



## ***NEWSLETTER - 13<sup>th</sup> November 2009***

### Website News

We are beginning to update our website and although this work is ongoing, it is beginning to include more up to date information about our school, clubs, photographs etc. Don't forget to take a look at [www.allesleyhall.coventry.sch.uk](http://www.allesleyhall.coventry.sch.uk).

In addition if you haven't already informed the school that you don't want your child/ children's photos put on the website then please let the school office know as soon as possible. Our website also has a link to e-safety information for parents that we hope you will find useful.

### Accessibility Plan

The Governing body would like the support of a few parents in writing an accessibility plan that helps the school ensure that all children have access to learning across the curriculum. If you feel able to help please contact the school office at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

### Wednesday After School Club

Unfortunately we will have to cancel club on Wednesday as the numbers are too low for it to be financially viable. If any of the children who attend this club would like to join the tennis club on Tuesday please let Mr Styles know.

### Tuesday Early Morning Club

At present, we only have 4 children attending. If the numbers attending do not improve then unfortunately we will not be able to continue. The session is from 7.45-8.45am if your child would like to join.

### Family Christmas Service

We will be holding a Christmas service at St Christopher's Church on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 11am. The service will be led by our Year 6 children and is an opportunity for the whole school community to celebrate Christmas together. We will be serving coffee and mince pies in the school hall from 10.30am onwards. All parents, grandparents and other family members are welcome to share in this event with us.

### Anti- Bullying week

You should have received an additional letter explaining our focus on anti-bullying during next week. Don't forget Blue Day on Friday - the children can come into school wearing blue clothes on this day in support of the National event.

### Anti - Bullying Poster Competition

Please encourage your child / children to take part in the competition. Key Stage 1 should be about bullying and how to be a good friend and Key Stage 2 the focus of the competition is around cyber bullying. All entries should be in school by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November.

### Fun for Fathers

Our second Fun for Fathers evening has been scheduled for Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 5-7pm. Remember to put the date in your diary as it promises to be another fun filled occasion based on the popular book - the Gruffalo!

### School Medical Issues

In the current climate of illness / viruses, we are encouraging children to follow the "Catch it, Kill it and Bin it" campaign. Please could you support us with this, and if you have any spare boxes of tissues at home we would be very pleased to receive them.

If your child is absent from school with sickness or diarrhoea, could you please not send them back to school until they have been clear for 48 hours. These are the current Health Authority Guidelines.

### Eye Care Presentation

The children in Key stage 2 will have a visit from a local optician on Tuesday morning explaining basic eye care. They will also be bringing home a leaflet providing information to parents.

### Pantomime

We are now collecting the balances for our trips to the pantomimes. The balance for Reception, Years 1 and 2 is £5.30, and for all Key Stage 2 classes is £5.60. Please could we have these amounts as soon as possible. Thank you.

### Diary Dates

Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Boys football match v Canon Park - Result 2-2 well done to the team!
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	Eyecare presentation to KS2 by local optician
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> November	Open Morning - 9.30 -10.15am
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	Blue Day - please wear blue clothes to school
	Year 5 class assembly - 9.05am
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Fun for Fathers evening - 5-7pm
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Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	" " " "
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 class assembly - 9.05am
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA Christmas Fayre
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	9.30am Y3, Y4 & Y5 Christmas production
	2.30pm Rec, Y1 & Y2 Christmas production
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 visit to Cinderella
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	9.30am Rec, Y1 & Y2 Christmas production
	2.30pm Y3, Y4 & Y5 Christmas production
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 6 residential visit to Doly y Moch, North Wales
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 visit to Beauty and the Beast
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Y6 return from Dol y Moch
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA Christmas Disco
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Family Service at St Christophers Church - 11am
	Christmas Holiday starts 3.30pm
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January	Teacher Day
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	Children return to school

