



# Sir Alexander Fleming Primary School

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## Dear Parents

**MacMillan Coffee Morning:** Many thanks to everyone who took the time to come along to our Coffee Morning last Friday. It was a pleasure to see you, and you helped to raise nearly £118 for MacMillan Cancer Research, this is a fantastic result.

My thanks to Mrs Jones for the trays of shortbread, and to the staff for bringing along some amazing, home-baked cakes.

Well done to Mrs Harrison, Mrs Broadhurst and all of our helpers ( staff and children) who made this such a success. Well done.

**Bingo Session: Tuesday 3 October :** A reminder that our first Bingo session for parents ( Mums/ Dads/ Carers/ Grandparents and friends ) takes place in the hall on **Tuesday 3 October between 1.45pm- 3.00pm**. We hope you will come along and try your luck as there are lots of prizes to be won. Entry will cost £2 per adult and refreshments will be available during the afternoon. We respectfully request that no young children/ toddlers are brought to the Bingo session, it's an 'adults only' session.

**After School Dance Clubs:** We sent out the 'Dance Club' letters last week, and have been inundated with requests for places. We will put all of the names into a draw and the children who have been allocated places will be informed. Payment for the sessions must be made before the clubs start next week or places will be re-allocated. Please remember these are initial taster sessions and we hope to arrange more of these in the Spring Term.

**Mums and Babies:** A reminder that our first Mums and Babies session is planned for Tuesday 17 October between 1.45pm-3.00pm. This first session is very informal as we are inviting Mums for coffee and a chat, and to meet with Ms Ann Carvell, our Family Liaison worker, She is looking forward to meeting you.

**Urgent- P.E. Kit:** Many thanks to all of you who sent in the children's P.E. kit. Please ensure your child has their full P.E. Kit in school every day so they can take part in P.E. / skills activities.

We hope to have our first delivery this week of our new 'Sports Hoodies' for the children to wear when they do their P.E. outside ( please note the children are still required to wear their school P.E. kit)

**Dudley Zoo Visit:** All of the children in Y1/ Y2 and Y3 will be visiting the Zoo on Wednesday 4 October. Please ensure you have paid for this trip, and that you have all the information/ details from your child's teacher. I am sure the children will have a wonderful time, as they are already so excited.





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**'House System':** I am sure the children have been telling you about the new 'House' system which we are implementing across the school. All of the children have been allocated a 'House' ( Clive / Darwin/ Webb/ Roddam- named after famous Shropshire characters). 'House Captains' have been elected across the school, and all of the children are already focused on achieving as many points as they can for their 'House'

Each child will be given their own wristband which represents the colour of their 'House'. We would like the children to wear their wristband every day, but if they lose it, they will have to pay 50p for a new one ( please look after it and keep it safe )

The children will explain how they can be awarded extra points, and the aim is to achieve the highest number of points.

The staff will be organising inter- house competitions and activities throughout the year, and already the children are very excited about gaining those extra points for their work in class, homework, helping etc.

All of the Houses have their very own 'House Bear'- and the children love them.

Mrs North will place details on our school website.

## **Parent Interview Week: Monday 9 October- Friday 13 October**

Letters will be sent out this week for our planned Interview week.

Please complete the attached slips and return them to your child's teacher as soon as possible, as appointment times disappear quickly.

Staff will only respond with a formal appointment time if they receive a reply slip.

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