



It's the end of a short and busy week. Year 6 is now 100% ready for their SATS next week and everyone at Abbots wishes them the best. They have worked so hard and now deserve a quiet weekend. As a little thank you to Year 6 we invited Iain Green, a great photographer, to work with the children. They headed out into Abbots Langley to take photos that summarised the history of Abbots, some of which will hopefully go on display in Henderson Hub. I hope you all have a great weekend and I will see you on Monday next week.

Roger Billing

Scholastic Book Orders

Your child will be bringing home a Scholastic Book Club Magazine. If you wish to place an order this can be via school or online at

<http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/abbots-langley>

Please place your order by Monday 15th May 2017.

Books will be delivered to school and given out to the children.

Payment should be made by credit card or cheque made payable to Scholastic Ltd with the account holders name and address on the back. Unfortunately we cannot accept cash.

Abbots Langley Carnival

Parents of Year 3 children taking part in this year's Carnival request your help in donating any of the following: newspapers, purple and gold tinsel, baubles, clear plastic bottles, string, dried penne pasta, purple and gold paint. Please could you drop donations in to either of the Year 3 classrooms. Your help would be appreciated!

Lottery

We're well into the second year of our school's lottery and we'd like to send out massive congratulations to all our winners for March and April.

Fiona H, James N, Sue H, Elizabeth S, Catherine B, Roger B, Stephen W, Samra M and Stephanie K.

As a special treat this term, you could also win one of four Kindle e-readers. Simply keep on supporting us, or start supporting us today at

www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/abbots-langley-school for your chance to win this term's special giveaway. (See attached flyer for full details).

Well done to all of our winners again, and the very best of luck to you all for this weekends draw.

The Henderson Hub

The HUB is an exciting community led arts project based in the Henderson Memorial Hall. The Henderson Hub is being developed to act as a focal point for the residents (both young and old) where they can experience a range of visual, literary and performing arts and arts related activities.

If you know any children aged 8 to 12 who like to design, paint or draw, get them along to the HUB on Wednesday

31st (Half Term Week) for DESIGN A LOGO DAY. Drop in between 10:30 and 3.00 to find out what is required and produce a design for a character logo for the 2018 ABBOTS LANGLEY FESTIVAL. Art materials and refreshments provided. If it's not possible to be there on the 31st, call the HUB BOX OFFICE on 01923 601280 to find out what is needed and then drop your picture in to Signature Estates office in the village by the 29th May. For further information contact Carolyn Hill Marketing & PR, Henderson Hub www.henderson-hub.org.uk/

Appointments in School time

Please keep medical appointments in school time to a minimum. We realise this is not possible with some appointments such as the hospital or emergency Doctor's appointments. As summer approaches children spend more time in our outdoor learning areas and are disappointed when taken away from their activities.

Y1 Trip to Windsor Castle

Payment of £16.20 is now due for this trip. If you have not paid for your child's place please can you now do so by School Gateway. If your child will not be attending or if you need assistance to pay, please contact the School Office. Thank you.

Year 5 Visit to Longridge Activity Centre

The final instalment for this trip is due Monday 8th May. Please pay via the School Gateway. Thank you.

Spinners

As I am sure many of you are aware, spinners are the latest craze. I have no problem with the children having them before and after school, however, we are telling them that they are not allowed in class. We do have some children who benefit from having a spinner, or a fidget cube, however, we will provide these resources from school.

Letters out this week:

Yrs 1 & 2: (e-mail only) All Stars Cricket Flyer

Yr 5: Bikeability

Selected: Dinner money debts over £20

All: (e-mail only) AYFC Flyer & Lottery Flyer