

## Anglesey Parent Newsletter Week 34



### Message from Mr. Pembleton

*As the FIFA World Cup captures the attention of millions around the world, it serves as a reminder of the importance of teamwork, resilience and striving for success. As we begin the final half-term of the academic year, we enter one of the busiest and most important periods in the school calendar. Thank you for your continued hard work, commitment and professionalism. By working together and remaining focused on our values of Ambition, Pride and Success, we can ensure every child finishes the year with positive memories and a strong sense of achievement. Wishing good luck to England, and any other country that our community are cheering on!*

#Ambition #Pride #Success

### Important Dates This half term. (More dates will be added)

**Monday 8th June & Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June**  
3P Bellboating

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June & Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June**  
Year 3 Brighthouse Residential

**Week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> June**  
Assessment Week for years 1-6

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**  
4I Library Visit

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June**  
Resource Base trip to Brighthouse

### Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July

Year 6 visits to Secondary School

### Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

Reception Sports Day

### Monday 6th July & Monday 13th July

3PC Bellboating

### Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July

2B Library visit

### Tuesday 7th July

Year 5/6 girls football tournament

### Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July

Reports issued to parents

### Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July (3:30pm–5:00pm)

Parent Drop-In Session - This is an opportunity talk to our child's teacher, and meet their new teacher.



### Attendance Success – National Recognition! ★★ ★

We are delighted to share that Anglesey Primary School has been awarded the **FFT National School Attendance Award** for the Spring Term 2025/26.

This award recognises schools with outstanding attendance and places Anglesey within the **top 25% of similar primary schools in England**.

This achievement reflects the collective efforts of our pupils, families and staff, who work together every day to ensure children attend school regularly and are able to benefit from every learning opportunity. We know that good attendance is one of the most important factors in helping children achieve their full potential.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support. This is a fantastic achievement and one that our whole school community can be proud of.

I am also delighted to share that whole-school attendance has now reached **95.1%** for the academic year. This is a fantastic achievement and reflects the commitment of our pupils, families and staff. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring children attend school regularly and arrive on time each day.

## End Of Year School Report

### End of Year Reports

Teachers are busy working on the end of year reports. These reports will be sent to parents on **Friday 10th July**.

This year, reports will include new information about your child's **effort** and **progress**, providing a clearer picture of their achievements and learning journey throughout the year.



## Early Years Arrangements

### New Early Years Arrangements for September

We are excited to announce some changes to our Early Years provision from September.

Nursery will move into the Reception Unit, creating enhanced opportunities for continuous provision, free-flow learning and smoother transitions between Nursery and Reception.

Willow Class will also move into larger accommodation within the Infant building, providing increased space and improved opportunities for learning, including outdoor activities.

These changes will help us make the very best use of our facilities and further enhance the learning experiences we provide for our children.

We currently have places available in our Nursery and Reception at Anglesey Primary School and welcome children from **as soon as they turn 3 years old**.

We offer a **flexible range of free Nursery provision**, from 15 hours up to 30 hours for eligible children, giving families greater choice to suit their needs. Our Nursery provides a strong start to early learning in a caring, nurturing and inclusive environment.

If you know of any families still looking for a school place for September, applications must be made online via Birmingham City Council:



[https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/20119/school\\_admissions/1786/apply\\_for\\_reception\\_primary\\_school](https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/20119/school_admissions/1786/apply_for_reception_primary_school)

If you would like more information, or know a family who may be interested, please speak to the Infant Office.





## Grammar School Tests for September 2027

Registration is now open for parents of current Year 5 pupils who would like their child to sit the entrance test for a place at a grammar school in Birmingham or the West Midlands, for entry into Year 7 in September 2027.

Parents can register online using the website below:

[www.westmidlandsgrammarschools.co.uk](http://www.westmidlandsgrammarschools.co.uk)

The closing date for registration is 4.00pm on Friday 26th June 2026.

The entrance test will take place on Saturday 12th September 2026.

Please speak to Mr Pembleton or Rose if you want more information.



Are you local to Villa Park and interested in finding out about jobs and other opportunities?

- Learn about match day and event jobs at Aston Villa
- Find out about the construction of the new North Stand and job opportunities
- Information on free training and skills courses in sport, hospitality and catering
- Find out about the Foundation's free activities for local children and young people
- Input into community usage plans for the Sports Illustrated Warehouse facility

Date: Thursday 25th June

Time: 4 - 7pm

Cost: FREE (No booking required)

Location: Sports Illustrated Warehouse  
Villa Park, Witton Lane  
Aston, B6 6HE



### Aston Villa Community Open Day

Aston Villa Foundation is hosting a **Community Open Day** at the Sports Illustrated Warehouse, Villa Park, for local residents interested in employment, training and community opportunities.

Visitors will have the chance to:

- Learn about matchday and event job opportunities at Aston Villa
- Find out about employment opportunities linked to the new North Stand development
- Access information about free training, skills and catering courses
- Discover activities and programmes available for local children and young people
- Share ideas about future community use of the Sports Illustrated Warehouse

**Thursday 25th June**

**4:00pm – 7:00pm**

**Sports Illustrated Warehouse, Villa Park, Witton Lane, Aston, B6 6HE**

**Free to attend – no booking required**

This is a fantastic opportunity for local families to explore employment, training and community opportunities right on our doorstep.





## Assembly Theme 🚗

This half-term, our assemblies continue to follow the adventures of **Bolt and Gull** as they explore what it means to be successful.

This week's story focused on the importance of practice and perseverance. Bolt's wheels did not work properly at first, but by learning from mistakes and continuing to try, he eventually succeeded. Children were encouraged to remember that success often comes from effort, determination and not giving up when things feel difficult.

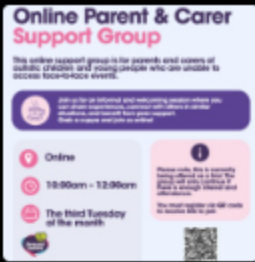
Thank you for your continued support.

## Lozells Youth Club and Community Activities

Families may be interested in a range of free community activities taking place at Lozells Methodist Community Centre. Opportunities include a Youth Club, football sessions, fitness activities, women's yoga and homework support. The programme aims to provide safe, inclusive and engaging opportunities for young people and families, helping to promote wellbeing, positive relationships and community involvement.


For further information or to register, please contact Ahead International on **07984 881003** or email [info@aheadinternational.org.uk](mailto:info@aheadinternational.org.uk).

A promotional flyer for Lozells Youth Club. The top left section says 'FREE REGISTRATION NOW OPEN' and features logos for 'AHEAD INTERNATIONAL' and 'COMMUNITY FUND'. The main title 'LOZELLS YOUTH CLUB' is in large white letters on a red background, accompanied by a megaphone icon. Below the title, it lists the schedule: 'MONDAYS: 4:30PM - 6:00PM' and 'SATURDAYS: 10:00AM - 11:00AM'. The top right section says 'STARTING MONDAY 4 MAY' with a magnifying glass icon. The middle right section provides the address 'LOZELLS METHODIST COMMUNITY CENTRE, 163 Gerrard Street, Lozells, Birmingham B19 2AH', the phone number '07984 881003', and the email 'info@aheadinternational.org.uk', along with a QR code. The bottom right section features a shield icon and the text 'Providing safe, inclusive and engaging opportunities for young people and families in the Lozells community.' The footer states 'OPEN TO ALL YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 11-18 YEARS' and 'Sessions are free. Registration is required.'



## Autism West Midlands – Online Parent & Carer Support Group

Parents and carers of autistic children and young people are invited to join a free online support group hosted by Autism West Midlands. The sessions provide an opportunity to connect with other families, share experiences and access peer support in a welcoming and informal environment.

 **Third Tuesday of every month**

 **10:00am – 12:00pm**

 **Online**

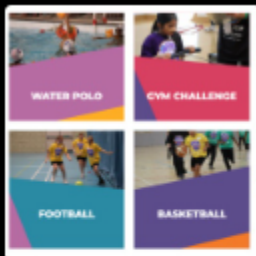
Places must be booked in advance. Please scan the QR code on the poster for further information and registration details.



## Peer Mediation Training at Holte School

A group of our UKS2 pupils recently visited Holte School to take part in Peer Mediation Training. Throughout the day, pupils developed their communication, listening and problem-solving skills, learning how to support others in resolving disagreements positively and respectfully.

The children represented Anglesey brilliantly, demonstrating our values of **Ambition, Pride and Success** throughout the visit. We are incredibly proud of their maturity, enthusiasm and commitment to helping create a positive school community.



## Titan Olympics Competition Success 🏆

A huge congratulations to our UKS2 team, who recently represented Anglesey at a local sports competition. The children demonstrated incredible determination, teamwork and resilience throughout the day, showing our value of **Ambition** in every event they took part in.

The team achieved an outstanding **2nd place**, narrowly missing out on first place by just three points. More importantly, they were fantastic ambassadors for our school, displaying excellent sportsmanship, encouragement and respect throughout the competition.

We are incredibly proud of every pupil who took part. They were a real credit to Anglesey Primary School and thoroughly deserved their medals and certificates. Well done, everyone! 🎉



## The Big Future – Children's Commissioner Survey

The Children's Commissioner for England is inviting children and young people to take part in **The Big Future Survey**.

The survey gives children an opportunity to share their views, experiences and hopes for the future, helping to inform national decisions that affect young people across the country.

We would encourage families with children in Upper Key Stage 2 to consider taking part together at home.

Further information and access to the survey can be found here:

[www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture](http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture)

## Online Safety



## Online Safety – Scammers and Digital Footprints



This month's online safety focus is **Scammers and Digital Footprints**. As children spend more time online, it is important that they understand how to stay safe and make positive choices when using games, apps, social media and websites.

The video explores:

- How scammers can target young people online
- Ways to identify suspicious messages, links and offers
- The importance of a positive digital footprint
- How online actions and posts can leave a lasting impression
- Practical tips to help children stay safe online

We encourage all parents and carers to take a few minutes to watch this short video with their child and discuss how to stay safe online together. The video provides a useful starting point for conversations about responsible and safe use of technology.

**Watch the video here:**

[Scammers and Digital Footprints – June 2026 Video](#)