

Alexandra Park News

Friday 24th July 2026

As we come to the end of another school year, I just wanted to say a huge thank you to all of our children and families. It has been another fantastic year at Alexandra Park, and I feel incredibly grateful to be part of such a great school community.

I couldn't be prouder of our Year 6 children. Their SATs results are truly exceptional, with 95% achieving the expected standard in reading, 93% in maths and 93% in writing. Even more impressively, 88% achieved the expected standard in all three subjects – around 25% higher than the national average. These are incredible achievements and reflect years of hard work from the children, staff and families.

However, what makes us most proud of our Year 6 children isn't just their results. They are kind, caring, funny, thoughtful young people who have been an absolute privilege to have at Alexandra Park. We know they will go on to do brilliantly, and we wish every one of them the very best as they begin the next stage of their journey.

Across the whole school, I couldn't be prouder of all of our children. There is such a great feel around school, and our children continue to impress us every day with how caring, respectful and enthusiastic they are. I would also like to thank all of our staff for their incredible hard work, passion and dedication. They go above and beyond every day to provide the very best for the children, and I feel very fortunate to work alongside such a committed team.

Finally, thank you to all of our families for your continued support throughout the year. We genuinely value the partnership we have with you, and it makes a huge difference to the children.

If you haven't already completed our parent questionnaire, I would be very grateful if you could take a few minutes to do so. Your views are incredibly important in helping us understand what we do well and identify how we can continue to improve next year.

<https://forms.gle/zAozag5Y8J9Ly5KQA>

I hope you all have a wonderful summer holiday. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in September, refreshed and ready for another exciting year.

Best wishes,

Phil Brooke

Assembly

This week, we were excited to launch the **Summer Reading Challenge** in assembly! This year's theme is '**Read to the Beat**', encouraging children to enjoy reading throughout the summer while collecting rewards and certificates along the way. Children can take part by visiting their local library to collect their resources or by joining the challenge online. We hope as many children as possible will get involved – it's a fantastic way to keep reading over the holidays, continue developing a love of books, and give them something wonderful to celebrate with their new teacher in September.



Viking Awards

Congratulations to all of the children who have achieved their **Viking Award**! This special recognition celebrates the consistent demonstration of our school values: **Care, Aspire and Achieve**. This means these children have earned all three of their badges as well as an additional ten stars. We are incredibly proud of your efforts—keep shining and being fantastic role models for our school community!



Summer Reading Newsletter

During this week, we have celebrated all of the fantastic opportunities in school to develop reading for pleasure.

Please take some time to look at our summer reading newsletter, which also includes all of the information for our **Summer Reading Challenge**. Thank you for all of your continued support.

[Summer Reading Newsletter 2026](#)



EYFS

We would like to say a huge thank you to all our parents and carers for your support throughout this year. It has been a real pleasure welcoming and settling our children and families into school. We have loved getting to know you all and look forward to seeing the children continue to thrive next year!



KS1

Year 2 finally got to do their Sports Day this week after having to postpone in the heatwave! We were so proud of how all the children showed determination and brilliant teamwork throughout all the races.

What a way to end the year! Well done everyone!



KS2

Year 6 Show Production - Matilda

We were THRILLED with Year 6's performances of *Matilda: The Musical* – there were so many stand-out moments, including amazing song-and-dance numbers choreographed by Annemarie, props a-plenty, and some really brilliant acting performances. The children upped their game every day, and the end result has been described as one of the best shows Alex Park has ever seen! A memorable way to end their time at primary school. Well done to everyone on stage and behind the scenes.

KS2 Sports Day

A huge well done to all of our children for making this year's **KS2 Sports Day** such a fantastic event! We were incredibly proud of the determination, teamwork, resilience and sportsmanship shown by everyone throughout the day. It was wonderful to see the children encouraging one another and giving every challenge their best effort. Thank you to all the parents and carers who came along to cheer on the children and support the event.



Safety in the Community

As we continue through a busy academic year, we would like to kindly remind all families to take extra care when driving around the school grounds, particularly during drop-off and pick-up times. With many children moving around and our roads being quite narrow, it is especially important to drive slowly, stay alert, and be mindful of pedestrians at all times.

Thank you for helping us keep our school community safe.

Important Dates

Wednesday 2nd September 2026	Start of Autumn 1
Friday 23rd October 2026	End of Autumn 1

Contacting School

As a school, we send communication to parents in various ways, including via SeeSaw and Teacher2Parents.

If you need to contact the school directly, you can do so in the following ways:

- Call in at the school office. The office is open 8.00am - 4.00pm Monday to Thursday and 8.00am - 3.45pm on Fridays
- Telephone the school on 0161 480 5557
- Email directly our Admin Officer Joanne Lockett - joanne.lockett@alexandraparkprimary.uk
- Email directly our School Business Manager Emma Sorsby - emma.sorsby@alexandraparkprimary.uk

Our community

Please find information below around various summer opportunities.

Stockport County Community Trust

Kellogg's Football Camps running throughout the summer holidays.

The flyer below contains full details of camp dates, venues and booking information.

Both paid places and free Kellogg's-funded places are available to book via the link:



<https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/stockportcounty/courses.html>





County in the Park

Our popular County in the Park programme returns this summer, providing free sports and activities in local parks across Stockport.

Please see the attached flyer for dates, times, and venues.

HAF Holiday Provision

We are also delivering our Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme at:

- Dial Park Primary School
- Whitehill Primary School

Dates: Tuesday 4 August – Friday 28 August

Times: 10:00am – 3:00pm, four days per week

Children can enjoy:

- Exciting trips
- Arts and crafts
- Climbing wall activities
- A wide range of sports
- Fun games and challenges

- Free breakfast and lunch provided each day

The programme is available to children in Reception through to Year 7 who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals.

Families can book their place on a Stockport County Community Trust session via the HAF booking platform: [Book HAF Activities](#)

The programme offers a safe, engaging environment where children can stay active, make friends, and enjoy a fun-filled summer holiday.

FREE NO BOOKING REQUIRED

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COUNTY SUMMER HOLIDAYS IN THE PARK FOOTBALL SESSIONS

Monday 25 th July	Monday 3 rd August	Monday 10 th August
Valley Bents Avenue in Bredbury, SK6 2LF 11:00am to 1:00pm	Valley Bents Avenue in Bredbury, SK6 2LF 11:00am to 1:00pm	Valley Bents Avenue in Bredbury, SK6 2LF 11:00am to 1:00pm
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Monday 17 th August	Monday 24 th August
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Sessions are open to both boys and girls, aged 6-12. Parent/Guardian sign in required. Footwear - trainers only.

For further details please get in touch 0161 266 2700 communitytrust@stockportcounty.com

