your child has. Mrs Betts will respond with her bank details for you to pay by bank transfer.

Ignite Sports Coaching

There are a number of clubs next term being run by James Shimmin. Please see the end of this newsletter for details.

Clubs run by school staff (all free of charge)

To book a place on one of these, please use the online booking system (the same one we use for Parents' Evening). Bookings for these clubs will open today (Friday 12th April) at 7.00pm

<https://acomb.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/default>

Club	Year Group(s)	Staff lead	Day & time	Session Start & End Dates	Maximum Number
Card Games (eg Top Trumps, Uno)	Y3 & Y4	Mr Haynes	Tuesday 3.00-4.00	30/4/19 to 21/5/19	20
Chess	Y4, Y5 & Y6	Mr Dennis	Wednesday lunchtime	1/5/19 to 10/7/19	14
STEM club (after half term)	Y3 & Y4	Miss Peggs & Mrs Stevens	Tuesday 3.00-4.00	4/6/19 to 9/7/19	12
School Newspaper (after half term)	Y5 & Y6	Miss Shaw	Wednesday 3.00-4.00	5/6/19 to 10/7/19	15
Running (after half term)	KS2	Miss Johnson	Thursday 3.00-4.00	6/6/19 to 11/7/19	25



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Dear Parents/Carers

Please see the table below for a list of sports clubs for the Summer Term starting the first week back after the Easter holidays, these are all delivered by Mr Shimmin.

Boys and girls are most welcome, the children will have the opportunity to keep fit and healthy, learn new skills and most of all have lots of fun!

Summer Term clubs							
Day	Time	Sport	For	Dates	Cost	Places	Where?
Monday After school	3pm – 4pm	Cricket / Rounders	YR 4 - 6	29/4/19 – 15/7/19 10 weeks NO CLUB ON MON 6TH MAY DUE TO BANK HOL	£30	24	Playground / field
Tuesday Lunchtime	12pm – 12.30pm	Netball	YR 3 – 6	30/4/19 – 16/7/19 11 weeks	£22	24	Playground
Tuesday After school	3pm – 4pm	Multi Skills	YR 1 & 2	30/4/19 – 16/7/19 11 weeks	£33	24	Hall / Field / Playground
Wednesday Lunchtime	12pm – 12.30pm	Girls Football	YR 3 - 6	01/5/19 – 17/7/19 11 weeks	£22	24	Field
Wednesday After school	3pm – 4pm	Football	YR 5 & 6	01/5/19 – 17/7/19 11 weeks	£33	24	Field
Friday After school	3pm – 4pm	Dodgeball	YR 3 - 6	03/5/19 – 19/7/19 11 weeks	£33	24	Hall / Playground

To book please visit the following website and click BOOK NOW -

<https://www.ignitesportscoaching.co.uk/>

Places are likely to go quick, so book fast!

Please note there are still places available at our *Easter holiday multi sport club* on the following dates

Tuesday 16th, Wednesday 17th, Thursday 18th of April

Tuesday 23rd, Wednesday 24th, Thursday 25th of April

Many thanks for your support.

Mr J Shimmin

Ignite Sports Coaching

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