

Updates from Alconbury Elementary School

Friday, February 1, 2013

February 4	Parent-Teacher Conferences – No Students
February 6	Wednesday Honor Roll Assembly - 0900- Cafeteria
February 7	Straight A Breakfast
February 8	Commissary Sandwich Lunch
February 14	Early Release of Students – 1:30 p.m.
February 18	President's Day Holiday – No school
February 22	Class Pictures



February is Dental Health Awareness Month

The theme for this year is "GET A GOLD MEDAL SMILE". Dentists from the RAF Alconbury Clinic will be here on February 19.

Students who have a signed parent permission form will be examined by the dentist.

~Nurse Vicki A.

From Your AES PTA:

<u>Class Pictures:</u> Class pictures are coming up on Friday, February 22nd.

<u>Facebook Contest:</u> Attention AES Parents! We are starting a Facebook competition. For every parent who "LIKES" our "Alconbury Elementary School PTA" page, their student will receive a FREE POPCORN coupon. Competition runs from January 20-February 28th (current parents on the site will be included in this competition). The coupon will be sent to your child's teacher after the deadline and they will hand it to each student. Our Facebook page is a great way of keeping up to date on all AES/PTA news. Please join us today!!

Volunteers Needed: PTA is looking volunteers for our upcoming events:

Read Across America	March 1
Teacher Luncheon	March 8
Spring Book Fair	March 18-22
Teacher Appreciation Week	May 6-10
School Dance	May 17
Popcorn Days	March 22, April 26, May 24

If you are able to volunteer, please contact us at alconburypta@yahoo.com.

<u>PTA Annual School Dance:</u> Our annual dance will not be until May 17th, but we wanted to let everyone know this year's theme will be 50's Sock Hop! So start making plans for the Best Dressed contest.

Thank You: PTA wanted to say THANK YOU to everyone who volunteered to help at our last couple of events. We couldn't do what we do without YOU!!

Thank you,

AES PTA

Mission Statement

The Department of Defense Education Activity provides, in military communities worldwide, exemplary educational programs that inspire and prepare all students for success in a global environment.

Vision Statement

The Alconbury Elementary School Community will provide the opportunity for students to develop academic skills and those characteristics which lead to responsible citizenship in a safe learning environment.

ART BE Kind

<u>BE SMART</u> SAFE

Playground Rules

~Be Responsible

Others Feel Safe to

[~]Make Good Choices

[~]Do Your Best Work At All

[~]Follow Classroom and

[~]Treat Everyone Nicely

[~]Follow

[~]Help Others

Hallway Rules ~Help

Learn in the

Classroom

Times

CSI Goals

<u>Goal 1</u> - By June 2014, all students will increase performance on targeted written communication skills listed in the DoDEA grade level standards using instructional interventions in all curricular areas as measured by the 6 Traits writing rubrics (Primary or Intermediate focusing on Word Choice, Sentence Fluency, and Conventions), the TerraNova 3 language arts subtest; and the vocabulary and Grammar-Usage-and-Mechanics (GUM) assessments from Reading Streets

<u>Goal 2</u> - By June 2014, all students will increase performance on targeted mathematical problem solving and reasoning skills using instructional interventions in all curricular areas as measured by the TN3 Mathematics subtest and school based assessments. The targeted skills are the understanding of numbers and number relationships (rounding, estimating, comparing, and measurement) and the application of strategies to solve real world problems.

Have A Wonderful Weekend!

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