



Anston Park Junior School  
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# APJ Newsletter

Newsletter  
29th March 2019

## ATTENDANCE NATIONAL AVERAGE 96%

3A	96%
3F	97%
3/4F	95%
4B	97%
4C	95%
5CM	95%
5E	94%
5M	95%
6B	98%
6F	95%
6S	97%

## Dates for the diary

SEND Reviews  
Fri 5th April

Y3, 4 & 5 Open Evening  
Tues 9th / Wed 10th  
Apr  
3:30—6:00

INSET Day  
Fri 12th April

Mr Smith's Sports  
Camp  
12th April

Easter Holidays  
Mon 15th - Fri 26th April

Mr Smith's Easter Club  
17th & 18th April

Back to school  
Mon 29th April (8:50)

Dates for the year are  
on the website.

## Whole School Information

At last we have some warmer weather. It will be lovely next week when the nights are lighter. As it's warmer some children have been wearing shorts, which is fine, but please make sure that they are uniform shorts and not sports shorts.

### New Learning Mentor

On the 3rd April we welcome Mrs. Neath to our school. She will be an additional learning mentor who will support Mr. Roscamp in school. She will have a focus on improving attendance and attainment for our most vulnerable children. Her background is in Early Help and she has already met some of our families. She will be out and about in the playground and I'm sure you will get to know her soon.

### School Visits

Our school governors have recently met and have looked very closely at the school budget and our spending over the past year. As you are aware for all visits we request a parental contribution. At the moment each visit is running at a loss of approximately £250 and across the year for all year groups this is mounting up. We made the decision that we still want our children to have the first hand experiences that visits bring. We decided that all future fund raising would go towards subsidising school visits however if insufficient money is paid then the visits would have to be cancelled. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

### School Meals

Just a reminder that from Monday school meals will cost £2:15. This is still good value for money for a two course meal. The new menus have arrived and there is a wide range of choices available. These are available on our website.

Thank you  
Mrs. Bartholomew

## INSET Days 2018—19

Mon 3rd September  
Fri 21st December  
Fri 15th February  
Fri 12th April  
Mon 22nd July

## Shout Outs

Isabelle Beazley has had her hair cut much shorter and donated it to the Princess Charity. Well Done.

George Parker well done on passing Grade 1 saxophone exam with merit.

Mason Norbury well done on achieving your yellow belt in martial arts.

Please let us know if you have something to shout out about.

## Shield Point Winner

3F  
4B

# Teaching and Learning

## TTRockstars

Since the introduction of TTRockstars last year it has gone from strength to strength. Mrs. Corbiere has introduced class battles as I'm sure you are aware. Last week we had 58% of the school playing and over 270,000 correct answers. Well done as this is played outside school time.

## Y6 SATs preparation

Our Y6 children are working very hard in preparation for the tests in May. Many of them are staying on Tuesday after school to attend booster classes.

## Reading

We have had a focus on reading across school. Many of our children say that they enjoy reading and do read widely and often. Please make sure that they bring their reading diary daily for us to record in.

## Y5 Visit to Eyam

It was lovely to hear that members of the public stopped the staff to ask which school we were from. They commented on the excellent manners and behaviour that the children showed.

## Golf

Mrs. Allen and Miss. Fenton took 17 children to the golf festival at Dinnington High School. They did really well and came 3rd, we didn't expect to do so well.

## Special Mentions

<b>3A</b>	Jessica	Skye
<b>3F</b>	Ciarna	Alana
<b>3/4F</b>	Jacob	Reuben
<b>4B</b>	Olivia	Neveah
<b>4C</b>	Maddison	Leah
<b>5E</b>	Dylan	Robi
<b>5CM</b>	Alex	Hannah
<b>5M</b>	Oliver	Alfie
<b>6B</b>	Isabelle	Maddison
<b>6F</b>	Jacob S	Freya L
<b>6S</b>	Finlay	Isobel
<b>6LC</b>	Oscar	Ellie

## Citizen Award

<b>3A</b>	Ryan	Lily
<b>3F</b>	Jack	Maddison
<b>3/4F</b>	Bella	Lucas
<b>4B</b>	Heidi –May	Izzy
<b>4C</b>	Zach	Evie
<b>5E</b>	Thomas	Cordelia
<b>5CM</b>	Dylan	Abby
<b>5M</b>	Lucas	Emily
<b>6B</b>	Evie	Archie
<b>6F</b>	Connie	Jake / Jacob
<b>6S</b>	Madeleine	Harry / Oscar
<b>6LC</b>	Madison	Holly