

# NEWSLETTER



**ARK Blacklands  
Primary Academy**

TERM 1, WEEK 3

3RD OCTOBER 2014



## Bailey Time!

Kit Walker - Oliver, a pupil who joined us through the Cotton Tree, has worked really hard this term. His chosen reward was a 10 minute walk with Bailey, a Cavalier King Charles Spaniel.

Kit did a tremendous job, holding onto the lead at all times and engaging well with the puppy during the walk. I don't know who enjoyed it more...Bailey or Kit!

## Swimming refunds



Please collect your swimming refunds from the office, if you haven't already done so. Refunds are available for all parents who paid the full contribution to swimming costs last year. After-school swimming club continues on a Thursday afternoon and swimming for all pupils will recommence in Term 5.

## Parent Consultations

Parent consultations will take place during the last week of term. Sign up sheets will be available from Wednesday next week in the hall 9am to 9.15am and 3pm to 3.15pm. Please sign up for a consultation with your class teacher at a time that suits you. The earlier you book the more available time slots there will be. If you are unable to come into school to make the appointment, please contact the office who will make an appointment on your behalf.

This is an opportunity to meet with the class teacher to discuss your child's progress so far and their next step targets. Appointments are available Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday until 5pm and Thursday until 7.30pm. Mr Hawthorne, Inclusion Manager, is also available should you wish to meet with him.

### KEY DATES

#### October

8th	LGB Meeting
9th	Girls Football Tournament
10th	PTA Family Disco
20th	Harvest Festival
21st	Parent Consultations
22nd	Parent Consultations
23rd	Parent Consultations
24th	Parent Consultations
24th	End of Term

#### November

3rd	INSET
4th	Pupils return
4th	New intake tours
5th	New intake tours
6th	New intake tours
7th	New intake tours
8th	PTA Fireworks

## PTA Family Disco

**Friday 10th October**

**6.30 - 8pm**

**All parents welcome!**

This is a chance for parents new to the school to come and meet other parents and members of the PTA.

All children must be accompanied by an adult.

