



Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2024

### Headteacher's Message

We spend a lot of time talking to the children about the importance of feedback to help them learn. It is equally as important for us as a school to receive this feedback, so this week we had 6 headteachers and deputies review our school. One of the points they kept coming back to is how fantastic the children's learning behaviours are and how polite and friendly they were. I agree! Following on from the importance of feedback, thank you to everyone who completed our parental questionnaire. It was nice to hear that you feel your children are well cared for and receive a good education. We acknowledge that communication could be an area we improve and are working on this. The information from the questionnaire can be found here:

<https://www.alexandrapark-pri.stockport.sch.uk/assets/Documents/Attachments/Autumn-2023-Feedback.docx.pdf>

### Reading - Book Club

This week, some of our Year 4 children started their book club with our governor, Mr Walker. We were extremely impressed with the children's enthusiasm for reading and discussion around a text. We are looking forward to seeing this project grow over the year. Well done, Year 4.



### Year 2

We got creative on Friday afternoon by mark-making with a variety of tools. We used a range of objects such as corks, feathers, and pipe cleaners, and experimented with different techniques. Everyone loved seeing the effect of using different tools and had great fun thinking outside the box!



### Year 3

This week, Y3 have been inspired by Henri Matisse's "Cutting with Scissors." They collaged their own response to his artwork showing fantastic creativity.



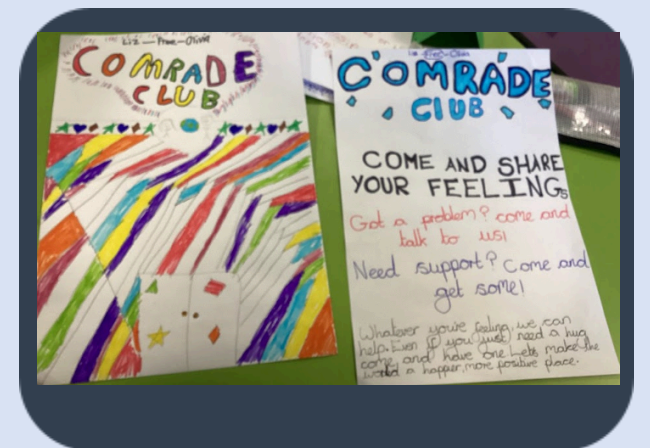
### Year 5

This week Year 5 visited the Wonderdome. This gave us the opportunity to explore space in a whole new way. We were excited to see the solar system come to life around us.



### Year 6

On Wednesday, some of our children worked with PLACED, an organisation specialising in place education and engagement. They discussed what they loved about Stockport, and created inspiring designs of spaces that could improve our local area. These plans are being taken by PLACED to discuss - may-be you might see our spaces come to life!



## Star of the Week

Star of the week assemblies are always a very special time. Seeing the children's reaction when they win is great! For me, seeing how their classmates respond is even better. I think today we smashed the record for most high 5s for our stars of the week. They were very popular choices with all their classmates, which was great to see.



## Important dates

End of spring term	Friday 9th February 2024
Phonics open morning for parents (KS1)	Friday 2nd February 2024
Start of spring 2	Tuesday 20th January 2024

## Alexandra Park Parents Association (APPA)

Are hosting a

Community Valentines Family Afternoon

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2024

13:45 – 16:00

Railway Club, Edgeley Road, Stockport

Come along for a fun afternoon

Fancy Dress, Wednesday Fans we look forward to seeing you

Bingo, Games, Glitter Tattoos,  
Mini Disco & Tuck Shop

95 places only



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Tickets - £10.00 - 2 Adults, 3 Children (up to 16 years)

£3.00 - Adult Ticket

£1.50 - Extra Child (up to 16 years)

(Includes Raffle Ticket & Bingo Ticket)

Free Blackcurrant & Orange juice

All proceeds to APPA, to host future events, for all the children of Alexandra  
Park

(If you would like to support the event, but are experiencing difficulties please  
see Children's Teacher or APPA team)



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