

Alderman Jacobs School (Academy Trust)

Summer Term Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been lovely to welcome children back into school and we have all begun to adapt to our new routines. For children who are continuing to learn at home we have enjoyed seeing your responses on the google classroom and hearing about how you are doing with the learning we are providing and all the other activities you have taken part in too. As you have probably heard the government has changed its plan on a full re-opening of schools and we are waiting to hear what this will look like. In the meantime, if you are a keyworker or have a child in the eligible year groups and would like your child to return to school please contact us so we can add your child's name to our waiting list.

In addition to Mrs Cox, we also heard this week that Mrs Taylor has given birth to her baby girl and we send her our congratulations too. In other staff changes we will be welcoming back Mrs Holdsworth at the end of term and look forward to Mrs Donna Agger and Miss Kayla Neacy joining us in September.

Thank you for your continued support with home learning and your support when you are on the school site. We hope that we will have a return to a more normal school life with all the children soon, in the meantime, stay safe.

Cathy Carlisle
Headteacher

FOAJS and Road Safety.

Over the past few years we have all been increasingly concerned about dangerous driving and parking outside school. FOAJS have tried to support the school in their attempts to combat this. We have bought pupil mascots who stand outside in the danger zones, given away prizes to pupils who have named them, and purchased a large banner to remind drivers of the dangers of parking on the yellow lines.

However, we are now at the point where we do not feel that our hard earned funds should be used to target a small group of irresponsible drivers and would like to redirect the money to supporting the children in school. We understand that many of you would still like to work towards making the roads outside school a safer place and would like to suggest you join either the school working party to come up with an action plan, or to report the poor markings directly to the council using the link below. It only takes 2 minutes and the more reports they get, the more likely they are to act.

<https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/travel-roads-and-parking/roads-and-pathways/roadworks-and-faults>

Thank you for your continued support. To join our friendly team and make a difference to our school, please see our Facebook page 'Friends of AJS'.



Welcome – Mrs White

We would like to give a warm welcome to Mrs White who has joined the year 5 teaching team and is the new teacher for Peru.

Congratulations

We would like to send our congratulations and best wishes to Mrs Cox who has recently given birth to her baby boy.

Contact Details.

Please remember to keep your contact details up to date with the school office. It is important that we can get hold of you should your child become unwell during the school day.

To notify us of any changes, please email the school office:

office@aldermanjacobs.cambs.sch.uk

Pupil Achievements

Congratulations to Courtney H who Passed stage 8 in Swimming.

Well done!



Wear Yellow day – Friday 19th June

On Friday 19th June it would be lovely if we could help raise money for Cystic Fibrosis by wearing something yellow. A child in school has asked us to support this worthwhile cause as it has supported her and her family.

If you and your family would like to take part and wear yellow, pictures would be gratefully received and can be uploaded to your child's Google classroom or tapestry account. This invitation is open to all students and their families and to all the school staff.

Below is a link to a just giving page and it would be lovely to help her reach her target.

https://www.facebook.com/donate/1003441336782320/?fundraiser_source=external-ur

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs H Montgomery

Medical Information

Please note that we will be using Boots Bite and sting Relief cream if children should require it during school time. If you do not wish us to use this product on your child, please speak to Mrs Wright in the school office.

You will not receive a Medical Tracker email when we use this, but your child will be given a sticker to notify you.

Hats on!

Hopefully, we will be lucky enough to enjoy some warm weather over the coming weeks and we will be encouraging our children to play outside as much as possible.

With this in mind, can we please remind parents to send their children into school with a suitable hat for protection and water to drink through out the day. We ask that sun cream is applied at home before school.



Spellathon

Before we closed in March, children took part in the Sponsored Spring Spellathon. Many thanks to everyone that donated.

We would like to give a special thanks to Oliver R who raised an amazing £55.

Alderman Jacobs Pre-School

Apply now for 2020-21

- Highly Qualified Staff
- Places available from the age of 3
- Early Years funding available - 15 and 30 hours
- Forest School - Hands on learning experiences in the natural environment
- PE sessions led by our Specialist Teacher
- Morning, afternoon or all day sessions available



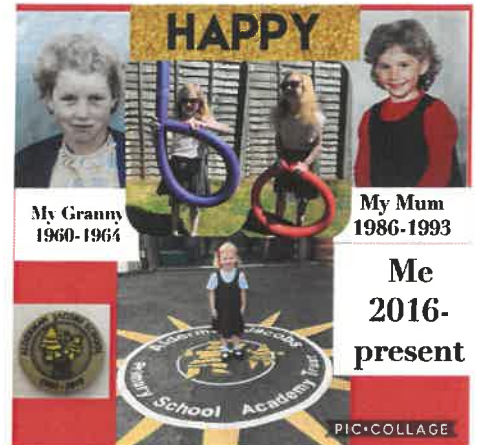
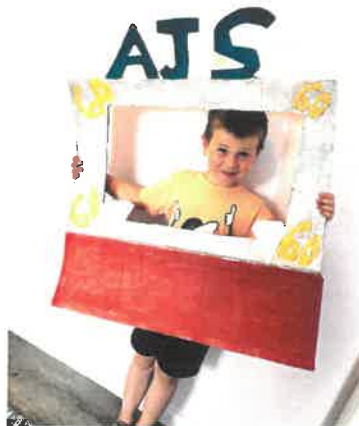
If you are interested in a place or would like more information, why not call us on 01733 202403.

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Alderman Jacobs celebrates 60 years!

On Friday 1st June Alderman Jacobs celebrated its 60th birthday, marking 60 years of education and fantastic achievements. Despite us all being apart at this time, our children and their families came together to celebrate our school's diamond anniversary at home in many wonderful and creative ways. A huge thank you to everyone who has taken the time to share this occasion with us from a distance and we are looking forward to celebrating together as a whole school when it is safe for us to do so.

Miss N York



Diary Dates

Professional Days

School will be closed to pupils on the following days:-

Weds 22nd and Thurs 23rd July 2020

Thurs 3rd and Fri 4th Sept 2020

Fri 23rd Oct 2020

Mon 2nd Nov 2020

Mon 4th Jan 2021

School Term dates 2019/20

Summer Term Closes ~ Tue 21st Jul 2020

School Term dates 2020/21

Autumn Term Opens ~ Mon 7th Sept 2020

Half Term ~ Mon 26th Oct ~ Fri 30th Oct 2020

Autumn Term Closes ~ Fri 18th Dec 2020

Spring Term Opens ~ Tues 5th Jan 2021

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