



## Mrs Bailey's End of Year Message

IT feels like only yesterday that I took up the position of Headteacher at ACE, the year has sped past so quickly. I feel hugely privileged to be working with your wonderful children, our fantastic team of staff and governors and yourselves as parents and carers.



As we approach the end of the school year it is a time to reflect on all that has been achieved. We started the school year with our Ofsted inspection which confirmed that we are a good school. We are working hard to continue to develop to 'be the best that we can be,' striving for excellence in all that we do so that everyone can flourish and fulfil their potential.



Our children have taken part in a wide range of extra-curricular activities such as choir concerts, music events, sporting fixtures and tournaments. We are so proud of their achievements and how well they represent our school. We are already looking at events for next year, so watch this space!



I always enjoy the times where our school community comes together as working in partnership is the best way to support and encourage our children. I hope that you have enjoyed sharing your child's work during our open afternoons and found the parent information sessions informative. In the new term I look forward to sharing with you our plans for further ways that you can be involved with your child's learning.

I would like to extend my thanks to the wonderful ACE PTA for working so hard to raise funds for us, all that you do makes such a difference to the resources that we are able to provide in school for the children. The events have been great fun for both children and adults alike, please do try and join us for these next year.

To our year 6 children and parents, good luck for your next chapter, I am sure that you will be amazing! Please keep in touch and let us know how you are getting on at secondary school.

I would like to wish you all a restful summer break, I hope that you find some time to do the things that you enjoy. I look forward to seeing you in September for another exciting year at ACE.

Mrs Bailey

## Dates for the diary

- 22nd July—Year 6 leavers service at St. Hilda's
- 23rd July **END OF TERM SCHOOL CLOSURES EARLY**  
**Reception—Y2 1.30pm and Years 3-6 1.40pm**
- 24th July—3rd **September SUMMER HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED** 
- 2nd and 3rd September **INSET DAYS—SCHOOL CLOSED**
- 4th September



- W/c 9th September—Meet the teacher meetings
- 19th September—Year 2 visit to Brooklands Museum

## So Long, Farewell .....



AS the school year draws to a close, we are really sad to be saying goodbye to one of our most longest serving members of staff. Mrs Parsons has worked in our school for 18 years and has supported most of the children that have come to this school in that time. Despite our sadness we are happy to wave her off as she leaves to spend more time with her family and her little grandson. We are sure her love of gardening and all things creative will



also be keeping her very busy in the years to come. She will be missed by all the staff and children and we wish her good luck and happiness in all that she does. Come back and see us soon!

## ....Aufwiedersehen, Goodbye

OF course we are must also say goodbye to all of our Year 6 Children. It's been a 7 year journey , ending with an amazing performance of 'Pirates of the Curry Bean' and we hope the leavers service on Monday is not too emotional!

As we wave you goodbye, we wish you every success in your secondary schools. Work hard, be the best that you can be. Don't forget to 'Believe, Achieve and Succeed'!



## Parlez-vous français?



**ON Thursday, year 4 and year 5 went outside during their French lessons to play the traditional French game of pétanque (also known as boules). They had mini tournaments in small teams, following the rules, encouraging each other and showing impressive team work.**

**Magnifique!**



# ACE Achievers



THIS weeks ACE Achievers are Thomas from Meerkat Class who is super agile and came third in his Gymnastics competition. Well done Thomas. Also we have Rose from Kangaroo Class who won a super shiny medal for a sports day race at Rainbows.

When we return to school in September we would love to know what you got up to in the Summer holiday. Why not send us a photo of what you did to [info@ashford-primary.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@ashford-primary.surrey.sch.uk) and you could feature in the first new edition of ACE's Highlights. Please put Summer photo as the subject so we can easily find them. Happy holidays!



## Gold Awards

WELL done to this half terms Gold award winners. Your exemplary behaviour and respectfulness is gold. Keep up the good work!

Perrie J— Koala Class	Irha K— Kangaroo Class	Richard W— Panda Class	Gabriel W— Tiger Class	Shabad A— Zebra Class
Nokukhanya— Giraffe Class	Lily-May H— Meerkat Class	William W— Lemur Class	Scarlett M— Elephant Class	Sam B— Rhino Class
Joshua J— Buffalo Class	Lottie P— Llama Class	George C— Panther Class	Abigail C— Leopard Class	

## House Points: Winners this week— Howard

AS you are aware our target for attendance is 96 %. As we approach the end of the school year we will be recognising the children who have reached this target during worship.

*Ace Attendance Winners of the Week*

The class with the best attendance this week is...

**INFANTS:** Koala—95.5%

**JUNIORS:** Elephant —98.8%

Our attendance target is 96%

Whole school this week 92.3%

# Our ACE

## CELEBRATION STARS OF THE WEEK

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Reason</b>
<b>Koala</b>	<b>Tiffany B</b>	<b>For always being a polite listener during learning</b>
	<b>Pippa C</b>	<b>For always being a kind friend</b>
<b>Kangaroo</b>	<b>Carter C</b>	<b>For trying really hard during the mini beast hunt</b>
	<b>Michael S</b>	<b>For excellent effort in segmenting for writing</b>
<b>Panda</b>	<b>Gabriel W</b>	<b>For his positive attitude to all his learning</b>
	<b>Vidit M</b>	<b>For fantastic story writing</b>
<b>Tiger</b>	<b>Haris B</b>	<b>For sounding out cvc words well</b>
	<b>Henry M</b>	<b>For always being a great friend to others</b>
<b>Giraffe</b>	<b>Louie</b>	<b>For having a positive attitude every day</b>
	<b>Anastasia</b>	<b>For making green card choices</b>
<b>Zebra</b>	<b>Summer B</b>	<b>For excellent effort when reading</b>
	<b>David M</b>	<b>For having an 'I can' attitude in all his learning</b>
<b>Lemur</b>	<b>Jack J D</b>	<b>For demonstrating a positive attitude in all his learning</b>
	<b>Olivia H</b>	<b>For her outstanding independent learning</b>
<b>Meerkat</b>	<b>Freddie A</b>	<b>For wonderful thoughts in our maths learning</b>
	<b>Lola R</b>	<b>For an incredible attitude in all her lessons</b>
<b>Rhino</b>	<b>Ron WH</b>	<b>For his fantastic description of his new civilisation</b>
	<b>Elsie H</b>	<b>For her amazing attitude for learning.</b>
<b>Elephant</b>	<b>Faliha</b>	<b>For great work in co-ordinates in Math</b>
	<b>Joey C</b>	<b>Great ideas in new civilisations in English</b>
<b>Llama</b>	<b>Alfie R</b>	<b>Fantastic comic strip on the human life cycle</b>
	<b>Finlay F</b>	<b>For his hard work and positive attitude in all his learning</b>
<b>Buffalo</b>	<b>Jorja B</b>	<b>Excellent writing in English using a variety of adverbials</b>
	<b>Amelia S</b>	<b>Working hard to become more independent in her learning</b>
<b>Leopard &amp; Panther</b>	<b>Whole Class</b>	<b>For a fantastic effort performing their end of year production</b>