



Four Acres Academy

# Newsletter

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Learning today for life tomorrow

“Reading is dreaming with open eyes.”



## BEHAVIOUR AWARD WINNERS

Isla Llewellyn  
Miami-Leigh Ridler  
Dexter Lovell  
Ava Lumber  
Ryan Davies  
Charlie Tremlett  
Shannon-Louise Cowle  
Matthew Todd

## ACADEMIC AWARD WINNERS

Tilly Souch  
Oakley Froom  
Sky-Marie House  
Tallulah-Belle Templar  
Alfie Pitcher  
Codie Caseley  
Brandon White  
Lucia Huskova

## ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

This week's winners are.....

**GOLD** Frogs – 100%  
**SILVER** Squirrels – 99%  
**BRONZE** Hedgehogs – 98.1%



As per current regulations and DfE advice on school attendance (2013) we would like to advise you that the Executive Headteacher may not grant any leave of absence in term time unless **exceptional** circumstances exist. By exceptional we mean rare, significant, unavoidable and short. By unavoidable, we mean an event that could not reasonably be arranged at another time. An application must be made **in advance**. Forms are available from the office and must be returned no less than 10 days before the absence is due to start. Retrospective requests will not be considered.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

There are 2 different types of free school meals:

1. If your child is in Bumblebees, Grasshoppers, Frogs, Rabbits or Foxes your child will automatically receive free school meals as the Government pays for it.
2. If your child is in Dragonflies (Nursery), Hedgehogs, Owls, Squirrels, Badgers or Falcons your child may receive free school meals dependent upon your circumstances, ie if you receive certain benefits.



## INSTANT RECALL AWARD WINNERS



Lana Thompson

If you think you should be receiving free school meals please pop into the office.

### UNIFORM

We now have sweatshirts in stock. Mrs Davies is selling uniform all next week and then it will go back to the uniform shop every Monday from 3:00pm starting on the 9<sup>th</sup> Oct.

The weather is changing... cold and wet days are here.... Can you please ensure your child comes to school with a waterproof jacket/coat and sensible shoes. Thank you.



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**Open Evening**  
Wednesday 14th  
Sept 2016  
6pm - 8pm

**Open Morning**  
Saturday 8th  
Oct 2016  
10am - 12noon

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## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October – PARENTS EVENING  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> & Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October – Science Days  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October – HALF TERM  
Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October – BACK TO SCHOOL  
Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November – Falcons last Swimming Session  
Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November – Badgers 1<sup>st</sup> Swimming Session  
Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November – INDIVIDUAL PUPIL PHOTOGRAPHS  
Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November – Shakespeare Production @ the Tobacco Factory  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November – 9:30-11:00am – Year 5 & Year 6 NSPCC Workshops  
Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November – Falcons Class 'Into University' Workshop  
Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December – CHRISTMAS FAYRE  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December – Nursery Christmas sing-a-long – Dragonflies 2  
Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Nursery Christmas sing-a-long – Dragonflies 1  
Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – Early Years Christmas production – Morning  
Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – KS1 Christmas production – Afternoon  
Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December – KS2 Christmas production – Evening  
Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December – KS1 Christmas production – Morning  
Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December – Early Years Christmas production – Afternoon  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2017 – HALF TERM  
Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January – RETURN TO SCHOOL



## TERM DATES 2016/2017

<b><u>Term 1</u></b>	<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2016</b>
<b><u>Term 2</u></b>	<b>Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2016</b>
<b><u>Term 3</u></b>	<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2017</b>
<b><u>Term 4</u></b>	<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2017</b>
<b><u>Term 5</u></b>	<b>Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017</b>
<b><u>Term 6</u></b>	<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2017</b>