



AVALON SCHOOL

Weekly Bulletin

Friday 2nd February 2018

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CELEBRATING ACHIEVEMENTS

This Week's Winners



St Andrew



St David



St George



St Patrick

House Points

148

86

179

161

Total House Points for the Year To-date

2902

2231

2781

2746

Merit Badges

Reception				EW
Year 1	LE			
Year 2			GK	
Year 3		HH		
Year 4	LS		DB	
Year 5	LG	GS		
Year 6		ML	PW	

Golden Table

BS (Rec)

SP (Y1)

ML (Y2)

TW (Y3)

JG (Y4)

LG (Y5)

ML (Y6)

Children's Favourite Dishes of the Week!

Main: Chicken Roast Dinner

Pudding: Chocolate Crunch

MENU FOR WEEK COMMENCING 5TH FEBRUARY 2018



Follow this link for our [Lunch Menus](#)

Dates For Your Diary

FEBRUARY 2018

Mon 5th

Year 4 Class Assembly
9.05am

Tue 6th

Year 1, Year 2 & Eco
Club visit to Recycling
Centre Liverpool

Thur 8th

Parent Toddler Group
1.45pm

Mon 12th

Year 6 Class Assembly
9.05am

Governors Meeting
5.30pm

Tue 13th

Reception Vision &
Hearing and Heights &
Weights Assessments
by Wirral NHS AM

Year 6 Heights &
Weights Assessments
by Wirral NHS PM

Wed 14th

DARA Parents Talk on
Internet Safety
2.15pm

Thur 15th

DARA Safer Internet
Workshops for children
Rec-Y6

PTA Children's Disco
5.30pm – 7.15pm

Parent Toddler Group

NOTICES & REMINDERS

Netball Tournament

Well done to our Netball Team who played in the Chadwick Cup yesterday. After being the leaders of the group stage, we went into a close run final, against Prenton Prep School finishing in second place overall, in the tournament. The children each received an award, which was presented in our achievement assembly today. Well done to all involved for representing Avalon superbly and for their great sportsmanship!

Scores on the Doors

Well done to our fantastic catering team for retaining a fabulous 5 rating, following their inspection by the Environmental Health Inspector this morning.



Year 4 Class Assembly

Monday 5th February at 9.05am

The children of Year 4 would like to invite their parents/carers to their class assembly on Monday 5th February, starting at 9:05am in the School Hall. Refreshments will be available from 8.50am. We hope that you will be able to join us.

We would like to politely ask if you could bring your child in school at 8.20am on Monday as they will have their Mendhi patterns painted on with face paint (unless otherwise stated) and get ready into costume. The children can come straight to the Year 4 classroom where they will be registered upon arrival. Thank you for your co-operation and support.

Year 1, Year 2 & Eco Club Visit to the Recycling Centre, Liverpool

Tuesday 6th February

As part of the recycling topic the children in Year 1, Year 2 and The Eco Club will be visiting the Recycling Centre at Gilmoor, Liverpool on Tuesday 6th February. The coach, (fitted with seatbelts), will set off from school at approximately 9:30am. School will be providing the children with a packed lunch, which will be eaten at the Recycle Centre. We should arrive back at school in time for normal pick up time. School uniform must be worn, including blazers.

Year 6 Class Assembly

Monday 12th February at 9.05am

The children of Year 6 would like to invite their parents/carers to their class assembly on Monday 12th February, starting at 9:05am in the School Hall. Refreshments will be available from 8.50am. We hope that you will be able to join us.

1.45pm

HALF TERM
Mon 19th to Fri 23rd

MARCH 2018

Thur 1st

World Book Day

Mon 5th – Fri 9th

Travelling Book Fair

Tue 6th

M&M Theatre

Mon 12th

Reception Class
Assembly 9.05am

Fri 16th

Visiting Morning

Tue 20th

Easter Experience at
St Bridget's Church

Wed 21st

Parents' Evening
Meetings [Reception,
Year 1, Year 4 & Year
6]

Thur 22nd

Parents' Evening
Mee4tings [Year 2,
Year 3 & Year 5]

Fri 23rd

Nursery & Pre-School
Easter Event

Slippers For Sousli

For the week from 12th to 16th February, School Council would like to encourage your child to wear their slippers inside school. We would ask for a donation of 50p (or more) per day, or £2.50 for the week and all funds raised will go towards providing Sousli's education, in Nepal, for another year. For Health & Safety reasons, your child should come to school in their normal school shoes (which will be used for outdoor play) and their slippers can be kept in school for indoor use, during this special week.

Reception Vision & Hearing and Height & Weight Assessments Year 6 Height & Weight Assessment Tuesday 13th February

Wirral NHS will be attending school on Tuesday 13th February to undertake the Vision & Hearing and Heights & Weights Assessments for the Reception Class children in the morning and the Heights & Weights Assessments for the Year 6 children in the afternoon. Both groups of the children will also be having a 'Healthy Eating' Talk by Wirral NHS. A letter has been sent home today providing further details. If you do not wish your child to take part in the assessment or the talk please contact the NHS directly (see the letter sent home today for NHS contact details).

Parent Talk DARA Internet Safety Wednesday 14th February at 2.15pm

We will be inviting all parents to a talk by DARA on Wednesday 14th February at 2.15pm about keeping children safe when using the internet and about the children's workshop on the following day.

DARA Internet Safety Workshops Thursday 15th February

The children from Reception to Year 6 will be attending age appropriate workshops run by DARA on Thursday 15th February keeping safe online.

PTA Valentine's Children's Disco Thursday 15th February 5.30pm-7.15pm

The PTA will be holding their Valentine's Disco on Thursday 15th February from 5.30pm to 7.15pm in the school hall. **If buying tickets from the school office we kindly ask you to bring the correct ticket money.**

Mon 26th
Performing Arts
Concert

EASTER BREAK
Fri 30th Mar to Tue
17th Apr

APRIL 2018

Mon 16th
Staff INSET Day

Tue 17th
Children return to
school

MAY 2018

Mon 7th
May Day Bank Holiday

Tue 8th to Fri 11th
Year 6 Oaklands
Residential

Mon 21st
Year 2 Class Assembly
9.05am

Thur 24th to Fri 25th
Year 4 Delamere
Residential



Parent Toddler Group

This term's guest sessions at our Parent Toddler Group will include "Musical Minis" and "Splat Messy Play". Our Parent Toddler Group runs every Thursday during term time at 1.45pm. Admission is £3 which includes all activities and refreshments.

Term Dates 2017-2018 & 2018-2019

2017/2018

Spring Term

Starts	Mon 8th Jan 2018 Staff INSET Tue 9th Jan 2018 Children Return
Half-Term	Mon 19th to Fri 23rd Feb 2018
Ends	Thur 29th Mar 2018 - 12 Noon Finish
Summer Term	
Starts	Mon 16th Apr 2018 Staff INSET Tue 17th Apr 2018 Children Return
Half-Term	Mon 28th May to Fri 1 Jun 2018
Ends	Fri 6th Jul 2018 - 12 Noon Finish

2018/2019

Autumn Term

Starts	Mon 3 rd & Tue 4 th Sept 2018 Staff INSET Wed 5 th Sept 2018 Children Return
Half-Term	Mon 22nd Oct to Fri 2nd Nov 2018
Ends	Fri 14 th Dec 2018 - 12 Noon Finish
Spring Term	
Starts	Mon 7 th Jan 2019 Staff INSET Tue 8 th Jan 2019 Children Return
Half-Term	Mon 18th to Fri 22nd Feb 2019
Ends	Fri 29 th Mar 2019 – Normal Finish Time
Summer Term	
Starts	Mon 15 th Apr 2019 Staff INSET Tue 16 th Apr 2019 Children Return
Easter May Day	Fri 19th & Mon 22nd Apr 2019 Mon 6th May 2019
Half-Term	Mon 27th May to Fri 31st May 2019
Ends	Fri 12 th Jul 2019 – Normal Finish Time

School Fees and Before & After School Fees

We would be most grateful if any payments over £40 could be made either by cheque or internet banking only; details can be obtained from the school office. Thank you for your understanding and co-operation.

PTA Fundraising

HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR AVALON PTA

BY DOING YOUR NORMAL SHOPPING

Shop online with THOUSANDS of retailers and they will donate a percentage of what you spend to Avalon PTA!!



1. JOIN



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07717 315 752 or danielle.jones@salonsdirect.co.uk

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Uniform Supplier

Uniform can be purchased from Uniformity Clothing using the link below
<http://www.uniformityschools.com/>

Uniform Sizing Room opening times are:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday – 8.30am to 8.45am

Tuesday & Friday – 3pm to 4.30pm

Please call into the school office and the admin team will assist you.

Should you wish to return or exchange an item of uniform. You will need to contact Uniformity to make the arrangements. Items can then be brought to the school office ready for Uniformity to collect on a Thursday.

Cancer Research Race For Life – Wirral Pretty Muddy Kids 5K Race Saturday 30th June 2018

There's a Pretty Muddy 5K Kids Race in Birkenhead Park on Saturday 30th June. It's £10 for children to enter and adults are free. A great family event to promote fundraising for cancer. If you would like to get involved, please follow the link below to sign up.

[Wirral Pretty Muddy Kids - Sign Up](#)



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AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

WINTER OLYMPICS WEEK

Monday 5th - Friday 9th February



Juice & biscuit on arrival - Range of healthy snacks at 4:45pm