



RAWMARSH ASHWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

(Part of Wickersley Partnership Trust)

NEWSLETTER & DIARY DATES –February 2018

Parent Consultation Evenings

Our next consultation evenings will be held on Tues 20th 3:30-6:00pm and Wednesday 21st February 2:30-5:00pm. Appointment sign-up sheets will be outside classrooms from Monday 5th Feb.

Sports News

We are extremely proud to have been awarded the Bronze School Games Mark. This is a Government led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success.

Music

All the classes have been learning the recorder over the course of this term, with Mr Howlett-Wright. We have been really impressed with the children's efforts. Did you know we currently offer 1:1 tuition on flute and guitar? Ask at reception for more information.

Mrs Levesley's School News

It has been a really busy few weeks since we came back from the Christmas break. The children have been working hard and have begun an exciting new topic.

Year 1 and Year 2 are learning about Pirates. The children have learned the seven continents and five oceans. Can you name them? Watch this space for news about a special pirate visitor coming soon!

Year 3 and Year 4's topic is called 'What a Wonderful World'. So far they have learned about space and created some gorgeous displays in the classroom and corridor.

Year 5 and Year 6 have a theme entitled 'It's a Gas'. They have been creating volcanoes and will be learning about the water cycle in this science based topic.

In our Foundation Unit, we have had some family learning events: Firstly, the children dressed in their PJs and heard stories from lots of parents and carers to promote reading. Then we held an ICT themed day, where the children got to try out lots of new technology. Thank you to all the families who supported these events.

I will be hosting my 'Afternoon Tea' for those children who have earned a 'Reach for the Stars' certificate and the two lucky winners of the raffle draw next Thursday afternoon. Well done to all the children chosen this time round.

Scooter Pod

After half term, the timetable for the scooter pod will change to:

Mon: Y1 Tue: Y6 and Y3

Weds: Y2 Thur: Foundation

Fri: Y5 and Y4

PTA News

A huge THANK YOU to the Ashwood PTA for their Christmas gift of £50 to each class to spend on something of the children's choice to improve the classroom.

The teachers have been sale shopping to get the best value and the bargains have included board games, playdough, craft kits and top trumps cards!

Save our Seas

Brooke, Chloe and Mia in Y6 hosted an assembly on Monday, all about how plastic is polluting our ocean. They are running a poster competition open to all ages, with fishy themed prizes, which will be judged on Monday.

50p per entry

DIARY DATES

Friday 9th Feb 2018 – Last day before half term

Mon 19th Feb – Back to school

Tues 20th Feb - Consultation evening

Weds 21st Feb - Consultation afternoon

Tuesdays from 20th Feb - Y4 Group 2 swimming

Fri 23rd March - Easter Holidays

Mon 9th Apr - school re-opens

Wed 25th Apr - Sports Day @EIS

Fri 27th Apr - Class Photographs

Mon14th – Thu17th May- Y6 SATs week

21st-25th May - Y6 @ Scarborough

Fri 25th May - last day before half term

Mon 4th June - School re-opens

Mon 18th – Wed 20th June- Y5 Cycling Training

Fri 22nd June - Y6 Leaving Day

Fri 20th July - School closes for Summer

Parent Pay

Just a little reminder to please check your balance on Parent Pay before ordering your child's meals. Milk should be paid for on parent pay, but please remember to tick the milk list in your child's classroom to help our milk monitors get the milk to the right children.

1:1 Lunchtime support

We are in need of an SMSA to support a child during their lunchtime. Interested? Please see Mrs Levesley

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