



Friday 27th April 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Team AK Shining Brightly:

Wow, what an exhilarating and uplifting start to term 5 with our iSing pop experience. We are all working super hard in school and enjoying our time together. This is just a super brief newsletter to keep you up to date.

iSing pop was 'Amazing'

We were so incredibly grateful to host Rob and the iSing pop team at AKPS for the last week. The children and staff embraced learning the new songs and recorded them beautifully for the new cd which will be out soon. In church at the concerts I honestly could not be more proud of our school. The enthusiasm shown by the children and staff as they sang and danced their hearts out was incredible, what a team! I was incredibly impressed by the parent/family and community attendance at the concerts and was bowled over by the buzzing atmosphere in the Church. I particularly loved the whole church attempt at the 'floss' dance move, it made me smile for hours afterwards! I am happy to offer private dance move 'flossing' sessions for any who need more support now that I have learned this signature move!

The school has received some lovely feedback from the community and I have heard from my staff about lovely comments from parents/ carers about the concert. I received a beautiful and very touching letter of thanks and support which I personally really appreciated. The aim was to enjoy the project, learn 7 new Christian value songs and bring the community together for a time of uplifting happiness. I think we succeeded with this. It was truly memorable, thank you for supporting this project, it meant so much to our school and especially to me.

Teaching Vacancy

As you will be aware, Mrs Voss will be leaving us for maternity leave in the coming months. Mrs Boswell has done an amazing job covering for Mrs Voss and will continue to teach the current Year 4 class until the end of the year while Mrs Voss is off having her baby, we are very thankful to Mrs Boswell and very excited for Mrs Voss. I just wanted to update you, an advert went out over Easter for a teacher to teach Year 4 full time next academic year and we successfully interviewed for this post today. I will announce the outcome as soon as I am able to, but rest assured, we will have secured the best person possible for this post. Exciting times!

Quick message from the scouting team...

As you may be aware, we now have a scout group run from our school each week. They have asked me to share this opportunity: cont..



Scouting- Out of the office and into adventure

Here's a great opportunity to support your community, help your local Scout Group grow by joining the Groups committee.

It's a flexible role & will help us to offer amazing opportunities & skills for life to local young people.

We're looking for someone who can;

- Be part of a team and work with other people
- Be willing to follow the guidance and policies of The Scout Association & Charity Commission



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Message from School Council and Miss Redman

The school council would like to thank you all for supporting the school tuck shop initiative. They are nearing the end of their stock now and so have decided to postpone re-stocking and start afresh with stock from September. The children have been so committed to this business, running it beautifully every week and I feel it is an opportunity for them to have a rest from it for the final summer months. Thank you to all who support the tuck shop, we look forward to getting it up and running again in September.

Reminder to Year 6 parents:

If you have not yet sent your child's baby photo and Reception school photo, please do send it to Miss Perring as soon as possible as the deadline for the Y6 Leavers' book is fast approaching.

Have a super weekend and fingers crossed for some more sunshine! Thank you for your fabulous continued support.

With my kindest regards,

S.L.Saville

Mrs. Saville, Head teacher

The school calendar on the website www.akps.org.uk is loaded with dates up until the end of this academic year 2018 to help you plan ahead:

Date	Event
Tuesday 1st May	Special Breakfast Club event with Mel Tim
Wednesday 2nd May	6.30 - 9.00am BBC Wiltshire Breakfast show with AK School
Thursday 3 rd May	4.30pm Year 6 residential trip meeting for parents
Friday 4th May	TD Day - School closed
Monday 7th May	Bank Holiday - school closed
Thur10th-Sun 13th May	Malvern Show with AK School entry
Mon 14th-Thur17th	KS2 SATS week
Sunday 20 th May	3-6pm Messy church in school hall
Monday 21 st	9.00am Heroes and Heroines assembly
Tues 22 nd -Fri 25 th	Year 6 residential trip to London
Wednesday 18 th July	Moving up morning- classes get to move up and spend a morning in their new classes ready for next year.

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