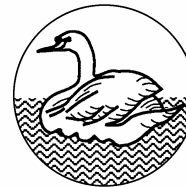


Aldersbrook Primary School



Headteacher:
Mr. Alan Wright

Spring term

NEWSLETTER

1st February 2008

Healthy Schools Week

We have had a very enjoyable and appetising week finding out about healthy foods, and ways to stay healthy. The Redbridge Healthy Schools team has been here working with classes and groups of children inspiring them to be creative and think healthily when planning meals. The after school Fair on Thursday was a great success, thanks to Mr Dobson, staff and parent helpers and the children who stayed to assist. Many thanks to everyone who bought tickets and came to support!

Let's hope these were real "lessons for life".

Parking

Thank you to everyone who has responded positively to the questionnaires being issued by the Safer Neighbourhoods team. We hope this will give us some useful feedback and effective ways forward to improve safety outside school.

Some parents have offered to help and Jill Kitson and Amie Proffitt would be glad to hear from you on 8721 2796, or just contact Mr Wright and we will set up a meeting with the team in the near future.

Aldersbrook Community Choir

The Community Choir are presenting "An Evening of Romance" at St Gabriel's Church on Sunday 10th February at 7.30pm. Admission £5 adults; £1 children.

Charity Quiz

Rose Hensman and Suzanne Bench are organising a Quiz Night on behalf of Heart UK on Saturday 16th February at the Bowls Club. Please contact either of them on 020 8925 6778; 07889 778562 or 0208 530 8668 Or 07914 866109

Disability Equality Scheme

Thank you to everyone who has returned completed questionnaires. The working party will meet again soon to consider your comments and plan for any necessary improvements. Details of our plans will be notified on the school web-site.

Golden Book Awards

This week's awards went to Christopher Miell and Myles Mardell of 3T; Isobel Mills of 3R; Joy Carrieman and Aidan Rowley O'Donnell of 2M; Elizabeth Makhubela and Atas Mohammed of 2B; Tarun Bhaskaron and Kaci Tasnley of 1R; Mubaarak Khan and Joe Thompson of 1S; Well done everyone!

Healthy Eating Week:

Congratulations to the following children who won the dressing up competition that took place as part of Healthy Schools Week:

Year 1: Elsa Arnold (Pumpkin), Ilina Jha (Banana). Year 2: Amber Edwards (Strawberry), Shona Archard Scott (Marrow). Year 3: Teddy Collins (Super Carrot!), Abdul Khan (Carrot).

A big thank you to all the year six children that organised and ran the assembly and well done to all the children in the school who dressed up!

A huge thank you to everyone who helped with our Healthy Eating Fair on Thursday, especially all the Mr Willis, Mr Mole, Mrs Gharu and all the other Support Staff that helped out. And last but certainly not least Carol Bowe and her team. We had a wonderful time tasting different healthy foods and all came away feeling very full up!

Healthy Schools Quiz Winners

Michael Bove and James Walton of 5F; Grace Miell and Charlotte Bonney of 5D; Katherine Ereira of 3T and Jayden Cunningham Turner of 1S.

Raffle Winners

Alex Edwards of 4G; Nicole Panayiotou of 2M and Gurdev Singh of RD

P.T.A. UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who attended last weeks P.T.A. Meetings, your support, encouragement and enthusiasm was greatly appreciated!

Many Thanks to all of the Children who performed at Perry Lodge's Tea Party last Monday and also to the Children and Parents who served the Residents with tea and cakes!

COMING UP THIS HALF TERM :-

VALENTINES BREAKFAST CLUB

Details of 'Aldersbrook's Valentines Breakfast Club' will be coming out shortly. Many thanks to the parents who are organising this popular event!

Y5 & Y6 – VALENTINES DISCO

DATE : THURSDAY, 14TH FEBRUARY

TIME : 6.00 – 8.00PM (to be confirmed)

VENUE : MAIN HALL

We would like to say a big THANK YOU to the parents who have volunteered to organise this event. Y5 & Y6 Children will be informed how much tickets cost and when / where they can buy them next week. Please do not ask at the School Office for them – Thanks!

HALF TERM - BOOK REVIEW COMPETITION

All children will receive a 'Book Review' and details on how to enter the 'Book Review Competition' before Spring Half Term. All entries must be handed in by Friday, 29th February. Please remember to write your name and class on your entry. The Book Reviews will be judged at the beginning of March and a prize will be awarded for the best Boy's and Girl's Book Review from each Year Group. Winning Entries will be displayed in Aldersbrook Library.
