



The Alton School Newsletter

Monday 17th December 2018

Dear Parents, Carers, Friends and Colleagues,

Rights Respecting School

This week we shall be focusing on Article 31: Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities. The pupils will learn that with this right comes the responsibility to respect other people's right to have these things.

Our Excellent Learner quality is: Listen well.

Please support us by using the language of Excellent Learners as well as rights and responsibilities with your children, asking them what they have been learning about.

This week at The Alton

On **Tuesday**, we shall be holding our Winter Performance at 2pm. Please come and watch "A Snowman's Sunset" with us, you are all very welcome.

Please remember that it is not appropriate to eat or drink during any school performance or assembly. We do allow you to take photographs as long as these are for your personal use only and will not be shared on any social media site.

After the performance we shall be selling some refreshments and sweet jars from our Winter Fair.

On **Wednesday**, we are having our Christmas Lunch. This is open to pupils who normally have a packed lunch, but you do need to order at the office by today, Monday.

On **Thursday**, we shall be holding our End of Term Achievement Assembly at 2.30pm. Please come and join us to celebrate the successes of this term!

On **Friday**, it is the last day of school for this term and for the year. We finish as normal at 3.15pm. School is open to buy uniform or pay for lunches on Monday 7th January 2019. Pupils return to school on **Tuesday 8th January at 8am for Breakfast Club and 8.30am for classes.**

Winter Fair

A huge "Thank You!" to all of you who helped organise and run the events for the Winter Fair. And thanks also to all of you who came and supported us by spending your money. We raised £1,200 which we will put towards new books for our library refurbishment.

Parent and Carer suggestions

We have an area in the front of the school office for you to leave a suggestion or question. You can call us on 020 8876 8482, email admin@thealton.wandsworth.sch.uk or download a suggestion form from our website. These will also be addressed in our newsletters if it is helpful to many parents.

With best wishes,

Ruth Hudson

Headteacher

Dates for your diary

18 th Dec	2pm School Christmas Play	5 th April	3.15pm School closes for Easter
19 th Dec	12pm School Christmas Lunch		
21 st Dec	3.15pm School closes for Christmas		
24th December 2018 to 7th January 2019 School is closed to pupils		8th April to 22nd April School is closed to pupils – Easter Holidays	
7 th Jan	School closed to pupils but open for staff training and buying uniform. (INSET)	23 rd Apr	8am Breakfast club. 8.30am classes open.
8 th Jan	8am Breakfast club. 8.30am classes open.	3 rd May	2.50pm Y5 Class Assembly
18 th Jan	2.50pm Y6 Class Assembly	6 th May	School closed for Bank Holiday
25 th Jan	2.50pm Y5 Class Assembly	10 th May	2.50pm Y4 Class Assembly
1 st Feb	2.50pm Y4 Class Assembly	17 th May	2.50pm Y3 Class Assembly
8 th Feb	2.50pm Y3 Class Assembly	24 th May	3.15pm School closes for half term
15 th Feb	3.15pm School closes for half term		
18th to 22nd February School closed to pupils – half term holiday		27th May to 31st May School is closed to pupils – half term holiday	
25 th Feb	8am Breakfast club. 8.30am classes open.	3 rd June	School closed to pupils but open for staff training and buying uniform. (INSET)
8 th Mar	2.50pm Y2 Class Assembly	4 th June	8am Breakfast club. 8.30am classes open.
22 nd Mar	2.50pm Y1 Class Assembly	14 th June	2.50pm Y2 Class Assembly
29 th Mar	2.50pm EYrs Class Assembly	21 st June	2.50pm Y1 Class Assembly
		28 th June	2.50pm EYrs Class Assembly
		19 th July	School Closes for the summer.