



Alkrington Primary School Newsletter Thursday 10th March



Monday 14th March

Cross Country – 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Year 5 & 6 Art Club – 3.15pm to 4pm

Tuesday 15th March

Football – Years 3 & 4 – 3.15pm to 4.15pm
KS2 Homework Club – 3.15pm to 4pm
'B' Team football match at home v Bowlee Primary School

Wednesday 16th March

Year 6 Height & Weight checks
School Dance Group to Rochdale Music and Arts Festival - am
Eco Club — 3.15pm to 4pm
Hockey — 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Girls' Football KS2 – 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Choir practice — 3.15pm to 4pm
Year 3 & 4 Art Club – 3.15pm to 4pm
Netball match (away) v Parkfield Primary School

Thursday 17th March

Y5 & 6 Boys' Football – **CANCELLED DUE TO RUGBY TOURNAMENT**
Netball – 3.15pm to 4.15pm
KS2 ICT Club – 3.15pm to 4pm
Tag Rugby tournament at St Mary's RC Primary School

Friday 18th March

Rugby – 3.15pm to 4.15pm

Attendance Ted was won by RW who had 99% attendance- well done!!



On Time Ted was shared by 1B and RW who had no children late for school - well done!!

Book Fair Competition

Thank you to everyone who took part in our competition.

There were some fantastic entries!! Here are the lucky winners: -

Nursery – Olivia Makin, Harry Ireland.

Reception – Muaz Subhani, Oliver Hill.

Year 1 – Noah Peavoy Lee, Zurain Subhani.

Year 2 – Viktor Triantafyllidis, Alexander Topham.

Year 3 – Ella Gilliburn, Toby Farrington.

Year 4 – Caleb Perrott, Katerina Edwards.

Year 5 – Imogen Chadwick, Joshua Thornton.

Year 6 – Lucy Cavanagh, Jessica Eckersall.

Each winner received a £5 voucher to spend at the Fair.

Choir Success

Well done to Mr Parr and our school choir who performed in the Rochdale Music Festival in the grand surroundings of the Great Hall, in Rochdale Town Hall on Tuesday.



They sang two songs and were awarded **2nd place** in their category. Have a look on the school website for pictures and some more details.

I Pledge – To Recycle

Another reminder about 'I Pledge' – don't forget to register your pledges!! We may win a visit from Nadiya Hussain, winner of the Great British Bake Off if enough parents/adults register !! Not sure what to do? Visit www.recycle4schools.co.uk, where pledges can be made. There is also a league table of Rochdale schools, we want to win, so get pledging!

Thanks to those who helped by making a pledge during Parents' Evening.

At the moment we are 2nd amongst all the schools in Rochdale !!!

Wrist bands are a reward for children who get at least 4 pledges and there will be a prize of a **brand new bike**, for the child from our school who collects the most pledges.

Rollercity

We have enrolled for the 'Rollercity Gives Back Scheme'.



This is a new initiative allowing local schools to reward good behaviour and achievement. Each week the names of the winning pupils will be submitted to Rollercity and the children can skate for **FREE** on either Saturday or Sunday between 10am and 11am. Good Luck !!

Cambodian Sponsorship

We have received acknowledgement of our sponsorship of two children in Cambodia. We will shortly be sent details of the children and a video for the school to watch.

Mini Movers

Miss Windsor will shortly be starting a music and movement session called Mini Movers. If you have applied for a place confirmation letters will be sent out shortly. Any unsuccessful children will be out on to a waiting list.



Buttons

If anyone has any spare buttons that we could use for craft activities please could they bring them to the school office – Thanks.



Dance Festival for Y3, 4 & 5

Performances will take place on the evenings of **Tuesday 22nd March**



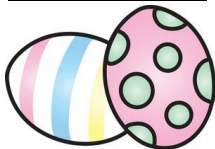
and Wednesday 23rd March from 7.00 – 8.30 p.m. Each child is expected to perform on both evenings.

Please do all you can to support your child and their class by making sure that he/she is available on both evenings.

Letters requesting tickets were sent home this week. *Please return your request by Friday 18th March.*

Tickets will be allocated, as space is limited, to two tickets per child. There will be opportunity to request more tickets if some are not taken up.

Easter Activities



As usual, we invite you to provide an **Easter Bonnet** for

your child for the parade in **Nursery, Reception Y1 and Y2.** For **KS2** children we hope you will join in with **the decorated egg competition.** Both events to take place on the last day of term – **Thursday 24th March.**

Menu for week beginning Monday 14th March

Monday: BBQ Chicken Bap, Side Salad, Vegetable Ravioli & Garlic Bread, Pommies

Noisettes, Sweetcorn/Peas, Granola Delight.



Tuesday: Toad in the Hole & Onion Gravy, Cheesy Jackets, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli/Mixed Greens, Banoffee Cake.

Wednesday: Roast Dinner, Pasta Bake & Crusty Bread, Roast Potatoes, Carrot & Swede Mash, Chocolate & Mandarin Muffin.



Thursday: Chicken Tikka Pizza Whirl, Paninis, Wedges, Beans/Side Salad, Strawberry & Cream Filled Scones.

Friday: Salt & Vinegar Salmon, Goujon Wrap, Filled Omelette,

Waffles/Hash Browns, Side Salad, Paris Slice.

Jacket potatoes are also available each day, as are a variety of sandwiches.



If your child brings a packed lunch and needs a spoon, please provide from home.

If your child wants to change their lunchtime arrangements please inform the school office.

Forthcoming Dates/Events Tuesday and Wednesday 22nd and 23rd March

*Dance Festival for Y3, 4 & 5

Thursday 24th March

*Easter Bonnet Parade (N, R Y1&2) and Decorated Egg Competition (KS2)

*Break up for the Easter Holiday

Thank you for your continued support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Barnes'.

Mr. T. Barnes - Headteacher