



Dear Parents, Pupils and Staff,

The end is here!!!

I can't quite believe that we are at the end of the year. It only seems like yesterday that I was welcoming everyone back after the school holidays.

There were some more class assemblies this week and Early Years, Year 1 and Year 2 impressed everyone with their confident performances showing just how much work they have done this year!

The children in Year 6 have been extremely busy this week as they come to the end of their time at primary school. Firstly, on Monday they enjoyed a day at Southend's Adventure Island to celebrate their achievements this year and as an end of year treat. The children and staff had a great time and the weather was very kind to them!



On Wednesday the Year 6 performance of the Lion King blew everyone away! It was lovely to watch such a fantastic performance that was so professionally carried out. The children had worked extremely hard and that all paid off as it was enjoyed by everyone. It was a very proud moment as the children can leave Arthur Bugler Primary School with their heads held high.

Lastly, for Year 6, they organised and ran a 'Leaver's Fair', to raise money for the school. This involved setting up and running a number of stalls for the rest of the children in the school to take part in. As ever, it was a lovely event and I am looking forward to hearing how much has been raised.



The inflatables were at school this week for those children who have received a platinum award for this term. All of the children who have 100% attendance were also rewarded with more time on the inflatables.

Today we say goodbye to Miss Downs who will be leaving Arthur Bugler after two years to take up a teaching post at Thameside Primary School. I am sure you will join me in wishing her all the best as she takes the next chapter in her life. In assembly today we also gave our best wishes to Mr Simmonds, Miss Betts and Miss Bishop who are all getting married over the summer holidays. I am sure they will all enjoy their respective celebrations and I look forward to seeing the photos upon our return in September.


I am pleased to announce that the overall winners of the Team Points was the **BLUE TEAM** with **41, 147 points**. The Blue Team are now the first team to win the overall points and Sports day in the same year. Well done to everyone that earned points for their team.


The end of the school year marks the end of another chapter in the life of the children and staff at school. Everyone should be congratulated for their hard work and efforts. I would like to take this


opportunity to thank all of the staff who work extremely hard to ensure your children have the best experience possible at school. My thanks goes to the parents/carers of the children as your support throughout the year does not go unnoticed.


I look forward to welcoming everyone back on **Wednesday 6th September 2017**. Have a lovely holiday!

J. A. Bryant
Headteacher

	This week the Attendance Trophies have been awarded to			
	KS1	Class 3	Miss Pugh	97.3%
	KS2	Class 8	Mrs Cooper	98.6%
	<i>Congratulations to all classes!</i>			
	Whole School Attendance		94.2%	

	<p>Gold Headteacher Award</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>STOP THE PRESS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!</u></p> <p>This week I awarded 2 more Headteacher Awards to Frankie Formoy and Teddy Marlow. Congratulations to both children for working hard all year to receive 20 headteacher awards. As a result of this fantastic achievement they will receive an Arthur Bugler cup and saucer and will be invited to have afternoon tea with Mr Bryant and some friends in September. Their photo will now take pride of place on the 'Wall of Fame' in my office. Well done Frankie and Teddy!</p>
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	<p>Silver Headteacher Award</p> <p>Congratulations to Ilyas Hussain, Natalia Baker, Luke Fisher and Louie Mailey as they were presented with a Silver Headteacher Award for receiving 10 Headteacher Awards. They are now the proud owners of a pen to go with their ruler. Well done!</p>
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	<p>Bronze Headteacher Award</p> <p>This week 2 Bronze Headteacher Awards were presented to the children. Congratulations to Tanika Bernadine and Grace Edwards. They are now the proud owners of a new ruler! Congratulations!</p>
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Ice Cream

A huge thank you to the PTA who organised the ice cream van this afternoon so that all of the children could enjoy an ice cream to end the year. I think the staff also enjoyed the treat as much as the children.



Golden Tickets

The draw was made today and the following children were drawn out of the box and won a book voucher:

- EYFS – Roganna Adikaram
- Year 1 – Oliver Hitchcock
- Year 2 – Zachary Cooper
- Year 3 – James Mailey
- Year 4 – Joe Baker
- Year 5 – Lacey Sharpe
- Year 6 – Ryan Elson

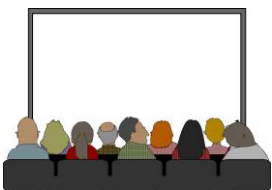
Well done to everyone for reading so much at home – make sure you continue to read over the holidays.



Star Writers Of The Term

Congratulations to the following children for receiving a 'Golden Pencil' and being crowned 'Star Writers' for this term:

Roganna Adikaram, Tobiah Faleye, Jotham Faleye, Alyce Palmer, Lola Gibbs, Ethan Rush, Hayden Beard, Louisa Pond, Aliyah Bernadine, Rosa Panting, Teddy Marlow, Isabella Stevens, Courtney Williams and Lewis Scott.



Year 6 Meeting in September

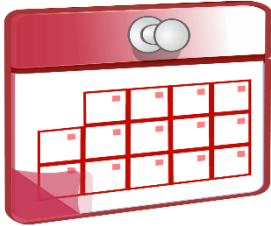
Save the date!!!

There will be a meeting for parents/carers of those children in Year 6 on Tuesday 19th September 2017 to discuss the Secondary School Admission process.



Cricket Update

The cricket teams have enjoyed a fantastic season and last night the A team lost narrowly to Deneholm in the cup final which meant the team finished runners up. A huge congratulations to all of the children involved but a special thank you to Mr Heard for ensuring the children had the opportunity to take part in the matches and to perform so well!



Diary Dates

The Diary Dates for next year will be sent out when we return to school in September.



LETTERS SENT HOME THIS WEEK

Royal Ballet Production – Years 4, 5 and 6 – paper copy – 17th July.
Hardie Park School Trip – Year 3 – paper copy - 19th July.