Amble Links First School LINKS NEWS



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Attendance for Week 5

Our school target is 95 % OVERALL LAST WEEK- 91% Reception (Turtles) 92% Year 1 Jellyfish- 87% Year 2 Puffins - 90% Year 3 Sharks- 96% Year 4 Penguins - 89% Well Done Sharks!



The Great Amble Links Picnic and Pea Hunt

Our Family Picnic and Pea Hunt will be taking place on Thursday 16th July. The picnic will take place in the Foundation Stage outdoor area and picnic area at 12.30pm. Families are welcome to come along and join us at that time but must enter through the Foundation Stage gate—all other gates will be locked. Children who normally have a school dinner will be provided with a packed lunch by school. Please feel free to bring along your picnic hampers, blankets and anything else to make your picnic extra special! Last year we saw some amazing picnics!! We will bring the children outside to join you at 12.30pm. The Pea Hunt will begin at about 1.15pm and end at about 2pm. Morning Nursery will be running and the children will have a picnic style lunch at 11.20am. Parents should collect the children as usual at 11.45am but are welcome to come back for the picnic and/or Pea Hunt if they wish. After the Pea Hunt children will need to return to their classrooms from where they can be collected by parents. If the weather is poor the picnic will be held indoors but we will still try to run the Pea Hunt as usual. Mrs Britton's cakes will also be on sale!

Y4 AWARDS CEREMONY - Wednesday 15th July

We're looking forward to our Year 4 Leavers' Awards Ceremony next week; this has been funded by our PTA. Each child will receive an award as recognition of their achievements and personality whilst with us at Amble Links followed by some snacks and a disco. Parents of Year 4 children are invited to come along. We've also invited the Year 3 children to celebrate with their Year 4 friends and to see what they have to look forward to next year! We have asked the children to come in smart dress! All Y3 and Y4 children have received a letter with more details.

Y4 Leavers' Performance-Monday 13th July

It's a busy time for Year 4 next week as they prepare to move on to Middle School. Over the last couple weeks they have been practising their performance of 'Jack and the Beanstalk' ready to preform to parents and friends on Monday at 5pm. Friends and families are welcome to attend. Raffle tickets will be on sale prior to the performance.

GALLERY OF ARTWORK

Framed artwork will be on sale in school until next Friday. Pictures are £6.00 each. Please call into the office if you'd like to purchase your child's artwork.

BUY SCHOOL UNIFORM AT alfs.schoople.com

2015 SCHOOL DIARY

Monday 13th July	5pm - Y4 Leavers Performance
Wednesday 15th July	3.30 -5.30 Year 4 Leavers Awards
Thursday 16th July	12.30pm Family Picnic and Pea Hunt
Friday 17th July	2pm—School Closes for Summer Holiday
Thursday 3rd September	Children Return to School $oldsymbol{ u}$

SPORTS DAYS

Sports Days were hugely successful again this year. We were really impressed with how well the children supported one another and didn't give up on races. A big thank you to everyone who helped organise the day, volunteered to help or just came and supported

the children. A special thank you must also go to Mrs Goodfellow for her overall organisation of the main sports day activities.



Mrs Elizabeth Martin

We have been saddened to hear of the death of Mrs Elizabeth Martin who retired from Amble Links lin 2013 after many years service as a cleaner and lunchtime supervisor. Staff from school attended her funeral last week; and seeing the number of people there really showed how popular and loved she was in the community. During the autumn term we will be organising a small fundraising event from which we will hopefully be able to purchase a bench to

overlook our playground in her memory.

DINNER MONEY

In order to help Mrs Creen balance the books for the end of the school year please ensure that all money owed to school for dinners is paid by MONDAY.

WELL DONE to Alfie Armstrong who achieved last week's highest Mathletics score of 5208 points. Keep up the good work!

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"Everyone succeeds at Amble Links."