

NEWSLETTER



**ARK Blacklands
Primary Academy**

TERM 45 WEEK 1

15TH APRIL 2016



ARK Blacklands Art Exhibition

The PTA team held an Art Exhibition showcasing Reception, Year 1 and Year 2's work on Wednesday. Both Parents and children were very proud to see the amazing art on display. The exhibition for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be held on Wednesday the 18th May, from 3pm to 5.30pm. If you missed your child's exhibition and would like to buy their picture, you can email Lucy at lucy@minimasterworks.co.uk or attend the KS2 exhibition, where the unsold prints will be available.



**Things that
make me
smile...**

Seeing the children dressed up in their pirate costumes!



Attendance

Overall attendance was 95.1% for the week.

Top performers:

Early Yrs	Picasso	95.9%
KS 1	King Smith	96.9%
LKS2	Archimedes	96.7%
UKS2	Pankhurst	96.3%



Ahoy me hearties!

The children in Year 4 had a great day today dressed up as pirates, as they have been studying the classic tale Treasure Island. The day was filled with lots of typical pirate activities which also raised money for children with cancer. Many thank to Parents and Carers for their donations and help.



Sports Relief



Congratulations to **Rosie Willoughby** from Year 3 who swam 40 lengths in aid of Sports Relief. The swim, which took Rosie one hour to complete, raised a total of £180 for the charity.

Well done Rosie!



Coming soon... Mrs Bolton, our Parent and Communications Advisor, will soon be announcing two courses for parents: A creative crafts course and how to support your child with numeracy. We will let you know the details when available.

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 19 April..... Yr 5 Astrodome visit
9 to 13 May..... SATS week
Wednesday 18 May, 3pm-5.30pm..... KS2 Art Exhibition