



# Alkrington Primary School Newsletter Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2017



Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November

**PTA meeting in school at 3.20pm – everyone is welcome !**

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Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November

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

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November

**Freshwater Theatre visit Year 2 – The Great Fire of London**  
KS2 Boys Football – 3.15pm to 4.15pm  
Year 1 & 2 Art Club 3.15pm to **4pm**  
Year 1 & 2 Homework Club – 3.15pm to **4pm**  
Year 1 & 2 Multisports – 3.15pm to 4.15pm

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November

**Cross Country Race @ Middleton Parish School**  
KS2 Tag Rugby - **CANCELLED DUE TO CROSS COUNTRY RACE**  
Eco Club - 3.15pm to **4pm**  
Homework Club - 3.15pm to **4pm**  
Year 3 & 4 Art - 3.15pm to **4pm**  
Year 1 & 2 Multisports – 3.15pm to 4.15pm

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November

Years 4, 5 and 6 Netball – 3.15pm to **4pm**  
KS2 Girls Football Practice – **CANCELLED DUE TO TOURNAMENT**  
Year 5 & 6 Craft Club – 3.15pm to **4pm**

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November

**Non-uniform Day** – please can children bring chocolate for the Christmas Fair. Donations of £1 are welcome for Children in Need.

Attendance Ted will be awarded to 6M who had 99.7% attendance – well done!!



On Time Ted will be shared by 1P, 5C and 6M who had 0 children late.

### Christmas Fair

This year the Fair will be held on **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 3.20pm** in school.



If you have any donations of the following please could you bring

them to the school office:  
Soft Toys, Toiletries, unwanted gift sets.

There will be a Non-Uniform next Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November – please bring a chocolate item and then on:

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December-** Cakes

### Cross Country Races

Look on the school website for more details of previous races, including a link to the overall results.



The next race is at:  
**Middleton Parish on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November**

This venue is out of walking distance, so a coach will transport us to and from the events. This restricts our numbers. I have given letters to those invited to this race.

The last race will be at St. Mary's Langley on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December.

### Applications for places in Nursery and Reception for September 2018

Please have a look on the 'Home' page of the school website for details and links to help.

### Remembrance Commemorations

We will mark the occasion of Remembrance Day this year with a period of silence at 11.00 a.m. tomorrow.

If any child would like to wear their Brownie/Guide/Rainbow or Beaver/Cub/Scoiut uniforms for the day that would be quite appropriate.

## **Non-Uniform Day and Children in Need.**

These events clash on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. Please bring along a chocolate item for the Christmas Fair, and if you would like, a donation for Children in Need – I suggest £1, which will be collected together and forwarded from school.

## **Join the Adventure**

Are you interested in joining the Scouts/Cub/Beavers and aged 5 to 15?

Come to Alkington Primary School each Thursday, 6pm to 8pm from 2<sup>nd</sup> November. If you have any questions please contact Rachael on 07968 746836 or [rusty7scouts@hotmail.com](mailto:rusty7scouts@hotmail.com)

## **Menu for week beginning**

### **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November**

**Monday:** -Oven baked Sausage & Gravy, Macaroni Cheese, Creamed Potatoes, Broccoli, Cornflake Tart.

**Tuesday:** -Braised Beef Stew & Rustic Dumplings, Cheese & Onion Quiche, Potato Smiles, Baton Carrots, Jelly & Fruit.

**Wednesday:** -Homemade Chicken Pie, Crispy Seaside Salmon, Seasoned New Potatoes, Marrow Fat Peas, Wellington Fudge Cake.

**Thursday:** - Home Cooked Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Breaded Fish Fingers, Roast & Mashed Potatoes, Carrots & Swede, Creamy Rice Pudding & Fruit.

**Friday:** -Quorn Chicken Tikka Masala & Rice, Cheese & Tomato Pizza, Herbie Diced Potatoes, Chocolate Banana Muffin.

## **E-Safety**

As you'll be aware the school engaged in a Be Healthy, Be Safe week in the final week of the Autumn 1 half term. The children enjoyed the opportunity to learn about CPR, oral health, accident prevention, healthy minds (yoga) as well as learning about safety online. Below are some useful websites that provide information for you, as parents

and carers, regarding online safety.

<https://www.ceop.police.uk/Safety-Centre/How-can-CEOP-help-me-YP/How-can-CEOP-help-me-parent/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>

## **Eco Team – Water Bottles**

Our Eco Team are trying to encourage children to use recyclable drinking bottles instead of disposable ones in an attempt to reduce the amount being sent to landfill sites. Water bottles are available from the school office for **£1.30** each.



## **Hand Sanitisers**

We have installed hand sanitisers which allow children to clean their hands prior to having their lunch. There is one near the junior hall and one near the infant hall. Please use responsibly.

## **Forthcoming Events**

Christmas is fast approaching so here are some dates which may be of interest to you, more details to follow, for tickets for shows, for instance.

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December** Non-Uniform – Cakes and PTA Christmas Fair at 3.20 p.m.

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December** Y5 to Robinwood

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December** a.m. KS2 to Pantomime at Middleton Arena

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December** a.m. KS1 & R to Pantomime at Middleton Arena

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December** at 2.00 p.m. KS1 Christmas Show

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December** Reception & Nursery Nativity at 9.30 a.m. and 2.00 p.m.

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December** Christmas Lunch

## **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December**

School closes for Christmas Holiday

## **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January**

School opens for the Spring Term

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr T Barnes – Headteacher