



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

Friday, 20 May 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

Sports News



We have had a very busy time with sports events this week and I am very pleased to report the following successes:

Netball – Well done to the girls involved in the netball tournament on Monday. Great work led to a 2nd place finish and a **silver** for the school!

Basketball – On Wednesday, a team qualified for the local basketball final. Well done to the team, who won one match and lost a tight final!

7-a-side Hockey – A team of Y5/6 children took part in a hockey competition involving teams from across the district on Tuesday evening. With fantastic performances from the whole squad, they were able to secure a **gold** medal with a 2-0 win in the final match.

KS1 Football Festival – The KS1 children thoroughly enjoyed trying out new skills on Tuesday afternoon and were rewarded with a number of certificates that will be handed out at assembly. Well done to all those involved and we are glad you had fun. I look forward to hearing about your achievements in KS2 competitions

Dogs on school premises

As you know, I have mentioned on several newsletters regarding the expected behaviour of dogs on the school site. Unfortunately, we have once again had an instance where a small child has been harassed by a dog on school grounds, and on this occasion it jumped up and tried to take food from her hand. We have also had dog muck on school grounds recently.

These incidents, along with others in the last few months, mean that I am left with no option but to ban all dogs on school grounds. Please note: this means all dogs, even those being carried. This ban will take effect straight after half term, from Monday 6th June 2016.



Class photographs

All of our class photographs were taken yesterday and thankfully the dry weather meant that these were taken outside. As soon as the proofs arrive they will be sent home with your child, and a full-size image will be on display in your child's classroom.

Staff News

As you are aware, Mr Walker our Site Manager has recently left us. I am pleased to announce that Mr Abbs will be joining us after half term. Mr Abbs has worked in schools for a number of years and I know he will be a great addition to our team.

Attendance



Congratulations to Amarillo class who had 99.23% attendance last week. The attendance figures are great at the moment and both Rosa and Verde classes were treated to their attendance reward yesterday afternoon with a play session in the swimming pool. Rosa have had this reward twice now.

Can I also remind you that we have an inset day on Friday 27th May and we return to school on Monday 6th June 2016?

Ed Seeley

Headteacher