



Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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A message from the Head of School

Many, many thanks to all the parents and carers who supported our Christmas Fair. It was such a wonderful occasion, bringing the community of Ark Bentworth together.

We raised a massive £751.62!!!

We are blessed as a school to have such amazing support!

This week was also 'Show Case Week'; an opportunity for the classes to present their learning for the half term. Again a huge turn out by parents and I have been overwhelmed by the support that the community has given the school over this past term alone! 2017 will be an exciting year I am sure!

As you are aware I sent a letter out asking for donations for our local Food Bank. I am humbled by your support and generosity. We have already managed to gather together products and goods that I can take over to the Food Bank on the White City next week. Again a HUGE thank you!

Please don't forget the following dates and notices...

- School finishes on Wednesday 21st December 2016 at 1:30 p.m.
- School is open again for all students on Wednesday 4th January 2017
- Breakfast Club & After School Club will also resume on Wednesday 4th January 2017

This will be last formal newsletter for this half term. I hope you all have a very peaceful and restful holiday and I look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.

Maira Cruddas



Attendance

Winner of the class attendance award this week is...

Year 1 with a fantastic **98.2%**
2nd was **Year 5** with **97.6%** and
3rd was **Reception** with **96.4%**.

This week's attendance was: **95.3%**.

The sickness bug has taken its toll on attendance the last couple of weeks. I'm expecting everyone to have a good rest over the holidays and recharge those batteries for the Spring Term!

This week's 100% Attendance winner of the week is: **Surai Rita Ellis**

100%

Congratulations!

Spring A Value

Generosity

We share our time, knowledge and things with those around us.

Aiming High, Achieving Together

Birthdays

Reception: No birthdays this week
Year 1: No birthdays this week
Year 2: No birthdays this week
Year 3: No birthdays this week
Year 4: No birthdays this week
Year 5: No birthdays this week
Year 6: No birthdays this week

Star Awards

Reception	Mohammed Siyam Ahmed
Year 1	Se Scully
Year 2	Elan Aljuaid
Year 3	Tariq Mohamed
Year 4	Husayn Al-Esia
Year 5	Dante Abrashi
Year 6	Shay Mallon



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Notice

Front Office

From Tuesday 1st November 2016 the following will be the days that you can order and pay for things in the front office:

Uniform ordering day: Tuesdays
Uniform pick-up day: Thursdays
Dinner money pay day: Mondays & Fridays

Christmas Dinner

We will be having the School Christmas Dinner on Tuesday 20th December 2016. If your child normally has packed lunch, and you would like them to have a dinner, please let the Office know.

Festive Jumper Day

Children and staff are welcome to wear a Festive Jumper on Wednesday 21st to raise money for Save the Children. A donation of £1.00 would be gratefully received.

Food Bank Donations

We will have set up in the front office a box for any donations that you would like to give for our local Food Bank on White City. Please no perishable items but tinned food and toiletries would be welcomed. Thank you.

Website

You will find all our policies; for example our Behaviour, Curriculum & Safeguarding Policies, on our website www.arkbentworth.org

Key Dates

Tuesday 10th January 2017 – Reception Open Morning
First Day of the Spring Term – Wednesday 4th January 2017
Half Term - Monday 13th February – Friday 17th February 2017

