



# The Anchor News

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20th March 2015

Hello everyone,

Thank you all for supporting us in keeping the children safe during the eclipse. I know that many children watched the eclipse in India the night before on TV. Some children knew a lot about how it could damage your eyes from their work in Year 5 in Science week. We were even featured in the Evening Mail as being one of the few schools who warned parents of the dangers of looking directly at the sun. Check us out:

<http://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/uk-solar-eclipse-2015-headteacher-8876002>

Have a great weekend everyone - see you on Monday!

Sue Simmons, Principal.



## Thank You

So as a school we managed to raise £462.73 from the sale of noses and cakes. Add that to the £57.77 raised from wearing red and in total your support and generosity helped us to raise an amazing

**£520.50**



## Don't Forget

Tues 24th Year 2 SATs  
Parent Workshop  
9:30am - 10:30 am

Wed 25th Awards Assembly  
9:15am - 10am

Thurs 26th Year 1 Phonics  
Screening Workshop  
9:15am - 10:30am

Thurs 26th Easter Church Service  
starts at 1:30pm

**FRIDAY 27TH  
MARCH 2015**

## Community Open Day

As in previous years the school is **closed for teaching** but we want you to take this opportunity to come along, meet with your child's teachers and have a look at the work achieved this year in school. No appointments necessary!

## Easter Church Service

1:30pm

On Thursday the whole school is off to Aston Parish to enjoy their Easter service.

EYFS will be taken by mini bus and the KS1 and KS2 children will walk to the Church.

If you are able to help supervise the children on their walk to the church please speak to your child's class teacher.

Parents and families are welcome

## Nativity DVD

Firstly we would like to apologise for the huge delay in getting this out; the joys of technology! But we persisted and have this week managed to get the Nativity off the video recorder. If you would like a copy of the Nursery and Reception Nativity then please come to the Office from Monday onwards. The cost will be £2 each or two for £3.



## Calling all good Samaritans!

Do you have an hour to spare on Friday 27th March? If so come along to St. Clement's Community Open day and volunteer your services to help paint some of the outdoor furniture in the Early Years Outdoor area. We would really appreciate any help and it would be a chance to show off some creative flair! If you think you would be able to spare some time could you please let Miss Shryane or the office know.

Thanks. Early Years Team.

Look out for the information leaflet about the day coming home with pupils next week

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# ★ Shining Star Awards March 2015 ★

	Reading		Writing		Mathematics	
Nursery	Ellis Critchley		Dante Codling		Mohammed Hassan	
Reception	Mosara Adam	Raiyaan Faheem	Javious Rowe	Humayra Azad	Jifan Zhu	Mona Alawad
	Zariah Copeland-McEwan	Basil Gbreel	Samir El Hag	Eghlls Haroun	Kia Stanley	Mohammed Zain
	Ahmed El Sadig	Manasik Ismail	Maryam Fatima	Eesaa Yasir	Mohammed Sherdeen Hussain	Lyla Critchley
	Zaara Hussain	Aleksander Machlaj	Mohamed Adam	Sianna Paulo	Mya Shaw	Isa Akbar
	Jayne Bennett	Damon Chen	Malaz Ismail	Suffah Butt	Akram El hag	Samar Shahbaz
	Laila Ishaq	Jaweria Sheraz	Hamza Mahee	Muhammad Tayyib	Hafsah Mir	Mohammed Hasnain Sajad
	Kyle Trappett	Elise Ford	Ludan Alawad	Matusala Efrem	Najma Ismail	Robel Mebahtom

## Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) Log in Details

We will be sending all parents/guardians a letter from eSchools containing your parent/guardian login detail for use to access our eSchools VLE. They will be given to your child in a sealed envelope before the end of next week.

Once logged in you will be able to see your child's attendance, a calendar with important dates and a separate class page which will allow you to see what homework and projects your child has been set.

The main screen will also have a short cut to the app store or Google play, where you will be able to download the mobile version of eSchools.

### Community Open Day Workshop

If you would like to come along and seek assistance or ask any questions we will be holding a VLE workshop between 10am - 12pm during the Community Open Day. If you do want to attend please make sure you remember to bring your log in details.

## Science Week

Science week has been hugely successfully with parent workshops being well supported. Year 3 had parents timing, measuring and investigating whether people with the longest femur ran fastest, whilst Year 5 had parents helping the children to investigate whether a different coloured lens affected how far you could see. The children thoroughly enjoyed having parents learning alongside them.



Mrs Harris  
Assistant Vice Principal, Science Lead



### Catering Assistant for Aspens Services

Based at **St. Clement's C. of E. Academy**, this is a great opportunity to work within a small team, providing a quality catering service within a primary school.

We are looking for a confident person with a friendly personality and good customer service skills.

Reporting to the Catering Supervisor, general duties include some basic food preparation, cleaning duties and serving from the counter. Catering experience is not essential as full training will be given.

All job offers will be subject to successful DBS.

Term time only  
10 Hours per week - 11:30 to 13:30  
£7.45 per hour

For further information and application pack please call Martin Garland on 07768 646 670

### Job Vacancy —> Lunchtime Supervisor

This is a permanent position which involves supervising children in the dining hall and school playground.

The position is 7.5 hours a week  
(1.5 hours a day)

If you are interested in joining us please feel free to ask for an application form from the office.

Closing date: Monday 13th April



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