

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Staff,

Newsletter Date: 03/10/2024

I think we have all said a fond farewell to the summer this week and are getting ready to embrace the autumn. We are delighted to say that the children have still been able to get out for breaks and lunchtimes, which has been fantastic as they are all working so hard in class, that a good dose of fresh air and a run around the playground is exactly what they need. With this in mind, we would like to say a huge thank you to the Openreach team that came to bring a lot of our outdoor areas back to life. We would like to say a particular well done and thank you to Mr Lawson and his handy strimmer! Our children will now have more opportunities to enjoy more of our outside spaces.

Blanket's Thank you so much for your kind donations of blankets for the dogs and cats at the RSPCA. We have received some lovely cozy blankets but we could do with some more! If you can donate, please drop them off at the school office.

Calling all bingo lovers! We are organising an **'Allesley Bingo Evening' here at school on Friday 18th October at 6.30pm.** Tickets are on sale now in the school office for £10 this includes a welcome drink on arrival, your bingo tickets and a meal choice of either chicken and chips or pizza and chips. This is an adult only event as it will have a licenced bar so you can enjoy a drink and let your hair down. We have some amazing prizes so don't miss out tickets are limited!

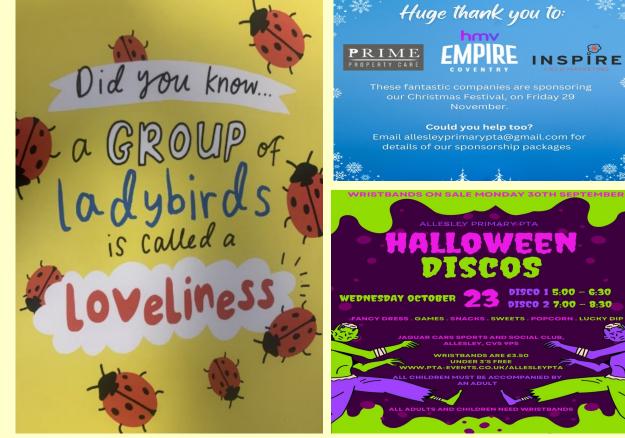
The PTA will be holding their AGM on Wednesday 16th October straight after the school pick-up. The agenda includes a review of last year's fundraising and how it was spent to benefit our school; consideration of fundraising priorities for this school year. They will also elect the PTA's organising committee. If you would like to be nominated as one of the 2 co-chairs, treasurer or secretary then please email allesleyprimarypta@gmail.com by Sunday 13th October. All parents, carers and staff are very welcome to attend. Children can watch TV or read together in a neighbouring classroom, snacks will be available.

Christmas sponsor Our PTA team is looking for local companies or individuals to help sponsor our Christmas Festival on Friday 29th November. The Festival will centre on games and activities designed to give the children a fun start to the Christmas season - and help raise funds for Allesley Primary School. Could you help by making a financial contribution towards our running costs, leading activities or donating goods? We'll help raise the profile of your company or cause within the school and local community. If you're interested then please contact allesleyprimarypta@gmail.com

Have a great weekend,

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Headteacher





Monday - Nerf - KS2

Tuesday - Girl's Football - Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Mr Knight - £1 - 6 sessions

Wednesday - Trampolining - KS2

Thursday- Boy's Football - Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Mr Knight - £1 - 6 sessions

Friday - Fencing - KS1

Clubs start week beginning Monday 9th and ours from Monday 16th. Both end week beginning 21st October.

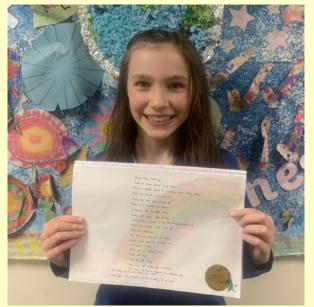




A beautiful poem by Willow C Y6

for National Poetry Day

Don't cry, don't cry There is hope around every corner Don't be afraid there is a rainbow down every street Don't be scared of who you are Enjoy life and you will you far Dance in a blanket of flowers Gallop in the beautiful wood Party with your best friends Soak up the warmth of the blinding pineapple sun Go to the beach and have fun Don't be depressed It will only do you no good Don't think you are number two We believe in you So if you are feeling down Hope will come And she will sing You may not smile like a rainbow You may not be as elegant as a blossom tree You may not be as lively as a lamb But you are human and it is ok to be sad





Attendance

Week beginning 23rd- 27th Sept 2024

Highest Year 1 Miss Evans class 98.67% Attendance.

Whole school 96.21!

Our school percentage is above the National average

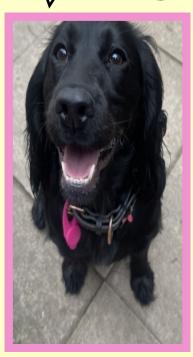
Poppy's thought of the week...

Never forget how brilliant you are. Even when you cant see it, others do!



Year 1 Many coloured days by Dr Seuss recommended by MiriamYear 2 Supertato by Paul Linnet and Sue Hendra recommended by RayanYear 3 Tracy Beaker by Jaqueline Wilson recommended by Annabelle

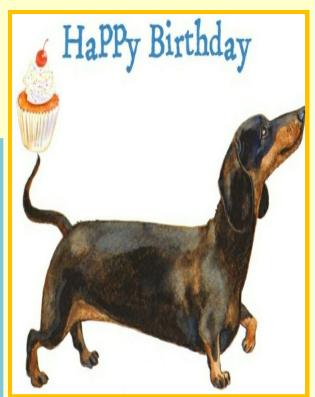
Year 4 The midnight gang by David Walliams recommended by Lola BrownYear 5 James and the giant peach by Roald Dahl recommended by EllaYear 6 Hamish by Danny Wallace recommended by Mrs Sabino



Happy Birthday

Orla R Year 4 Charlie B-W Year 3 Sofia M Reception Leo N Year 4 James H Year 1 Poppy-May K Reception

Oliver B Year 2 Thomas D Year 5 Bella G Year 5 Ronnie S-H Year 5 Nyra N-N Reception



Celebratíng our week



We have started talking about Autumn this week in **Nursery**, we have found out lots about the changes that happen and also decided we could make some apple crumble! We went up to the allotment area to pick some lovely big, juicy, cooking apples!



The children in **Reception** have been joining in with number related rhymes and songs for world poetry day.



Year 6 have been learning about Alexander the Great and looked at why he was called 'Great' and the legacy he left. We acted out the key events of his life to understand the impact he made to the world.



On Wednesday, **Year 3** enjoyed a visit from Portals to the Past for an Egyptian day. They found the mummification of Jeff highly amusing.



This week in **Year 2** while learning about the UK we learnt about British landmarks.



In Art, **Year 4** have been recreating Henry Batiste paintings using chalk and collage materials. We didn't realise just how many budding artists we had in Year 4!



This week in science **Year 1** learnt how weather changes in Autumn and why wind is important during this season. We discussed how it changed the surroundings, and how they could measure it making a device to measure wind strength and direction ready for next week's lesson. The device we made is called a windsock.

In book talk in Year 5 we were answering the question how did David and Tucky feel differently about the German soldiers?

