Congratulations to classes 2G, 4M, 1A, 3WP and 5K on winning the attendance cup for week ending 18.10.18

### 2nd November 2018

#### **New Parent Governors**

We would like to thank all the candidates that applied for the Parent Governor post and would like to congratulate Georgina Rodgers and Catheryne Hill on being successfully elected as Parent Governors.

### Children in Need and Anti-Bullying

This year, Children in Need and Anti-Bullying Week will take place during 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> November.

At Aldersbrook, we believe that it is vital our children understand that every child has the right to a safe, happy and secure environment in which they can live, grow, play and learn. So that we can embrace the values of both of these charities we will be holding a 'dress up day' on **Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> November 2018**. Children will need to bring in a coin donation. Please encourage your child to either:

- Wear pyjamas (Children in Need)
- Wear the colour blue (Colour of anti-bullying theme)

#### Individual/Sibling Photos - Tuesday 13th November

Please ensure all children attend school in full school uniform for the individual and sibling photos.

#### Vacancies at Aldersbrook

At Aldersbrook we like to provide employment opportunities to the local community. We currently have three vacancies: Learning Support Assistant, Nursery Nurse and Attendance/Administration officer. Please check the school website for further information.

# Forthcoming Events

- For regular updates please take a look at our website www.aldersbrook. redbridge.sch.uk
- 7/11/18 Nursery
   Phonics Evening @ 3:45-4:15pm or 5:00-5:30pm.
- 8/11/18 5I Sharing Assembly @ 2:45pm
- 8/11/18 Year 1 & 2
   Maths Parent Workshop
   @ 5pm
- 13/11/18 Individual/ Sibling Photos
- 14/11/18 PTA meeting (planning winter fair) -Aldersbrook Bowling Club @ 7pm
- 15/11/18 NCMP Reception and Year 6
- 15/11/18 3WP Sharing Assembly @ 2:45pm
- 16/11/18 Non Uniform day: Blue Clothing or Pyjamas

#### **Parent View**

Parent View is an Ofsted run website that all parents & carers of children at our school can leave feedback on. This is one of the main tools that Ofsted, the Local Authority and school governors use to judge the effectiveness of the school. Parents also use this site when deciding on schools to send their children to.

We want to ensure we have as many responses on there as possible so that we have a range of balanced views from the whole school community. **Please spend the short amount of time it takes to log on and leave your feedback.** If you need assistance with this, please see Mr Gibson or Mr Hughes at school. <a href="https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/">https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/</a>

Our Value of the month: is...



### **PTA Meeting**

Please note the next PTA meeting will be held to discuss and plan the Winter Fair at 7pm on 14th November at Aldersbrook Bowling Club.

## Leyton Orient Player Visit

As part of our link with Leyton Orient, next Wednesday we are expecting a visit from Leyton Orient goalkeeper Dean Brill and defender Alex Lawless along with club mascot Theo. The players will take part in a PE session with Year 2 while Theo will pose for photos in our Early Years.



#### Halloween Disco

Thank you to the PTA and everyone who helped at the Halloween disco. All the children had a great time.







## National Child Measurement Programme - NCMP

The NELFT Redbridge 0-19 Children's Universal Services (who work as part of the NHS) will shortly be coming to the school and measuring the height and weight of pupils in Reception and in Year 6. This is part of the National Child Measurement Programme. If you have a child in Reception or Year 6 you will receive a letter with information to explain about this in advance of when the measurements are taken. Result letters are sent out to parents approximately 6 weeks after the measurements have been taken. If attached to your results letter you receive an invite to a healthy lifestyle session, we encourage you to attend.

## Thank you: From Tilly - RB

Thank you to everyone who has supported us in raising an amazing £10,740. Tilly in Class RB has been raising money for Acorn Children's Ward at Whipps Cross Hospital. Tilly was diagnosed with a rare form of cancer in October 2017 and has been having chemotherapy treatment at Acorn Ward for the last year. Visit <a href="www.justgiving.com/">www.justgiving.com/</a> acornward to find out more about Tilly's journey and donate. Thank you!