

Ackworth Howard

Church of England (VC) Junior & Infant School

Newsletter – Monday 3rd July 2017

Attendance

Week ending 30th June
2017:

Rainbows:	98.1%
Class 1	99.3%
Class 2	95.0%
Class 3	96.7%
Class 4	95.0%
Class 5	98.1%
Class 6	97.9%
Overall	97.1%

Attendance Champions =
Class 1
Congratulations.

Our school attendance
expectation is 97%.

Well done to everyone who
achieved this.



Reception Class Assembly

On Friday, our youngest children in school did a great job in their class assembly. It was lovely to hear them sharing their mini-beasts work, singing songs and speaking confidently in front of everyone.

Thank you to everyone who came.

Ackworth Gala

Saturday the 24th of June was the Ackworth Gala and it was our turn to crown the Gala Queen, Megan. Thank you to Mrs Thorpe and Mrs Malkin for volunteering their time to run the stall.



Old Moor Visit

Year 2 went on a trip to Old Moor last week. They discovered lots of mini-beasts and took part in various activities such as pond dipping, bird watching and the exploration of different habitats.



Values for Life

This half term in Collective Worship the children will be focusing upon the value of: **Friendship**

This week our focus will be **understanding**.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 4th July – Y1 Castle Museum York Visit.

Friday 7th July – Class 1 Assembly 9:15am.

Friday 7th July - Room on the Broom running relay at Anglers Country Park - (Years 1 and 2).

Friday 14th July – Annual Reports to Parents.

Tuesday 18th July – Year 6 Production (1:45pm and 5:15pm).

Friday 21st July – Year 6 Leavers Service (St. Cuthbert's).

Friday 21st July – Leavers Picnic.

Friday 21st July – School Closes for Summer.

Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th July – INSET Days – School Closed.

Attendance Policy

The latest version of our Attendance Policy was approved at the governors meeting on Tuesday 27th June, this can now be found on our school website or requested from school.

This policy follows government, DFE and Local Authority guidelines and laws.

Gardening Club

The gardening club have two new members. Meet Pepper and Sprout. The children had lots of fun making them.



Coram house Concert.

Year 4 and 5 enjoyed a performance of 'The Pirates of the Curry Bean' at Coram House last week. The children were invited to the Year 6 children's production.

Year 5 Taster Days

On Thursday and Friday, the children were invited to Kings & Carleton High Schools to attend their taster day events.

A variety of lessons took place in both schools to support transition arrangements. The days gave the children an opportunity to get a 'flavour' of each school and high school life.

It's a Kinda Magic Ball

Tickets are now available for the Ackworth Howard School and World Challenge IT'S A KINDA MAGIC BALL - Saturday 14 October 2017. Tickets are available in school.



Headteacher's Award

Congratulations to all of the children who were given a Headteacher's award during the last week for outstanding learning behaviour and demonstrating respect.

Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely week.

**Mr M. Walker
Headteacher**