

Alexandra Park News

Friday 13th December 2024

Dear parents and carers,

It has been an absolute joy to hear the children practising their nativities over the last few weeks. I'm sure all the parents who watched this year will agree that the children's and staff's hard work truly paid off. Please tell the children we all thought they were amazing!

My personal highlight of the week was Janet the Lollipop Lady's assembly. I honestly don't think I have ever seen so much love shown towards someone from staff, parents, and children alike. She is clearly a remarkable lady who has put a lot of smiles on people's faces over the past 25 years!

Assembly Focus

This week's assembly has a focus on one of our school values - Care. Specifically, we discussed demonstrating collective care and how our actions can have consequences for others within our community. For example, if we leave litter on the playground, someone else has to spend their time picking that up.

Star of the Week

A fantastic group of children made up our last Star of the Week for 2024! Congratulations all.



EYFS

Reception had a fantastic visit to the Library this week. The children enjoyed listening to a story and choosing their own books to share.



KS1

On Tuesday, Year 1 put on an amazing Bangdrum performance. Consolidating our learning from the Bangdrum sessions, we showcased our talents and even got some parents involved!



Alex Park Choir

The choir had an amazing opportunity to perform in the Stockport Schools Choir Festival 2024 this week. They sang carols alongside 10 other schools from Stockport at St George's Church, Heaviley. The opportunity to be able to take part in such a community event will hopefully create lasting memories for everyone involved. Well done all of you!



KS2

Year 6 have taken inspiration from their class icons Kevin Sinfield and Rob Burrow this week. As Kevin ran his 7-in-7-in-7 Challenge to raise awareness of MND, we decided to join in! Each breaktime, we've been pushing our stamina to see how many laps of the junior playground we can run in 7 minutes. Alongside this, we've also been fundraising at home, and can't wait to send our donations to the Motor Neurone Disease Association. Great CARE, Year 6!

After weeks of preparation and planning, we have also been making our wooden cam toys in Design Technology. Part of the project involved market research with our Year 3 children and we will be sharing the finished products with them in the coming weeks.

For Call to Earth Day, Year 5 wrote letters to the rest of the school, persuading them to take action in helping to care for our planet. We visited the classes during class forum and shared our work. It was lovely to see how passionate they care about the environment and their growing confidence to speak in front of a class. Well done Year 5!



This week, our Year 4 and Year 5 children had the opportunity to visit Stockport Academy to watch their production - Aladdin. The children were inspired by the show and look forward to their own performing arts sessions back in school.



Edgeley Road Crossing Patrol

After seeing Janet in her assembly today, it is very clear why so many people think so much of her. What an absolutely lovely lady. Janet, thank you for all you have done for the children of Alex Pak



One Stockport Family Hubs

The Stockport Family Hubs work across our community to support children, young people and families. There is lots of support and opportunities available, please take a look at their website: https://www.stockport.gov.uk/landing/family-hubs?conesso_link_tag=f3b1882ed&utm_campaign=Family+Hubs+Newsletter+-+November+2024&utm_medium=email&utm_source=Conesso

Rocksteady

What amazing performances by all the children in Rocksteady!

They performed in their very own rock bands on either bass guitar, drums, keyboards or sang.

What fabulous musicians we have at Alex Park!

