

Ark John Keats Academy

Newsletter

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Cancer in PINK!!

All scholars and staff wore pink today to raise awareness as well as funds to support research projects in finding cures for breast cancer. Our sixth-form students created some resources for our primary pupils to learn more about cancer, how it can affect people around the world and more importantly how scientists are trying to find cures for this horrible disease. Thank you all for your kind donations! We have raised £723.68!



NSPCC! Speak Out! Stay Safe!

All parents from Reception to Year 6 received a letter and a sponsor form this week regarding our aim to raise awareness in keeping our precious scholars safe. We also want to raise funds for the NSPCC that helped us to bring this message to our scholars at AJK, and to enable them to continue their fabulous work. All our scholars are going to take part in the 'Big Buddy Workout' during the next term. We would appreciate it if you take the time to read the letter and all the information on the sponsor form carefully and try to get as many reliable sponsors to contribute, in order to raise money for the NSPCC. Sponsor forms and money need to be returned to the admin team by the 11th November, as the NSPCC will come and collect it on that day. The class that raise the most money will be rewarded with an extra 'treat' as well as a certificate, presented to them by the Mayor of Enfield on the 15th November!

* All pupils from Reception to Year 6 will take part in the 'Big Buddy Workout' regardless if they bring in sponsor money. It is great to get all scholars active and aware of how to keep safe and speak out! I thank scholars, parents and staff in advance for all the support! Thanks Ms Reynecke



This Weeks' Class Attendance

Year 1 & Year 2:

- 1st: Rowling – 98.75%**
- 2nd: Donaldson – 98.09%
- 3rd: Duddle – 97.50%
- 4th: Carroll & Browne – 96.66%
- 5th: Rosen – 95%



Year 3 & Year 4:

- 1st: Kipling - 100%**
- 2nd: Franklin – 99.16%
- 3rd: Morpurgo – 99.04%
- 4th: Germain – 96.66%
- 5th: Fibonacci – 96.25%
- 6th: Pankhurst – 94.64%

Year 5 & Year 6:

- 1st: Okikiolu – 100%**
- 2nd: Angelou – 98.33%
- 3rd: Armstrong – 96.25%
- 4th: Darwin – 95.41%



Extra playtime for Rowling, Kipling and Okikiolu classes! Well Done!

Cross Country

Last Thursday 10 scholars from Year 5 and 6 represented AJK at the Enfield Borough Cross Country Event that was held at Forty Hall. With over 25 schools attending, there was a lot of strong competition. They had to compete in a 1 mile trail on grass with dirt paths and many steep hills to contend with. We are so proud and they represented our school so well. One of the many highlights were that Enoc, who came 2nd of all the boys taking part, will now have a chance to represent Enfield at the London Youth Games in November. Well done with your team comradery and tenac-



Important dates:

Swimming:

- **Year 1—Donaldson Swimming** - Wednesday 30th October at 09:30 (then every Wednesday until the Christmas holidays)
- **Year 3—Kipling Swimming** - Wednesday 30th October at 11:00 (then every Wednesday until the Christmas holidays)

Library Visits:

- **Rosen Class** - Friday 1st November at 14:00
- **Sharratt Class**- Monday 4th November at 14:00
- **Kerr Class**—Friday 8th November at 14:00
- **Gray Class**—Monday 11th November at 14:00
- **Rowling Class**—Friday 15th November at 14:00

Friday Celebration Assemblies:

- **Year 3 & Year 4** — Friday 1st November at 08:45 in the secondary hall
- **Year 5 & Year 6**—Friday 8th November at 08:45 in the secondary hall
- **Year 1 & Year 2**—Friday 22nd November at 08:45 in the secondary hall

Afterschool Clubs:

- Start on either Tuesday 5th November or Thursday 7th November—your child will have received their letter today

Staff Training Days:

- Monday 28th October—No School
- Thursday 19th December—No School

Parent Consultations:

- Wednesday 30th October from 14:30—17:30
- Wednesday 6th November from 14:30—17:30

First day of term:

- Tuesday 29th October

Last day of term:

- Wednesday 18th December at 16:00

Christmas Performances 2019!

- **Nursery:** Tuesday 10th December 09:00-09:45 & 14:45- 15:30 in the Primary Hall
- **Reception:** Monday 9th December 09:15-10:30 & 14:15-15:30 in the Primary Hall
- **Year 1:** Monday 2nd December – 09:00-10:00 in the Secondary Hall
- **Year 2:** Wednesday 4th December 13:30-14:30 in the Secondary Hall
- **Year 3:** Tuesday 3rd December 09:00-10:00 in the Secondary Hall
- **Year 4:** Thursday 5th December 09:00-10:00 in the Secondary Hall
- **Year 5:** Friday 6th December 09:00-10:00 in the Secondary Hall
- **Year 6:** Tuesday 9th December 09:00-10:00 in the Secondary Hall

AJK Class Scholar Awards

Definition of a scholar: a person who is highly educated or has an aptitude for study

Pupils chosen to be the scholar of the week are selected because they consistently demonstrate our KEATS values:

Kindness Effort Aspiration Tenacity Success

This week's scholars of the week are:

Year 5:

Jahnvi & Kyle in Okikiolu Class **Nabhan & Sonny-Ray** in Angelou Class

Year 6:

Dylan & Kai in Darwin Class **Hazel & Michaela** in Armstrong Class

Well done all of you for being AJK class scholars. We are so proud of you!