



Four Acres Academy

# Newsletter

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Learning today for life tomorrow

“Many people, myself among them, feel better at the mere sight of a book.” *By Jane Smiley*



Thank you to everyone who took part in the sponsored walk last Friday. It was a fantastic success with money raised totalling £909 so far. Wow!!! well done.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

If your child is in Year 6 you should be thinking about submitting their Secondary School options now via the Bristol City Council website. They have 3 choices of which school they would like to attend; number 1 being their first/favourite choice, however you don't necessarily have to make all 3 choices.

The closing date is Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017.

Apply on-line at [www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/schooladmissions)

## ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

This week's winners are:

**GOLD** Squirrels

**SILVER** Foxes

**BRONZE** Hedgehogs



Please keep your contact details up-to-date with the office.



## FOOD ALLERGIES/INTOLERANCES

If your child has any food allergies/intolerances please inform the office.

A form can then be completed to give to the kitchen staff as without this form a meal cannot be provided for your child.

There is a new menu for Autumn. This takes effect from Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October. A copy can be found on the schools website or there is a paper copy available from the office.



Congratulations to Arnie-Jacq of Squirrels class for completing the reading challenge and for being outstanding in his local library. 5000 children took part in the challenge over the summer holidays and less than 30 children around Bristol were chosen to get an award. Arnie-Jacq was presented with the award by The Right Honourable Lord Mayor of Bristol Councillor Lesley Alexander.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If your circumstances change at any time please re-apply for free school meals either online or via Mrs Beacham in the office.

Please apply even if your child will not eat a school meal as your child gets additional funding for their education.

School meals cost £2.05 per child per day.

## AWARD WINNERS

Terell Agidee

Connor Barrett

Reece Richardson

Olivia Croker

Evie-Mae Collins

Ruby Rae Hoddinott

Emmie-Mae Griffin

Tilly Souch

Riley Jerome

Shiloh Mullally

Jake Hoddinott

Stevie Patch

Cody Hawkins

Alfie Pitcher

Rhia Hebbard

Sienna Wynter



## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October – Shakespeare Workshop @ the Trinity Centre – 12:45pm-4:00pm  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October – Provisional date for flu vaccinations  
Monday 16<sup>th</sup> – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October – Science Week  
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October – Parents Evening – 3:30pm-6:00pm  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October – Parents Evening – 3:30pm-6:00pm  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October – HALF TERM  
Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October – Falcons last swimming lesson  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November – Halloween Disco  
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Pupil photographs  
Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Dragonflies 2 pupil photographs  
Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Badgers start swimming  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – CHILDREN IN NEED  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Parents Voice meeting – 2:00pm  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November – Anti-bullying Week  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November – Book Fair  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December – Year 6 Life Skills trip  
Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December – CHRISTMAS FAYRE  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December – Nursery Christmas sing-a-long – 2:15pm  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December – KS1 Christmas performance – 2:00pm  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – KS1 Christmas performance – 10:00am  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – Reception Christmas sing-a-long – 2:00pm  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – KS2 Carol concert – 5:00pm  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Reception Christmas performance – 10:00am  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Nursery Christmas sing-a-long – 2:15pm  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – KS2 Carol concert – 2:15pm  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 – HALF TERM



### INSET DAYS 2017/2018

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2018**

### TERM DATES 2017/2018

**Term 1 finishes on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

**Term 2 Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2017 – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2017**

**Term 3 Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

**Term 4 Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018 – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018**

**Term 5 Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2018 – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

**Term 6 Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018 – Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018**