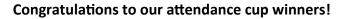
Aldersbrook Primary School Newsletter



## Learning & Leading

#### 31.03.2023



**RR** 97.3% **3A** 97.7% **4J** 98.7%

Dear Parents & Carers,

Firstly can we say Ramadan Mubarak to all of our families & pupils that are currently celebrating this holy season.

We draw to the end of another term and this one certainly seems to have flown by! This term has been an especially busy one for the school with multiple visits in from the local authority and from our school improvement partners. Without exception all visitors have commented on the warm and caring environment at the school and how articulate and excited our pupils are about learning. Thank you to the parents & carers that have taken time to speak to them or leave feedback on Parent View. We continue to work on areas they have suggested could make the school even better, but that support is invaluable to us. Everyone needs a positive boost every now & again.

Our pupils have designed and completed a pupil survey across Years 1-6 and the results are in:

Pupil Survey 2023 (535 pupils)	Always/ Mostly	Some- times	Rarely/ Never
l enjoy school.	89%	10%	1%
I enjoy learning	89%	11%	0%
My teachers give me work that challenges me	81%	18%	1%
I feel safe at school	91%	8%	1%
My school encourages me to look after my physical health	96%	4%	0%
There is an adult in the school I can talk to if something is worrying me	95%	5%	0%
The behaviour of other pupils is good	74%	24%	2%
Is bullying a problem at school	3%	16%	81%
Teachers listen to what I have to say	91%	9%	0%
My school encourages me to look after my emotional and mental health.	84%	14%	2%
My school provides different afterschool activi- ties that I can take part in	96%	4%	0%
My school encourages my independence	93%	7%	0%
My school encourages me to treat everyone with respect and as an individual	98%	2%	0%
My school helps me to understand what I need to do next to improve.	93%	6%	1%
There are opportunities for leadership within the school	93%	7%	0%
I would recommend this school to one of my friends	94%	5%	1%

We are really pleased to see that pupils feel safe and valued as individuals. Pupils feel respected and recognise that we want them to be independent as well as physically and mentally healthy! We continue to work on playground behaviour (and toilets!) which have come up as something pupils would like to see improved.

Have a wonderful Easter holiday and we look forward to welcoming you all back on **Monday 17th April**.

ALDERSBROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 31st March: last day of school before Easter & cake sale in KS1 playground after school

Monday 3 April to Friday 14 April Easter holiday

Monday 17 to Friday 24 April Big Walk and Wheel

Wednesday 26 April anti bullying workshops in school

Thursday 27 April Vision & Hearing checks for Reception

Thursday 27 April 830am coffee morning with Early Reading focus

Friday 28 April PTA cake sale in KS1 playground after school

**Monday 1 May** May Day Bank Holiday

Thursday 4 May PTA Winyl Night

Friday 5 May Spring Disco

Monday 8 May Coronation Bank Holiday

Saturday 20 May Community Makeover Day in school

Friday 26 May 5p Race in school and cake sale after school

Our Value of the month: is...

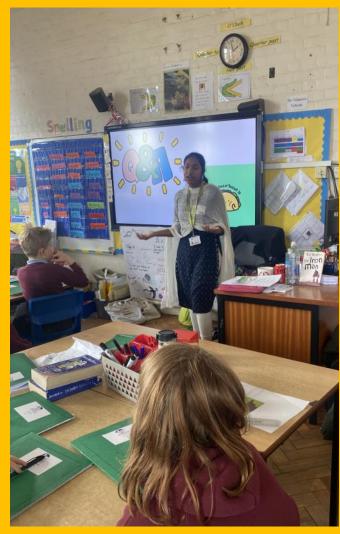


**Mr Hughes and Ms Crouch** 

KS2 were visited by local Faith Ambassadors who came to speak to the children about a range of Faith Ambassadors at Aldersbrook different religions . Additionally Mrs Kari spoke to the teachers about Ramadan.

It is great to have a better understanding of the different faiths and beliefs that our school community has.











# FOOTBALL TEAM MAKE LEYTON ORIENT FC PROUD!

On Tuesday, 23rd March 2023 our football team went to represent Leyton Orient FC, in the League 2 South Regional finals of the EFL Kids Cup at Moulton FC. We played 4 games in the group stages; winning 3 (Swindon Town, Stevenage FC and Colchester Utd) and drawing 1 (Walsall FC). We finished top of the group and qualified for the next round. In the quarter final, we defeated Wimbledon FC to reach the semi finals. Unfortunately, we lost to Sutton FC. We as a school are extremely proud of the football team for representing Leyton Orient FC. We would also like to say thank you, Mr Hussain and Vic for coaching the team throughout the year.

#### APS MAKE TEAM REDBRIDGE PROUD!

This year's London Youth Games Spring Finals took place on Thursday 23rd March 2023. We represented Team Redbridge at Year 3/4 Girls Football and Year 5/6 Mixed Netball.

We competed against different Boroughs in London. The football team came 5th overall and netball team came 16th overall.

Well done to all the children who took part and a huge thank you to Mrs Eley and Mr Lewis for supporting the team.







Big Walk and Wheel - 17th April- Friday 21st April Get set... we're hosting a Big Walk and Wheel challenge, Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel is the UK's largest inter-school cycling, walking, wheeling and scooting challenge. The challenge for us at Aldersbrook will run from 17th April- Friday 21st April. It's free and we would love everyone to be involved. During the week children will learn about the importance of active journeys (where possible) and the benefits this can on their communities and health.

### What do you reed to do?

Encourage your child (ren) to take active journeys (walk, cycle or scoot) to school on as many days as possible during the event, and join them on their way.



#### The Big Question

Every other term the whole school looks at a 'Big Question' together.

After Easter we will all be thinking about 'Can One Person Change The World?'

We would love the whole family to be involved with this discussion. Could you talk to your child over the holidays about one:

- $\Rightarrow$  One person who has changed your world?
- ⇒ One person that inspires you and the reasons why?
- ⇒ One person who you know has faced hardship for something they believed in but stuck to their guns?





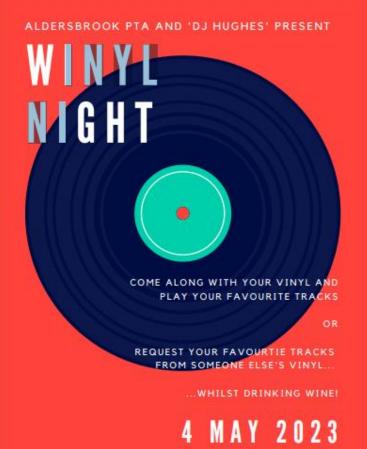
### Easter Camps Monday April 3<sup>rd</sup> - Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April

Ages 4-16 years old

Week 1 Monday April 3 - Thursday April 6th Monday and Wednesday 1.30pm - 4.30 pm Tuesday and Thursday 9.30am - 12.30pm Week 2 Monday 10th April - Friday 14th April 1.30pm - 4.30pm Prices £18 members, Non Members £20 a session. Non members welcome

For Enquiries and to book please contact Head Coach James Biggane 07800 876 681

> WARREN CLAY CLUB OVERTON DRIVE, WANSTEAD E11 2LW



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Any further enquires to - makemeanartstar@gmail. DBS Checked, Safe Guarding & First Aid trained Children's Drama Classes On Fridays after school at The Quaker Meeting House, Bush Road, Aldersbrook

# LAMDA Speaking of Verse and

Prose Exam Course On Tuesdays after school at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre, Wanstead

> 6-8 year olds | 4pm 9-11 year olds | 5pm antoniadoggett.co.uk





For the last 25 years, Kellogg's has been supporting School Breakfast Clubs across the UK. Simply say **'Kellogg's Breakfast'** at any Morrisons Café, to get a free bowl of cereal for you and your family. Available from Monday 3rd April, while stocks last and subject to availability.

Better days are built on breakfast today and everyday.



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