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Ash Croft Primary Academy

Another amazing few weeks at Ash Croft Primary, where lots of learning has taken place and some magical memories have been made.



Year 6 have been taking their end of Key Stage 2 assessments and have truly made us proud! Each member of our Year 6 class have shown resilience and determination this week to do their best and we are thrilled to have you as part of our Ash Croft Team! Thank you to all the parents and teachers who have supported the children in their journey to this point! Please enjoy relaxing now after working so hard.

Year 5 delivered a fantastic assembly on their work on African singing and also paid tribute to the beautiful Eid celebrations that took place amongst many of our families last month.

In the lower Key stages, everyone has enjoyed getting started on their new Geography topics. We have had Australian outback adventures in Year 1 and understanding how to protect our planet from plastic pollution in Year 4!



*Miss E Luff
Executive Principal*

*Mrs F Scott
Head of Academy*



Important Dates

15th May—KS1 SATs week

26th May—INSET day,
school closed

29th May—2nd June
Half term holiday

12th June—Year 5 Trip

16th June—Y4 Play with the
Halle Orchestra

26th June—Theatre show in
school

27th June—Y1 & Y2 Trip

11th July—Sports Day

12th July—Summer Fair

14th July—Y5 Shakespeare
Festival

18th July—Y6 Reward Trip

19th July—End of Year
Reading reward treat

21st July—Last Day of Term



Good luck to Year 5 as they
embark on their rehearsals
for their Shakespeare
performance at Derby
Theatre in July!



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Our Wonderful Work



We have had lots of creative thinking going on at Ash Croft this past month.

Year 4 have designed and created the most fantastic ear muffs, perfect for the colder weather that we hope to be getting out of soon. They had to think about their design brief and consider lots of aspects to their products. Each one was individually created and was bespoke to the child - well done Year 4!

EYFS have started their new topic of 'Under the Sea' and have begun their singing lessons with Miss Rachel. They have thoroughly enjoyed making their own wave pools after the downpour that we have had and have been taking part in lots of outdoor activities in their forest school area.

Year 2 children have been mastering their skills at becoming 'secret agents' in preparation for their BIG MISSIONS coming up. We wish them all the best as they show how amazing they are!

The King's Coronation

We had a lovely time celebrating our new King on Friday 5th May. We ate some wonderful food, spent time together and had an afternoon of crafts! We hope you all have a lovely time celebrating over the bank holiday weekends.



Green Screen Club



Our new after school club has started and the children have already been enjoying creating various videos whilst learning how to use their new skills with a green screen.

This week, the children became news reporters and told us all about the wonderful city of Italy!

Remember, if you want to join the Green Screen Club then you just need to book on via ParentPay! Places are limited but you can snap one up if you're quick!



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