



Week 36 NEWSLETTER 30th June 2017



Acre Heads Primary School

"A place to nourish thinking minds"

This Week

- **Whole school** – looked wistfully out of the windows at the rain pelting down making the field too muddy for our sports days. ☹ That's British weather for you. Foundation Stage staff have visited pre-schools to meet their lovely new pupils who are coming soon. Film night was a packed out and very enjoyable event.
- **FS** – Planted sunflower seeds. Made symmetrical butterflies.
- **Drewton** – Investigating what activities could be completed in one minute.
- **Sugarloaf** – Writing about favourite superheroes and describing own made up Superheroes. Sketching a detailed portrait of the Queen. Using stopwatches for a Science investigation.
- **Sandholme** – Creating own 3D shapes to help with identifying properties.
- **Barmby** – Researching the habitats of a variety of Indian animals and writing own information booklets.
- **Carlton** – Shape poems about Hull. Investigated shadow size in Science.
- **Gowdall** – Making Hull maps. Investigating light and shadows.
- **Drax** – Viking Estate Agents. Looking to sell a Viking Longhouse using knowledge of its features. Used Publisher to produce an advert. Went back in time to write and film a news report on Lindisfarne.
- **Smeaton** – Viking news reporters. Estate Agents, Catwalk Designers and Chefs!
- **Hensall** – locating the different climatic zones found in Brazil and placing them on a map.
- **Upton** – Designing headdresses ready for Carnival Day. Writing persuasive letters to the Brazilian Government.
- **Cudworth** – Practising performance – fabulous singing! Science nutrition and healthy lifestyles.
- **Hemsworth** – Nutrition in Science, rehearsal for Y6 production and Science morning at Wolreton.

Phew! What a 'June rain go away, come back in April or May' kind of school.



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Weekend worries about school?
Please don't have sleepless nights – email Mrs R
and let her try to put your mind at rest!
rachel.robinson@acreheads.eriding.net

Social Media

We do **NOT** have a Facebook account by parental request.
Any account, group or page opened in the name of the
school is **NOT** official and posts may well contain inaccurate
information.



@Acreheads7ST
Feel free to follow us!

Website: <http://anlabyacreheads.org.uk>

If there are any photos or videos on the website that you
object to, please send a note to Mrs R.

As promised via the POP, a few facts about how universal services increased costs have affected our school

Our budget as in other schools, has not been increased in proportion to inflation but essential and non-negotiable services have increased in total costs by at least 10%. Here are a few examples: Last year it cost the school £1,300 to have the bins emptied, this year it is costing £1,500. The equality and diversity support cost us £350 last year and this year it is £415. Water hygiene inspections cost £1,211 last year and this year it is £1,458. Extractor fan maintenance last year cost £510 and this year it is £662. In September we will be losing the equivalent hours of a full time General Teaching Assistant's job and redeploying some of our current TAs to cover SEN provision, meaning that classes do not have the same amount of general assistance in lessons. More info on budget issues in following newsletters.

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CURRENT PLANNED EVENTS

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT WE MAY HAVE TO CHANGE TIMES OR DATES FOR UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES

Please refer to letters sent home for details of events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 July Sugarloaf Family Tree afternoon	4 July New starters visit 4:00 – 5:00pm Y3 Family Talks about Hull	5 July Y5 Sirius FS Honeysuckle Farm KS2 Costello Sports	6 July 3:45 Musical Extravaganza	7 July Y6 dress rehearsal
10 July Y6 dress rehearsal Y5 Cycle Training Grp 1 Drewton Family Tree afternoon New starters visit 4pm – 5pm 6pm Costello medal presentation South Hunsley	11 July Y5 Cycle training Grp 1 New starters visit 4pm – 5pm	12 July Y5 Cycle training Grp 2 Y3 Hull museums trip 4pm Y6 production	13 July Y6 Production 2pm and 6pm Y5 Minecraft Day Y5 Cycle training Grp 2	14 July Y5 Cycle training Grp 3 Y6 Sleepover
17 July Y5 Cycle Training Grp 3	18 July Moving Up Morning Children's reports out Celebration Evening 5pm – 6:30pm	19 July One more step Y6 assembly for parents and carers 4pm	20 July Y2 and Y6 Mega Circus Skills Day Y5 Minecraft Day	21 July 3:25pm Leavers Guard of Honour

This week's Platform count winners

**FS – Stoneferry
KS1 – Barmby
Lower KS2 – Carlton
Upper KS2 – Hemsworth**



Attendance

Sandholme 100%
Well done – 6 Smilers
Whole school attendance
97%

Punctuality

Burleigh, Dairycoates, Stoneferry,
Drewton, Sugarloaf, Barmby, Gowdall,
Carlton, Drax, Smeaton, Hemsworth and
Cudworth Well Done - 5 Smilers!

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OUTSTANDING BEHAVIOUR AWARDS

Drewton – Leo Woodhouse
Sugarloaf – Lleyla Ullah
Sandholme – Edana Bell
Barmby – Imogen Dean
Carlton – Maya Shata
Gowdall – Heidi Martindale
Drax – Summer George
Smeaton – Olivia Dean
Hensall – James Stead
Upton – Harry Dixon
Cudworth – Sam Sharpe
Hemsworth – Ellie Melville

Next week's whole school theme

Breaking Up and Making Up

Letters this week – please look out for....

Summer Carnival
Summer Workshop
Westend Summer School

211 Smilers were awarded across the school for homework this week.

Class behaviour – 5 Smilers

No unwanted behaviour recorded for the following classes:
All FS, Drewton, All Y2, Gowdall, All Y4, All Y5, All Y6
Well done!
We rely on teamwork and a notion of responsibility to our community as well as a sense of restoration to ensure that children do not let their classes down with poor behaviour choices. Good behaviour is rewarded to both individuals and classes.

Mrs R would like to say a huge thanks to:

The parents and carers of children in Year Two who made it to the Moving On Meeting on Wednesday night and also the staff who attended the meeting. It's such an important meeting to help your Y2 children settle into KS2 expectations. Thank you.

Added to the school website this week:

Y4 visit from Astrid the Viking, Y5 Poetry competition, Peak Venture 2017 galleries, Sugarloaf Golden Time, Race for Life results, various activities for KS1 maths and RE, Name the bear Competition, and much, much more....

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