

## Newsletter



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Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Staff,

Newsletter Date: 26/01/2024

We have had a really busy week here at Allesley. It has been lovely to hear our choir practice for their Royal Albert Hall trip in July. This week 100% attendance awards have gone out to celebrate childrens attendance for the Autumn term its wonderful to celebrate the children's achievements with them. Good luck to our girls and boys football teams as they are playing tonight we will update you with the score next week.

Thanks to everyone who attended this week's PTA AGM we had some really positive discussions about how best to spend the funds you've helped us raise. We'll update once we've talked in more detail with Mrs Hoey and her team. We also agreed the current Committee will continue in post but with the aim of transitioning to new members. We are pleased that there has been interest in the Treasurer and Vice Chair roles. We are following up with parents and will confirm shortly.

**Dinner money** please make sure your child's dinner money is up to date. We would like to take this opportunity to remind all parents/carers that school dinners must either be paid for on the day the school dinner is taken or in advance. You can also pay half termly or termly.

Casual Lunchtime Supervisor we are looking to recruit casual lunchtime supervisors to join our friendly team. If you are interested in the position please contact the school office for more information.

Year 3 Romans Workshop & Year 4 Saxons Workshop we have organised 'Portals to the Past' to come into school to deliver a Romans & Saxons Workshop for the children in Years 3 & 4. During the all-day visits, the children will have the opportunity to take part in a variety of exciting and interactive activities. We would love the children to dress up in Roman & Saxon costumes to really get into character. Please find below the dates and costs of the workshops.

Year 3 - Romans Workshop, Tuesday 20th February 2024. Cost: £7.50, payment deadline Monday 5th February 2024

Year 4 - Saxons Workshop, Tuesday 12th March 2024. Cost: £9.00, payment deadline Monday 26th February 2024.

Can we please ask that payment is made via the 'My Child At School' online payment system

Have a lovely weekend

L Loey

Headteacher



## New Clubs

Monday - Trampolining - KS2 - Outside agency - meet in hall Tuesday - Football - Years 1 & 2 - Mr Johnson - meet in hall Wednesday - Nerf Wars - KS2 - Outside agency - meet in hall Thursday- Girl's Football - KS2 - Mr Knight - Meet in Y3 clock room Friday - No club's

Starting week beginning 8th Jan and ending week beginning 5th Feb 24.



#### Poppy's thought of the week...

The first dog is the dog who gives you so much that the first dog is often the reason for the second dog.

# Recommended Reads



Year 2 Whatever next by Jill Murphy recommended by Wren P

Year 3 The BFG by Roald Dahl recommended by Cleo

Year 4 Gangsta Granny by David Walliams recommended by Emily W

Year 5 The Wizards of Once by Cressida Cowell recommended by Leonardo N

Year 6 Savage by David Almond recommended by Rico B



Attendance

Week 15th — 19th January 2024

Highest Miss Fossey Year 3 class 99.29% Attendance.

Whole school 96.08%!

Our school percentage is above the National average

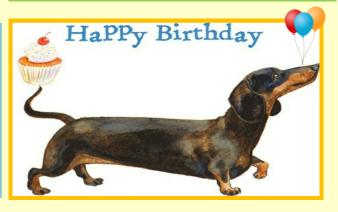


Mrs Hoey's resident Mouse has taken down his Christmas decorations and overnight he has made a beautiful spring display, just outside his front door. I hope he cut's the grass regularly to keep it neat and tidy just like our school. His grass was kindly donated by 'Floors For All' on the Allesley Old road who have a fantastic range of flooring!

Iris P Year 1
Sofia W Year 6
Amelia M Year 1
Calum W Year 2

Amalia 5 Year 1
Ariana C Year 6
Oscar K Year 1







### Celebrating our week





This week in Reception we have made and decorated Gingerbread people to go with our learning about traditional tales. We measured and weighed the ingredients, rolled out the dough, and used the cutter to make the shape. We were lucky that our gingerbread people didn't run away!



Year 4 became detectives during English, after their classroom was ransacked by a mysterious monster. They investigated items of evidence from the crime scene and used expanded noun phrases to best describe each item.



Year 6 This week in Geography we have been looking at the different mountain ranges in the United Kingdom. We used an atlas to help us identify higher ground. We also created our own contour model which uses lines to show how steep a mountain is.



As artists, Year 3 have enjoyed exploring prehistoric art. They have experimented with pigments in natural products to make a prehistoric paint pallet.





**Year 1** enjoyed a great tennis lesson with a coach this week.

In **Year 5** science, we have been studying forces and created boats to sail across the water. We timed them and noted the water resistance.





In Nursery the children have really enjoyed playing skittles. Using their physical skills to roll the ball then using their maths skills to count how many they'd knocked over, record this on the board then count how many they'd knocked over altogether.

**Year 2** have had great fun inventing their own melodies and recording these using letter notation.