

PARENT BULLETIN No. 23

18th February 2022



Dear Parents/Carers

This week has given us challenges of a different kind!! Dudley and Eunice presented us with some adverse conditions and the staff took full advantage, making and flying kites, writing newspaper articles about adverse weather and looking at weather systems in Science lessons.

We are sad that we had to close today but know that safety must come first for all of us. Please all stay inside and stay safe. All the breakfast and after school sessions have been credited back to your accounts if booked for today.

I think we are all ready for the half term break and are looking forward to spending some quality time with our friends and family.

Thank you to all of the parents and carers who attended our virtual parent consultations on Tuesday and Thursday. Whilst we would love to do these in person the safer option was to stick with the School Cloud system that we have used over the past two years. We are keeping everything crossed that this will be the last time that we are not able to meet in person.

The after school clubs will resume from Monday 7th March. We have NO clubs in the first week back.

We would like to say a sad goodbye to Miss Turner our lunchtime supervisor who is going off on maternity leave. We wish her all the best, I know she will be sorely missed by the children and staff but we can't wait for cuddles with the new arrival soon.

Please take care, enjoy the week and we look forward to seeing you all when we return on Tuesday 1st March.

Give
THANKS
to the LORD,
for **HE** is GOOD.
His LOVE
ENDURES forever.
PSALM 136:1

Reflection for the Week

We started this week with Valentines Day, and as we end the week, we can find comfort in the knowledge that God's love is not just on one day of the year but each and every day.

Reminders

INSET Day – 28th February

Start of Summer Term – 1st March

World Book Day – 3rd March

Yr 6 Manor Adventure Trip for 2023 – instalment payments live on School Gateway

Eagles Class swimming – start 7th March

Enrichment Clubs – resume 7th March

Kind regards

Mrs C Baughan

Pebble Brook



Community Café

With Rising Fuel and Living costs many families struggling to Heat or Eat.

This February Half Term (21st-25th) all school children can eat for free off our set menu between 11.30am – 2.00pm.

Please phone the café on 07500845420 to find out the set menu.

**No Purchase necessary
Eat In Only**



HM Government



If you have any of the following symptoms:



A new, continuous cough



A high temperature



A loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

**Get a test as soon as possible.
Stay at home until you get the result.**

Well-being Matters

The current situation is a challenge for all, and we appreciate our students may find the uncertainty of the pandemic difficult. The safeguarding team are always here to support our students and we can be reached directly using the following email address: safeguarding@theacademy.me

There are several charities who can support your child if you are concerned about their mental health, these are listed below:



Kooth - online counselling for young people

www.kooth.com



Every Mind Matters

www.nhs.uk/oneyou/every-mind-matters



Mind

www.mind.org.uk/information-support/coronavirus-and-your-wellbeing



Mental Health Foundation

<https://mentalhealth.org.uk/coronavirus>

Thank you for everything you are doing at this difficult time in support the children at the Aylesbury Vale Academy.