

Newsletter

19th January 2018

Dear Parents

Thank you for the huge participation in our special lunch on Spring Census day. School dinners are counted on this day and form part of our funding so having such a great take up really helps.

Thank you also to all those parents who have returned the letter about reading and spelling. I really appreciate the feedback and have enjoyed the discussions with those parents who have contacted me. The extra 5 minutes playtime is a reward and is designed so that parents have something to encourage their children on the nights they are not keen to read.

These children have been awarded Merit Certificates this week:

| ORANGE: | Lillie-May | KS1 | Vishnu | KS2 |
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| YELLOW: | Megan | KS1 | Joshua | KS1 |
| | Laylah | KS1 | Brandon | KS2 |

Well done children!

The school nurse came in to see us this week - she told us about a new website run by the NHS in Hertfordshire. It offers advice for parents on common childhood ailments and issues as well as games, activities and quizzes for children. The website is www.healthforkids.co.uk.

Applications for Reception places have now closed. Our Nursery application process is open until the 23rd February 2018. Applications for Nursery are dealt with by the school; there is no online application through County. Once again you are our best advert - please do spread the word and encourage people to visit the school. We are very proud of what we do here at Ardeley and it is a pleasure to share this with prospective parents.

With kind regards, Karen Connolly





Spring Diary Dates



Thursday 25 January Friday 26 January

Friday 2 February

Tuesday 6 February

12-16 February

Birdwatch KS1 Birdwatch KS2

Cake sale for Sarah

Fitter Futures visit (no Collective Worship)

Half Term