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Dear Parents

As we come to the end of another term here at Alban City School it does feel as if the last few weeks have flown by. When we started thinking about all the activities and events that have taken place this term we have wondered how we managed to fit everything in!

If you attended the Year Five plays or the Year Four concert last week, I hope that you enjoyed the performances. The children certainly enjoyed performing for you. The classes have continued to participate in sharing assemblies and it is always lovely to see the children sharing their learning with you.

We have had a number of information sharing events for parents this term such as the e-safety information evening and Parent Teacher consultations. Please do remember to check the class blogs on the website as these are regularly updated with information about what your child is learning in class.

The Maths Problem Solving Day in February and the International Week were very successful and we are very grateful to everyone who gave up their time and expertise to help us.

We do believe that we offer the children a very well rounded curriculum here at Alban City School and the visits, trips, speakers, clubs, music and sporting activities all help to provide the children with an enriched curriculum.

Sport Relief

Thank you for your donations for Sports Relief. £457 was collected and donated to this worthwhile cause.

School Meals

We have been notified by Hertfordshire Catering that the cost of school meals is to increase next term. The new price from April 17th will be £2.40 per meal.

Staffing

Mrs Carter started her maternity leave this week, a little earlier than expected so we will let you know when we have any baby news. Miss Gardiner is joining our team to cover Mrs Carter's maternity leave so we welcome her to our school. We also say goodbye and thank you to Mrs Boyle (Teaching Assistant in Sage Class) who will be leaving us on Thursday.

Year 5 Residential Trip

For the children who have signed up to go on the residential trip in May we are giving you advance notice that your child will need to take a sleeping bag and pillow with them. If they do not have a sleeping bag they will be required to take bedding and a duvet. We thought that you may appreciate having this information now so that you can make arrangements if needed. Nearer to the time we will hold a meeting where further information and a kit list will be supplied.

Beaumont School

Please find listed below some information from Beaumont School about an event later in the year. Beaumont School extends an invitation to Alban City School to our annual Robs Festival on the 23rd June. Robs festival is a community charity festival to remember former student Rob Williams, since 2010 we have raised over £50,000 for the Princes Trust and Beaumont. The festival hopes to bring community together welcoming all ages to enjoy live music, football tournaments, face-painting, games and a bouncy castle. For more information <https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/>

End of Term

We finish for the Easter break on Thursday 29th March at 1.30pm with the children returning to school on Tuesday 17th April at the usual time. We hope that you have a lovely break.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Goddard and Mrs G Stray
Co-Headteachers