



AVALON SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 17th January 2020

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CELEBRATING ACHIEVEMENTS

This Week's Winners



St Andrew



St David



St George



St Patrick

House Points – This Week

174

113

135

130

Total House Points for the Year To-date

2267

1898

2015

1936

Merit Badges – This Week

Reception		EU	
Year 1		EP	
Year 2			HW
Year 3	LJ		HMW
Year 4		JS	
Year 5		FW	
Year 6	RW		AC

Golden Table

Rec	CS	Y1	CE	Y2	GB
Y3	HMW	Y4	SS	Y5	SJ
		Y6	GP		

Main:

Chicken Curry & Rice

Pudding:

Jam & Cream Scone



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

Wellbeing Quote of the Week



Each week we will be sharing a 'Well Being quote' with the whole school community to encourage everyone to take a little time out of their busy schedules to use mindfulness and to think about their well-being.

The best way to predict the future is to create it.

Dates for Your Diary

NEWS, NOTICES & REMINDERS

JANUARY 2020

Mon 20th

Year 4 Class

Assembly –

9.05am

Parents/Carers

Welcome!

Wed 22nd

Year 5 & Year 6

WKGS Maths

Competition

Fri 24th

Year 5 Thumbs

Up Session

Mon 27th

Year 3 Class

Assembly –

9.05am

Parents/Carers

Welcome!

Wed 29th

Year 5 Art Trip

World Museum

Liverpool

Japanese Art

Exhibition

Thur 30th

Chadwick Cup

Netball

Tournament at

Bebington Oval

Year 5 Thumbs Up Sessions

The children in Year 5 are continuing their wellbeing and mindfulness workshops run by Thumbs Up this week focusing on supporting and developing essential life skills.

The sessions will cover:

- Getting to know each other
- Understanding thoughts, feeling and behaviour
- The importance of You
- Mind over matter
- Living with happiness and positivity



Extra-Curricular Clubs

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Extra-Curricular Clubs started this week except for Big Cooks, Little Cook and Mandarin Chinese which start on Monday 20th January. If you have not already sent in your payments for these clubs, we kindly request that payments are made by Monday. Thank you.

Year 4 Class Assembly

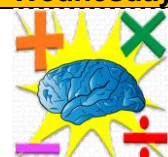
Monday 20th January at 9.05am

The children of Year 4 would like to invite you to their Class assembly on Monday 20th January starting at 9:05am in the School Hall. Refreshments will be available from 8.50am. Thank you for your support and we do hope that you will be able to join us



Year 5 & Year 6 WKGS Maths Competition

Wednesday 22nd January



Mr Ashton will be taking a team of Year 5 and Year 6 children to the West Kirby Grammar School Maths Competition on Wednesday 22nd January. Good Luck Team Avalon!

Year 3 Class Assembly

Monday 27th January at 9.05am

Fri 31st
Year 5 Thumbs
Up Session

FEBRUARY 2020

Mon 3rd
Year 6 Class
Assembly -
9.05am
Parents/Carers
Welcome

Fri 7th
Year 5 Thumbs
Up Session

PTA Meeting
2.40pm

Year 3 - Year 6
Drama Club
"Show of Work"
Performance
4.10pm
Parents/Carers
Welcome!

Sun 9th to Sat 15th
Ski Trip

**Mon 10th to Fri
14th**
Internet Safety
Week (1)

Fri 14th
School Closes for
the Half Term
Break at normal
time

**S4YC Holiday
Club Available
for
Half Term Break**



**HALF TERM
MON 17TH TO
FRI 21 FEB**

Mon 24th
Children return to
school

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Year 5 Art Trip to World Museum Liverpool Wednesday 29th January



World Museum

As part of their art studies the children in Year 5 will be visiting the World Museum Liverpool's Japanese Watercolour Exhibition on Wednesday 29th January. Look out for more details next week.

Chadwick Cup Netball Tournament at the Bebington Oval Thursday 30th January

A team of children will be representing Avalon School at an interschool Chadwick Cup netball tournament at the Bebington Oval on Thursday 30th January. More details to follow. Good Luck Team Avalon!



Pre-Loved Uniform



Thank you for your support last term. In the last year we have raised over **£550**. We will do a stock take ready for the third week of Spring Term and we will hold a couple of sales during the first half of term but if you do have any requests for uniform please email on uniformpta@gmail.com. We are very low on Nursery/Pre-School Uniform so if you have anything at home, please do drop it off at the School Office.

No Nuts in School

We kindly remind all parents that any food brought in to school should not contain nuts or traces of nuts in any form as we do have children with severe allergies within the school. We ensure that all foods and drinks prepared in school do not contain nuts, to protect all children and staff. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



No Dogs Allowed on the School Premises



For health and safety reasons please can we reminder parents/carers that dogs should not be brought on to the school premises at any time. Thank you for your support and understanding in this matter.

Uniform Supplier

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

Uniform Sizing Room will be opened upon request. Please call into the school office and one of the admin team will assist you.

Scam Emails Warning

We have been made aware by the Independent Schools Council of recent email scams involving people posing as prospective parents to try to gain access to school details including logo's, email templates etc. This information is then fraudulently used to scam parents into making payments into their accounts. If

Tues 25th
Parent E-Safety
Session
3pm

Fri 28th
Internet Safety
Sharing Assembly
9.05am
Parents/Carers
Welcome

MARCH 2020

Thur 5th
World Book Day

Mon 9th to Fri 13th
EYFS Stay & Play
Week

Wed 11th
M&M Theatre -
Wizard of Oz
Rec to Year 6

Mon 23rd
Year 2 Class
Assembly -
9.05am
Parents/Carers
Welcome

Fri 27th
EYFS Awe &
Wonder Event
2pm

Mon 30th
Parents Evening
Meetings
(Rec, Y1, Y4 &
Y6)

Tue 31st
Parents Evening
Meetings
(Y2, Y3 & Y5)

APRIL 2020

Wed 1st
Performing Arts
Concert
2pm

Fri 3rd
Year 6 Art Trip

you do receive an email of this nature or if you are unsure about an email, we would be most grateful if you could contact the school immediately.

Please be assured that our own bank account details have not and will not, for the foreseeable future, change. Avalon School does not send out emails regarding unsolicited discount rates. Any emails you receive containing invoices or statements will be sent from either accounts@avalon-school.co.uk, vellsmoor@avalon-school.co.uk or annevans@avalon-school.co.uk

Term Dates 2019-2020

2019/2020

Spring Term

Staff Training Day	Monday 6 th January 2020
Term Starts	Tuesday 7 th January 2020
Half-Term	Monday 17th to Friday 21st February 2020
Ends	Friday 3 rd April 2020 – Normal Finish Time

Summer Term

Staff Training Day	Monday 20 th April 2020
Term Starts	Tuesday 21 st April 2020
May Day	Friday 8th May 2020
Half-Term	Monday 25^h May to Friday 29th May 2020
Ends	Friday 10 th July 2020 – Normal Finish Time

2020/2021

Autumn Term

Staff Training Days	Tuesday 1 st & Wednesday 2 nd September 2020
Term Starts	Thursday 3 rd September 2020
Half-Term	Monday 19th October to Friday 30th October 2020
Ends	Tuesday 15 th December 2020 at 12 noon

Spring Term

Staff Training Day	Wednesday 6 th January 2021
Term Starts	Thursday 7 th January 2021
Half-Term	Monday 15th February to Friday 19th February 2021
Ends	Thursday 1 st April 2021 – Normal Finish Time

Summer Term

Staff Training Day	Monday 19 th April 2021
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Liverpool Tate
Gallery Optical Art
Exhibition

School Closes for
Spring Break at
the normal time

**S4YC Holiday
Club Available
for
Spring Break**



**SPRING BREAK
MON 6TH TO FRI
17TH APRIL**

Mon 20th
Staff INSET Day

Tue 21st
Children return to
School

Term Starts	Tuesday 20 th April 2021
May Day	Monday 3 rd May 2021
Half-Term	Monday 31 st May to Friday 4 th June 2021
Ends	Tuesday 13 th July 2021 – Normal Finish Time



**Should you have any concerns or suggestions,
please do not hesitate to contact us:**

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Avalon Parent Toddler Group



Creative Play • Storytelling • Adventures

Spring Term

rhythm
time



Parent Toddler Group

1.45pm to 3pm
every Thursday
during term time.

£3 per child
including refreshments

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Guest
Sessions Leaders
each week.

Come along for great
fun, toys, craft
activities and lots, lots
more!

Rhythm Time Dates

23rd January 2020
6th February 2020
27th February 2020
12th March 2020
26th March 2020

Story Explorers Dates

30th January 2020
13th February 2020
5th March 2020
19th March 2020
2nd April 2020