

Dear Parents/Carers,
We have had a dinosaur filled first week back here at Alderwood!



As you know, we have had the fantastic art group, Arty Party, in school this week. They were given the brief to create some large dino themed



installation art and they haven't disappointed! All children from across our school have worked with the team and have created a gigantic brontosaurus, a flying pterodactyl, a very frightening looking T-Rex head for our communal area. Don't be too frightened when you see them!

As you know, children in Birch Class are due to complete their statutory phonic screening next week. Please ensure that your child is in school, has had a good night's sleep and has had breakfast. Please do not worry your child about this screening, as it will be done in a very child friendly way.

We are very excited that the trips to the Unicorn Theatre are beginning to happen for Key Stage One. This is a great opportunity for our children to see a great production and complete a learning sequence around it. I'm sure your children will be full of enthusiasm about the show once they have been!

As you know, the Queen turns 90 this week and to celebrate this event our APA are holding a fantastic street style party on Friday 17th at 2pm. Children are able to wear red, white and blue for this event and parents and younger siblings are welcome to join in the fun. Please ensure that your child is in full uniform for the morning as it we are having our class photographs taken in the morning. This will be a great community event and we thank the APA for taking the lead.

Please could we ask all parents and visitors to be mindful to close the front gate as they enter school site for an extra security measure.

Please note that the Big Lunch is being held by Avery Hill Christian Fellowship on Sunday 12th June. Why not pop along?

Yours sincerely,
Mrs K Cutajar
Co-Head of School

Miss N Tilley
Co-Head of School

Dates for your Diary

13th June – Phonic Screening Check for Birch Class

14th June – Secondary Transfer meeting

14th June – Beech class- Unicorn Theatre Trip

17th June – Class Photos

17th June – Queen's 90th Party

21st June – Sports Day

23rd June – Sportathon – Year4

10th July - Closing Date for Registration for the Bexley Test

**25th July - 5th August –
Summer Club**

Assembly themes

Our core value for this half term is
"Enjoyment".

The next **Class Assembly** is
Hawthorn Class'
On **15th June** at **10.30am**.

Weekly Attendance

The class with the highest attendance last week is
Hawthorn Class
with 100%.

Well done!
We are aiming for 100% across the school.