(35) ABP Newsletter 3rd July 2026

Arthur Bugler Primary School

This week has flown by.

We have been delighted with the transition activities taking place this week.

Well done year 6 on your visits to your new schools- you have already made us proud and we know that this will continue as you start at your new schools in September.

The rest of the school have been visiting their new classes and meeting their new teachers. The pen portraits were a real success and some of our students have made their own versions of themselves to share with their new teachers. We will ensure that any children or staff absent will have an opportunity to meet their new people next week.

We have everything crossed for an England win in their next match. School will be open as normal on Monday but we will be keeping the registers open til 10:00am on Monday Morning. If your child is attending the infant music festival they MUST be here at the usual time please.

Uniform Policy- We have updated the Uniform Policy ready for September- please take the time to have a look and review. Please email any comments to the admin@abp.coop email address

A scooter has been taken home by the wrong child. Please can you check carefully that you only have your child's scooter and return this if it has been mistakenly taken.

Have a nice weekend,

Mrs. Matthews

Head of School

Class dojo

Winning team - We are rolling these over to next week. We handed out last week's certificates from last week during Wednesday's assembly

PE & Sports update

DP World Beyond Boundaries Day at SLH CC

Last Tuesday our school was invited to attend the 'Beyond Boundaries' Day at Stanford le Hope Cricket Club to celebrate the official opening of the clubs new net facilities which have been sponsored by DP World.

The 11 selected children took part in a coaching masterclass and Q&A session with former England World Cup winner Ebony Rainford-Brent MBE and were presented with an individual kit bag containing a new bat, gloves, pads and helmet!

It was a wonderful occasion enjoyed by the local community and huge thanks go to Andrew Robinson at Stanford CC for coordinating our attendance at the event!

In addition, the school were given 4 pairs of tickets to attend the England Women's World Cup match vs West Indies at Lord's the following day. Thenuli, Jonty, Blake and Louie has an amazing experience at the home of cricket and watched a stunning England victory!

1 - 11 of our pupils receiving their incredible new cricket equipment thanks to DP world and Stanford-le-Hope Cricket Club!

2 - 4 of our Year 4 and 5 pupils got to soak up the World Cup atmosphere at Lord's last week cheering on our women's team!

Sports Kit Return

Please could **ALL** sports kit be returned to Mr Heard before the end of the school year or as soon as possible.

I am in the process of sorting the kits so they are ready for next year.

I need all of the old and new netball dresses, skirts and tops please.

All white cricket shirts (unless playing in an upcoming match)

All remaining football kits (Year 4, A & B team boys and girls)

The following numbers are still missing:

Boys A (yellow and green halves - Steamly the Best sponsor)

6,11,14

Girls A (yellow and green halves - Site Acres sponsor)

1,5,6,7,8,10,12,15

Boys and Girls B (All green)

1,3,3,4,4,6,8,9,10,11

Thank you. Mr Heard.

Mersea Residential 2026

Last week 45 of our Year 6 pupils attended our residential trip to Mersea Island. The children enjoyed a range of challenging activities including the giant swing, rock climbing, archery and pedal karts! They embraced the camping experience and enjoyed 3 glorious days of sunshine!

They had a fantastic time and made lasting memories. Huge thanks go to Mrs Lucey, Miss McGoldrick, Mrs Matthews, Mrs Coates and Mrs Dodd for supporting the children so well on this year's trip!

Once again the children represented the school incredibly well and made us all incredibly proud.

Mr Heard.

3 - Mersea 2026 was another huge success!

Uniform Policy

Please click the following link to access the updated uniform policy.

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Year 6 Leavers Fair

On Tuesday 14th of July the school will be holding its annual Leavers' fair for Year 6. The children have put themselves into small groups and are busy designing their stalls. Each year group will then come and buy sweets, drinks or play the games the children have designed. Please note we are running a ticket exchange system and no money will change hands at the stalls. Children from each year group will be asked to bring in £1 or £2 in exchange for tickets to use at the stalls. Each item sold or activity (e.g. knock down the cans) will cost 1 or 2

tickets and each ticket will be worth 20p. The children in other year groups will have a maximum limit of £2 to spend. All money raised will go towards charities chosen by the pupils. This year we are asking that the children bring in cash to give to their class teacher (not the office) in exchange for their tickets. No online payment will be set up. So to we ensure we are allergy-sensitive all 'treats' used as prizes or sold will be shop-bought and sealed with listed ingredients.

If you have any questions please contact Mr Heard or Miss McGoldrick via the school office. Many thanks in advance for supporting this special event.

Congratulations - out of school achievements

*4 - **Diving Success!***

Huge congratulations go to Lily in Year 6 who competed in the Swim England Diving Championships for her age group in Birmingham. Lily competed on 3 boards as well as competing in the synchro. She competed against 23 girls from around the country who had qualified for this event.

She is now the National champion on 1 metre springboard and 5 metre Platform winning gold on both and won silver on 3 metre springboard. She also won gold in the synchro with her partner!

This is truly an incredible achievement and the result of a lot of dedication, hard work and sacrifice. Well done Lily!

Co-operative Values

Osborne
Co-operative Academy Trust

- **Self Help** - We use our own efforts and resources to achieve things without relying on others.
- **Self Responsibility** - We understand that we are answerable and accountable for our actions.
- **Democracy** - We understand that everyone should be treated equally and has an equal voice and right to contribute.
- **Solidarity** - We support each other and work together to achieve a goal.
- **Equality** - We ensure that everyone is treated fairly, equally and with respect.
- **Equity** - We demonstrate attitudes and behaviours which are fair and unbiased.