



# Aldwyn Primary School

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Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

## Looking Ahead...

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Year 5 Viking Day Tatton Park	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Whole school flu vaccines
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Year 6 Macbeth	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup> , 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Cook for Life
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> , Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents Evenings – information to follow	Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	Deadline for Y7 applications



The children have been enjoying taking part in their PE sessions, lunchtime sports and after school football clubs with our new sports coach, Mr Cole who will be working at Aldwyn throughout the year. We wish Mr Cole a warm welcome and hope that he enjoys his time at Aldwyn.

## Aldwyn Values

Care      Value      Listen  
Help      Achieve

Class 30 have been learning about the Mexican artist Frida Kahlo. She was a good example of our school value, achieve.

We drew our own portraits in the same colourful style as Frida.



Aldwyn Young Carers meet each week with Miss Carney, Miss Neals and Miss Ravenscroft in their 'Happy Hub'. This is a safe space where they are able to talk openly, play games and craft together whilst supporting each other. The group are currently fundraising towards activity equipment for the Happy Hub. Each class have their own jar for collections. If you would like to make a donation towards the effort, please send any donations in on Monday.



More information on Young Carers, and the support available in Tameside can be found at [Tameside Young Carers](https://www.tameside.gov.uk/young-carers). If your child is a Young Carer and you would like them to be involved in the Aldwyn group, please email [admin@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk](mailto:admin@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk) or speak to Mrs Clark or one of the Young Carer team.

# cook 4 life

## FREE 'COOK4LIFE' Healthy Cooking Programme

Aldwyn have been chosen to take part in a **FREE** 'Cook4Life' healthy cooking programme in partnership with the Children's Nutrition Team during October.

The Cook4Life programme is a 3-week programme designed to inspire and develop the overall lifestyle of participating families. The programme is designed to encourage children to make healthy choices from an early age, by supporting families to develop their skills and confidence when preparing and cooking meals.

The course will be delivered virtually. The Children's Nutrition Team will deliver all food and resources directly to school and we will distribute it to the families taking part and they will engage with participating families through phone call catchups and questionnaires.

This is a great opportunity, but places are very limited so if you would like to take part please email [admin@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk](mailto:admin@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk). Places will be offered on a first come first served basis.



Staff at Aldwyn were proud and excited to hear that former Aldwyn pupil Ellie Leach will be taking part in the new series of Strictly Come Dancing.

Ellie Leach is an actor who is best known for portraying Faye Windass on Coronation Street.

We will be tuning in on Saturday evening to see who her partner will be and her first performance in the series.

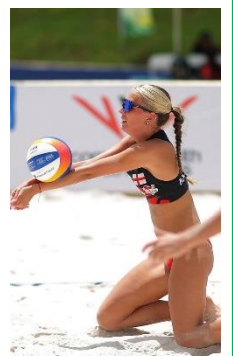
We wish Ellie the best of luck for the competition, and who knows, maybe we will even get a glimpse of the glitter, glitz and glamour at Aldwyn Primary School along the way!



Former Aldwyn pupil Daisy Boardman was selected to represent Team England at the Commonwealth Youth Games held in Trinidad and Tobago over the summer. Daisy and her team partner Alice played in the Beach Volleyball pairs competition against teams from 12 nations. They successfully came through the group stages and finished the tournament in an amazing 5<sup>th</sup> place overall. The Aldwyn team were very proud to see Daisy's achievements, and many tuned in to watch the matches as she played. We look forward to hearing more of Daisy's successes in the future.

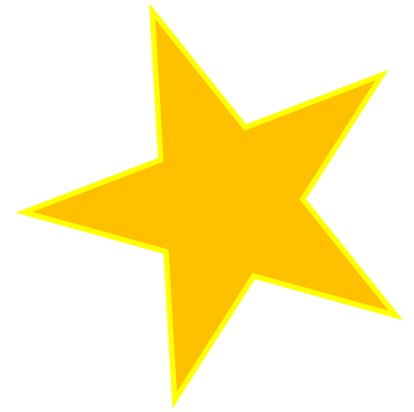
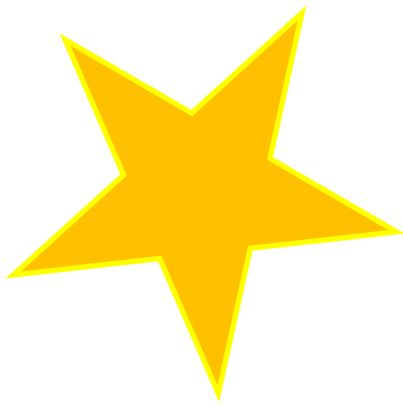
If you are interested in playing volleyball, our local clubs are in Stockport and Urmston.

<https://www.stockportvolleyball.co.uk/>  
[Urmston Grammar Volleyball club](#)





# To be our best at



We will:

- Care for people and property
- Value others at all times
- Listen, think and follow instructions
- Be helpful, kind and polite
- Enjoy and achieve in all our work

Each week teachers choose a star of the week based on the Aldwyn Values.

The winners of this week's awards are:

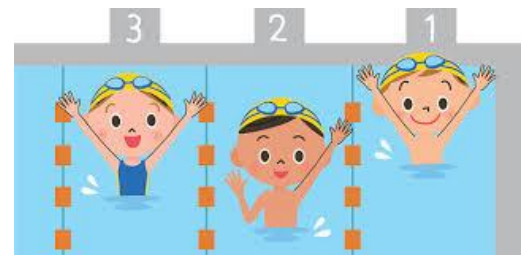
Sophia	Rumaan	Bonnie Blu	Ella Paige	Henry	Roan
Teddie	Seren	Luke	Roni Bea	Amaya	Oscar
Rose	Dolcie	Annie	Harry	Hugo	Mia
Noah	Emily	Mohammad	Mila	Ava	Evie
Grace	Rayaan				

## Swimmer of the Week

Well done to our Year 5 students who have all worked incredibly hard at their swimming lessons this last week. A special mention to our swimmers of the week:

Raph  
Jack  
Jannat

Harriet  
Darbey  
Alexis



## The Birthday Message



We wish you many happy returns of the day.  
We hope you will be healthy and strong all the way  
Strong to do right, slow to do wrong,  
And thoughtful of others all day long.



This week we celebrate the birthdays of:

Elizabeth	Mason	Bobby
Deason	Jonah	Rory
Joseph	Riley	Jasmine
Erin	Sienna	Joseph
Vass	Eliza	Mr. Loy



The School Allotment is looking spectacular after our long Summer break and all of the lovely sunshine we have been having. Thank you for your donations of carpet and weed control lining.

We are now in need of wood chipping to line our paths. Any donations of bags of wood chipping will be very gratefully appreciated!

Please speak to Mrs Parks in Year 1 if you have any donations.

Alternatively, you can email school

[admin@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk](mailto:admin@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk)



The Friends of Aldwyn is the name given to our PTA. Anyone connected with Aldwyn: parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle, staff can be a part of the Friends of Aldwyn group. We are an active group of volunteers made up from all areas of our school community and there is a role to suit everyone's strengths whether you prefer to do jobs behind the scenes in preparation for events or a stall holder, DJ or caterer at an event – and many other roles too.

Being a member of the Friends group will not only benefit the children but will be of benefit to you too. It gives you the opportunity to develop new relationships and meet other families within our community as well as trying something new and helping to make a difference.

To find out more about the Friends of Aldwyn and how you may be able to offer your support, please join us at the first meeting of this school year where we will be planning for Halloween and Christmas events.

Christmas  
Fayre

£1734

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September

7pm

Halloween  
Disco

£1019

The Snipe

(Tea, coffee, and biscuits provided by Kate, landlady at The Snipe)

Easter  
Hampers

£459

If you are unable to make this meeting but would like to be involved, please email [friendsofaldwyn@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk](mailto:friendsofaldwyn@aldwyn.tameside.sch.uk)

These are an example of some of our fundraising successes from last year:

Father's  
Day stall

£608

ALDFEST

£2297

Springtime  
Disco

£1059

Mother's  
Day stall

£547



The Together Centre's

# MOBILE FOOD PANTRY



Unable to leave your home due to your health and/or wellbeing?

Have you returned from a recent stay in hospital?

## WE CAN HELP.. ..

To make a referral to receive a weekly parcel delivered directly to your door for just £4.50 on Fridays between 10.00AM - 1.00PM, please email

[Rebeka@thetogethercentre.org.uk](mailto:Rebeka@thetogethercentre.org.uk) or contact us on 0161 366 1987! **\*\*Payment in CASH to be made on delivery\*\***

The Together Centre, 287 Birch Lane Dukinfield SK16 5AU

# Manchester Football Development



At Droylsden Academy (Sports Hall)

Manor Rd, Manchester, M43 6QD

Starting on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023

**In association with First Kick Football**

School years - Reception and Year 1

6.00pm - 6:45pm

School years - Year 2 and Year 3

6:45pm - 7:30pm

School years - Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6

7:30pm - 8:30pm

Dear Parents,

Places are now available to join a new 12-week football course every Tuesday at Droylsden Academy, starting 26<sup>th</sup> September, which is open to both boys and girls.

Our courses teach children correct football techniques by FA qualified coaches who have full DBS (CRB) clearance to work with children. The structure for the course is 'FUN through Football,' building confidence for total beginners and moving onto more complex sessions for experienced players.

We provide a **ball per player** for the majority of our drills ensuring children get more touches of the ball and improve quicker than conventional coaching where children are waiting around to have a turn. The sessions are held inside the fantastic sports hall, so trainers should be worn. Players are also advised to bring a still drink for the session.

**The club has links to local junior teams of which players will be able to play for at the weekend. Players who show advanced ability on the course will be recommended for trials at professional academies. Players who have previously attended courses are currently playing for Blackburn Rovers, Preston North End, Manchester United, Liverpool, Blackpool, Everton, Burnley, Bolton, Oldham, Rochdale and Wigan.**

The cost of the course is just over £5 per week, which is payable in two instalments. The first payment of £30 is due when booking your child on and the second payment of £40 due at the first session. Parents are encouraged to watch the sessions but are welcome to leave children, as every session is fully supervised.

### **\*\*NEW TOURNAMENT FORMAT\*\***

Every four weeks we have a tournament in order for the children to put their new-found skills into practice with medals and trophies awarded at the end of the course for various categories.

**ALL PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY & A MEDAL** at the presentation, which is held on the final week of the course. Additional trophies will also be awarded in each group from categories including; Best Attitude, Star Player, Most Improved Player, Most Promising Player and Hardest Working Player.

To book a place for your child please telephone the number below as soon as possible as a high response is expected.



**TO BOOK PLEASE TELEPHONE**

**Ben**

**0161 302 2510 or 07514 316 534**



We cannot guarantee that the course will run in consecutive weeks.

## SCHOOL OPEN EVENING DATES AND TIMES

SCHOOL NAME	OPEN EVENING	TIME
<b>Alder Community High School</b> (Community)	<b>Thursday 28 September 2023</b> <a href="https://www.aldercommunityhighschool.org.uk">https://www.aldercommunityhighschool.org.uk</a>	<b>4:30pm – 6:30pm</b>
<b>All Saints Catholic College</b> (Voluntary Academy)	<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023</b> <a href="https://www.allsaintscatholiccollege.com">https://www.allsaintscatholiccollege.com</a>	<b>6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>
<b>Audenshaw School</b> (Academy)	<b>Thursday 5th October 2023</b> <a href="http://www.audenshawschool.org.uk">http://www.audenshawschool.org.uk</a>	<b>5:00pm – 7:00pm</b>
<b>Copley Academy</b> (Academy)	<b>Wednesday 4th October 2023</b> <a href="https://www.copleyacademy.org.uk">https://www.copleyacademy.org.uk</a>	<b>5:00pm – 7:30pm</b>
<b>Denton Community College</b> (Community)	<b>Wednesday 27th September 2023</b> <a href="https://dentoncommunitycollege.org.uk">https://dentoncommunitycollege.org.uk</a>	<b>6:00pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>Droylsden Academy</b> (Academy)	<b>Thursday 28th September 2023</b> <a href="https://www.droylsdenacademy.com">https://www.droylsdenacademy.com</a>	<b>6:00pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>Fairfield High School for Girls</b> (Academy)	<b>Thursday 5th October 2023</b> <a href="https://www.fairfieldhigh.tameside.sch.uk">https://www.fairfieldhigh.tameside.sch.uk</a>	<b>6:00pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>Great Academy Ashton</b> (Academy)	<b>Thursday 5th October 2023</b> <a href="http://gaa.org.uk">http://gaa.org.uk</a>	<b>5.00pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>Hyde High School</b> (Community)	<b>Thursday 5th October 2023</b> <a href="http://www.hydehighschool.uk">http://www.hydehighschool.uk</a>	<b>6:00pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>Laurus Ryecroft High School</b> (Free School)	<b>Wednesday 4th October 2023</b> <a href="https://www.laurusryecroft.org.uk">https://www.laurusryecroft.org.uk</a>	<b>5:30pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>Longdendale High School</b> (Academy)	<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023</b> <a href="https://longdendalehighschool.org.uk">https://longdendalehighschool.org.uk</a>	<b>5:30pm – 8:30pm</b>
<b>Mossley Hollins High School</b> (Community)	<b>Tuesday 26th September 2023</b> <a href="https://www.mossleyhollins.com">https://www.mossleyhollins.com</a>	<b>6:00pm – 9:00pm</b>
<b>Rayner Stephens High School</b> (Academy)	<b>Thursday 28th September 2023</b> <a href="https://raynerstephens.org.uk">https://raynerstephens.org.uk</a>	<b>4:30pm – 8:30pm</b>
<b>St Damian's RC Science College</b> (Voluntary Aided)	<b>Monday 2nd October 2023</b> <a href="https://www.stdamians.co.uk">https://www.stdamians.co.uk</a>	<b>5:30pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>St Thomas More RC College</b> (Voluntary Aided)	<b>Thursday 28th September 2023</b> <a href="https://www.stmcollege.org.uk">https://www.stmcollege.org.uk</a>	<b>6:00pm – 8:00pm</b>
<b>West Hill School</b> (Academy)	<b>Thursday 28th September 2023</b> <a href="https://www.westhillschool.co.uk">https://www.westhillschool.co.uk</a>	<b>6:00pm – 8:00pm</b>

Information correct at time of writing. Please check individual schools' web sites before you plan your visit.

**Wright Robinson**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September**

**4pm – 7.30pm**

<https://www.wrightrobinson.co.uk/>

Applications for Tameside residents must be made via [www.tameside.gov.uk/schools/admissions](http://www.tameside.gov.uk/schools/admissions) by Monday 31st October 2023