

Newsletter 16, 17th May 2024

For school calendar: <http://www.alexanderhoseaprimary.co.uk/calendar/?calid=1&pid=3&viewid=1>

Dear Parents/Carers

Book fair – There was a very good turn out for the book fair. The school makes 60% commission on the sale of books, so we raised £963 to spend on books for classrooms! Thank you very much to Mrs Mason, Mrs Price, Miss Clark and the staff team for hosting the fair after school and special thanks to Mrs Mason for overseeing the fair and making sure that the orders were processed, so that children and classes had the books they wanted.

CBBC Andy Day – The children were delighted with a surprise visit by Andy Day from CBBC. He sang some songs and whipped them up in excitement! The visit was organised by Good Times Comedy and Music Festival in Yate, where Andy will be appearing next week, as well as some well-known bands and comedians.

Clerk to Governors – Mrs Gregory will be stepping down from the role of Clerk this term after a successful 5 years of service. We are grateful to her for her excellent organisation and skill in the role. This leaves a new vacancy for a Clerk. Please see email sent on 10th May. We are keen to fill this vacancy as soon as possible, ready for the new school year.

New Reception for September 2024 – We are looking forward to welcoming our newest children to the school very soon. We do still have a few places in the cohort, if you know of anyone who may be interested in a school place at our wonderful school. Tours for prospective parents are open all year round by contacting the school office.

Lunch break Supervisors – We are urgently looking to increase our team of lunchbreak supervisors. If you know of anyone who may be interested in 1-5 shifts a week, please ask them to contact Taralou.Price@sgmail.org.uk for further details and an application form. All applicants will need safeguarding checks, including DBS check and 2 fully supportive references.

Have a lovely weekend. Kind regards, Mrs Williams

Dates for your diary:

Week 6 (20-24 May)

20th May – Cup awards assembly

22nd May – Sports morning – weather dependent

HALF TERM

Week 1 (3-7th June)

Y6 at Morfa Bay residential all week

Y4 Multiplication Tables Check – all week

3rd June – Pearl Sports Leader training from KLB coach

5th June – Topaz National Child Measurement visit

7th June - Opal Sports Leader training from KLB coach

Week 2 (10th -14th June)

Y1 (all) and Y2 (retake) phonics check all week

12th June – Y6 transition session with Kooth

12th June – New Reception parents' meeting in hall

13th June – Rags to Riches collection from roundabout

Week 3 (17th-21st June)

18th-20th June – Y6 bikeability

18th June – Y3 trip to Stonehenge

18th June – Parent Council meeting

21st June – Y4 trip to Bristol

22nd June (SATURDAY) – Summer Fair 11am-3pm

28th June – INSET day (school closed to children)

Please see teachers' weekly newsletters for more information about class-specific events and activities.

Diary dates will be emailed to parents for the coming week on alternate weeks.

Wonderful Year 6 children

Our wonderful Y6 children showed great determination in their Y6 Sats this week.

We are very proud of them for their excellent attitudes to their learning and we know that they all gave their best efforts in their exams.

Stand Against Racism and Inequality (SARI)

This week, the children in Y4, 5 and 6 took part in workshops with SARI. The sessions were a valuable opportunity to talk about appropriate language to use around race and what may be considered to be offensive and why. The sessions were funded through South Glos Council.



Sun safety

Please remember to apply sun cream before school; bring a bottle of water and wear a sun hat on sunnier days. Sunglasses are also permitted. Please NAME everything, as items often are left lying around!

Sports day Weds 22nd May – weather dependent

We are hoping that the sun will shine for us next Wednesday for our annual sports day. The format will be the same as last year, with children having the opportunity to take part in inclusive team games as well as traditional competitive races on the track. Please bring a picnic blanket or camping chair with you to sit on and a picnic to have at lunchtime with your child(ren). In the event of inclement weather, we will let parents know about an alternative date as soon as possible (provisionally Fri 24th May, weather dependent).

Family Support Worker – Mrs Scott

Parent may contact Mrs Scott by email at Rachael.Scott3@gmail.org.uk or via the school office on 01454 294239

Mrs Scott works Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

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Our value for the term is:

Be a team player.

We know that together everyone achieves more.



Friends of Alexander Hosea School

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

WHEN?
SPORTS DAY
22ND MAY
(24TH MAY AS BACK UP)

WHAT?
SERVING REFRESHMENTS
BETWEEN 10.10 AND 12.30
(+ SETTING/CLEARING UP)

20 MINUTE SLOTS

WHERE?
PARENT VIEWING AREA

FOR SALE at Sports Day

**Krispy Kreme
Doughnuts**
+ other refreshments



Please bring a
re-usable cup for hot
drinks.

Wickwar Games
Saturday 13th July



CALLING ALL RUNNERS!

If you would be interested in
co-ordinating the 5k fun run,
please get in touch.

Thank you to the members
that have volunteered to
organise and manage the bar
on the day.