



Redmarley C of E Primary Academy Newsletter

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Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

Despite the miserable weather we had a lovely end to our term with the Easter festivities. On the day of the Daffodil walk the weather was kind to us and we had a super walk. Thank you to all of the parents who joined us. We were amazed that the reception children managed the entire walk – we walked nonstop for two hours and they didn't moan once!

Our Bingo evening was a great success and we think that there were over 70 people in the hall. Put it this way, there were no chairs left in the hall to sit on. Thank you to all who donated chocolate for the prizes and to the PTFA who put on a super supper. The chilli was spot on!

Class 3 led our final Worship in Church and we welcomed our friends from St Bartholomew's who run God Squad and Meeting Point. The children in Class 3 worked hard to show the Easter Story from different people's points of view. Well done Class 3.

Our final Cake Café of the year was also well attended and the raffle was also well supported. All in all we raised approximately £900.00 from our Easter events. Many thanks to everyone, it is much appreciated.

The Church invite you all to a Morning Has Broken Service at 7.30am which will take place in Redmarley Woods. People will meet at the church, walk to the woods for a short service and then return to The Forge for bacon sandwiches. All are welcome.

Kind regards

Sarah Smith
Head Teacher

Value of the Term - Service

Our new value of the term is Service. Through this value we will be focusing on how to not be too busy to help others – small acts make a big difference. Our Values tree is always ready to grow some more leaves on it so if you see any examples of Service value at home, please pop it on a leaf and send it in. If you need any more leaves – please send in your plastic wallet to be refilled.

Attached is our Homes School Value Sheet for this term. Please find time to go through this with your child for reinforce our value at home and do send in any 'Service Snails' to go on our board in the hall.

Diary Dates

APRIL

- Mon 16 Summer 1 starts
Clubs start this week
Reception hearing and vision tests
- Tues 17 PTFA Meeting – 6.30pm
- Thur 19 Y4 – In the Net play at Highnam School
- Sun 22 Morning Has Broken Church Service- 7.30am
- Tues 24 Y3/4 Tag Rugby competition
- Sat 28 Jumble Sale 2 – 4pm

MAY

- Fri 4 Y5 Primary Quest Lego Challenge
- Mon 7 May Day Bank Holiday
- Tues 8 Bags To School
- Thur 10 Swimming Gala
- Sat 12 PTFA Plant Sale
- Mon 14 SATs week for Year 6
- Fri 18 Rec/Y1 and Y2 Sports Morning at Hartpury College
- Tues 22 Y5/6 Maths 24 Competition
- Weds 23 Guide Dogs for Blind Worship
- Fri 25 Tag Rugby Festival at Ledbury Rugby Club
Last Day of Summer 1

JUNE

- Mon 4 Summer 2 starts
- Weds 6 Class Photos
- Thur 7 Y5 Taster Day at Newent School
Y6 Cathedral Service
- Mon 11 Start of Y5/6 Activity

Respect • Persevere • Achieve

Pre-School Opportunity

You may have seen in your child's bag a flyer for Happy Turtles Pre School who are looking to set up a pre-school facility in the Village Hall. They have a very successful pre-school in Dymock and are fully subscribed there. I understand that they feel that they could do the same in Redmarley. However in order to proceed they need to have enough registered interest. Please use the email address below to register your interest, even if your child is not old enough in September. Please also pass on the details to other parents locally. I think that it is a wonderful opportunity that we don't want to miss out on. To fill in the online form click on <http://bit.ly/redmarleynursery> or for further information contact fran@happyturtles.co.uk.

PTFA Jumble Sale

It's getting closer to our PTFA Jumble Sale. Please do send in any items and clothing that you may have to support our sale.

Class One News

In our class we are starting our new topic of Plants and Animals. We have been making petals today and our classroom is going to have lots of new pictures and paintings!

By Petraki Kouzaris and Michael Taylor-Brown

Class Two News

We have had fun making pasta skeletons. We have been learning about explanation texts. We also did the water cycle.

By Julia Urban and Hollie Taylor

Class Three News

Everyone has had two weeks off for the Easter Holidays so we are all ready for a new term to start! Before the holidays we went on a daffodil walk in Redmarley Woods. It was a rainy week so everyone had to bring welly boots! We held Easter Bing and we all brought in Easter Eggs.

We have started a new topic in Class 3, it is based on a book called "Around the World in 80 days". Everyone is researching the countries of the world.

By Ffion Evans and Tom Sadler

Congratulations...

Golden Book

Erin Garbutt-Griffiths x2
Lily James x2 Erinna Pumfrey
Jack Sharpe Esme Grange
Beca James x4 Hannah Lumb
Tom Sadler Issy Smith
Rory Arrowsmith Lily Sharpe
Evan Alder Charlie Lee
Sienna Warwick x2
Petraki Kouzaris x2
Lexi Williams x3 Izzy Crispe
Olivia Hall Haydee Lake
Ethan Hill Darcy Scott
Joshua Thorn x2 Oliver Flusk
Tiffany Harris Hollie Taylor
Maisy Duke Archie Hall x2
Amelia Taylor-Brown x2
Harvey Taylor x2
Jenson Arrowsmith x3
Tilly Bengier x2 Libby Harry
Emelia Lumb Brooke Taylor
Julia Urban Jack Bisco
Olivia Middlecote Rosie Fakuna
Aimee Ballinger x3
Ava-May Evans x2
Isabella Dodane x2
David Skene x 2
Lexi Fellows James Wood
Ella Richards x2 Ashton Cooper
Arthur Warner x 4
Stanley Grange Michael Harris
Poppy Smith x 4 Emmy Bengier
Ffion Evans Lewis Farrell
Issy Smith Emelia Lumb
Izzy Fellows

Star of the Week for Justice

Class 1

Olivia Hall
Tiffany Harris

Class 2

Tilly Bengier
Jenson Arrowsmith

Class 3

Jack Sharpe

Welcome back after the holidays. I hope that you are all ready to work hard. Mrs Smith.