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**Dear Parents** 

#### International Week

We enjoyed a hugely successful International Week in school last week. The children learnt about a different continent in their year groups, with a particular focus on Art and Architecture. We hope many of you were able to visit the amazing exhibition of the work they produced. We are so grateful to all the adults who helped to make the week such a success, especially the parents who came in to lead workshops with the children. Thank you very much.

### **Special Educational Needs Information Report Review**

On our website we publish our SEN Information Report which explains the provision we make for the education of children with Special Educational Needs at Alban City School. Every year we review the report to ensure that the information is up to date and can be clearly understood by parents. We would be grateful to receive any feedback by the end of term to help us with this review. The report can be found in the policies section of the school website, or the office can provide a paper copy if you would like one.

# Free Feelings Workshops for parents being held at St Albans Girls' School.

We are sharing this information with you in case it is of interest to any families.

# 'My Feelings Matter' - for Primary school families - Monday 26th March 9:30 - 12 noon.

The course covers the links between feelings, thoughts and behaviours. Recognising and understanding early warning signs. Exploring feelings and how to deal with them.

Contact fiona@familiesfeelingsafe.co.uk or call 07748 332606 to book a place.

'Managing Strong Feelings' - for both Primary and Secondary school families - 28th March 1:00pm - 3:00pm The course covers the links between feelings, thoughts and behaviours. It helps you to understand the context of behaviours and gives ideas for dealing with behaviours.

Contact dave@familiesfeelingsafe.co.uk or call 07929 742295 to book a place.

### Multi-sports holiday activity

PSD, who currently provide our PE coaching, are hoping to run a 2 day multi sports activity during the Easter holidays at school. The dates are Thursday 12th and Friday 13th April. A flyer with more details and booking information will be sent out soon. Mr Roberts, who used to work at Alban City School, will be leading some of the sessions.

### **School Meal Prices**

We have been notified by Hertfordshire Catering that the cost of school meals for children in Year Three and above will increase from April. The catering company has said that the increase in price has been brought about due to the implementation of the living wage, and an increase in food costs. A meal will cost £2.40 per day.

The new Spring/Summer menu will start after the Easter break; more information will be sent home next week about the meal choices.

Yours sincerely

Mrs I Goddard and Mrs G Stray

Co-Headteachers