



Alver Valley News 15 September 2017



Important Dates:

02.10.17 INSET DAY

**10.10.17 Parents Evening
(3.30—5.30)**

**11.10.17 Parents Evening
(4.00—7.00)**

Parents evening letters will be coming home soon.

Attendance Awards

04.09.17

Infants: **1BR 100%**

Junior **5B&4P 100%**



Please remember to contact school each day your child is absent.

PE Kits

Please make sure your child has a **NAMED**, correct PE Kit in school

Our PE kits are: White t-shirt, black shorts and plimsolls or trainers.

Ideally PE kits should stay in school and be taken home every half term (or more frequently if needed) to be washed, then returned.

Welcome

Welcome to the first issue of Alver Valley News. Every fortnight we will be sharing lots of the fantastic things the children have been doing during another exciting year at our schools.

Our New Uniform

The children are looking very smart in our new uniform. Everyone received a new jade book bag during the first week of term and we are pleased to see so many coming into school each day.



Bringing their book bags to school every day ensures that your child has their reading book to hand when taking part in a reading session at school, this will give your child more opportunity to read rather than spend the time searching for a replacement book. It also ensures that your child has their latest reading book in their book bag to share with you at home.

As the book bags are designed to keep our books clean, dry and flat they will last longer, so please make sure your child brings their book bag to school every day.

We are delighted to welcome the following members of staff to our amazing team:

Miss A Cotton—Class Teacher 1C

Mrs S Barker—Senior Admin Assistant

Mrs V Jackson—Attendance & Admin Assistant

Miss S Mendham—SEN Development & PPA

Cover Teacher

Miss M Buston—Class Teacher 5B

Miss M Stuart—LSA Owls Class

Mr A Tait—Teacher working with

Miss Hyde

Summer Holiday Projects

We are delighted with the Summer Holiday Projects that have been returned far. We have been looking through them and the amount of work involved is amazing! The projects will soon be on display for everyone to see.



Dinner Money

Please ensure you pay for your child's school dinner in advance on a Monday.

School dinners cost £2.15 per day or £10.75 per week.

To reduce queues and save parents time we have a money drop box on the wall opposite the school office. If you need to pay for dinners/milk/trips or breakfast club, please place correct money in a sealed envelope clearly stating your child's name, class, amount and what the money is for.

For example;

John Smith 2A
£10.75
Dinner Money

Please note:

We are two separate schools and therefore payments for siblings in the Infant or Junior School must be in separate envelopes.

Congratulations!

Over the summer holidays Miss Massey was married and is now Mrs Varndell, Mr Cook also got married and Mr Harris welcomed a new baby boy to his family. I am sure you will join us in wishing them all every happiness for the future.



Summer Reading Challenge

Yet again our involvement with the Hampshire Libraries Summer Reading Challenge was well supported. We will soon be in a position to award medals to those children who completed the Challenge and certificates will be awarded to all those that took part.



Contact us:

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