

# Aldryngton Primary School

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10<sup>th</sup> October

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Thank you to all of you that have donated today in support of World Homeless Day. This year we are once again raising funds for New Beginnings and CIRDIC. The links to donate if you haven't done so already are below:

### **New Beginnings**

<https://www.newbeginningsreading.org/donate>

### **CIRDIC**

<https://www.cirdic.org.uk/donation.html>

A reminder that we will be collecting food on Thursday to donate to CIRDIC. Please could these be brought to the hall.

### **Forthcoming Parent Governor Election**

We are due to have a vacancy for a parent governor in December. The governing body would particularly welcome a potential governor with financial expertise. If you would be interested in finding out more about this role, then please speak to the office, so that an appointment can be made to discuss this further with the Chair of Governors and myself.

### **Acceptable User Agreements**

We have recently reviewed our online safety policy and now have updated our acceptable user agreements for computers in school. We will be sending out the child version, which we would be grateful that you could respond to as soon as possible. Thank you in advance for your support.

### **Evidence Me Parent Workshop: 10<sup>th</sup> October (4pm)**

Evidence Me is used in EYFS to capture the learning that your child makes in Foundation Stage. There is a workshop taking place on today at 4pm. A separate letter has been sent out regarding this.

### **PTA Diwali Fayre: 13<sup>th</sup> October**

A reminder that this is taking place after school on Friday. Thank you to members of the PTA that have organised this event.

### **Accelerated Reader Parent Training: 17<sup>th</sup> October**

After children have completed the Read, Write, Inc scheme for phonics (which usually takes place in Y2), children move onto the Accelerated Reader scheme. Accelerated Reader is then used throughout Key Stage 2. It works by children completing a reading test online, which then provides children with a zone of proximal development (ZPD). Children then choose their books from the decimal number range. Once the children have completed their book, they complete a comprehension quiz online and the results are then made available to the teacher. This training will be a recording made by Mrs Dunn and will be sent out via email that day. Therefore, if your child is not yet on the scheme, but joins it later in Y2, then you can refer to it then.

### **PTA Disco: 19<sup>th</sup> October**

This is taking place after school on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October. Thank you to members of the PTA that have organised this event.



Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Wieder". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Mark Wieder  
Headteacher