

# Roberttown CE (VC) J&I School Weekly Newsletter



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Dear Parent/Carer,

Please note the following will be emailed as an attachment, available on ParentMail or a paper copy will be sent home with the relevant year groups or individuals:

- School Holiday list – updated (email)
- Event List – (email)
- Huddersfield Town Ticket Vouchers (paper)
- Y5/6 (Current Y4/5) Residential Visit: Alex Rider Mission Briefing (e-mail)

## After School Clubs – Spring Term

We still have places available on the following After School Clubs: If your child would like to attend any of our clubs please book and pay on ParentPay.

ICT	Y2 - 6	Monday
Team Games ( <b>only 50p!</b> ) (2 x Spaces left)	Y3 - 6	Monday
Homework	Y3 - 6	Tuesday
ICT	Y3 - 6	Wednesday
Fit for Life ( <b>only 50p!</b> ) (1 x Spaces left)	Y3 - 6	Thursday
Coding (1 x Space left)	Y2-6	Thursday
KS1 Sports ( <b>only 50p!</b> ) (1 x Space left)	Y1 - 2	Friday
Maths	Y5 - 6	Friday

**Maths After School Club is about having fun with maths, gaining confidence and resilience in different areas for example in art, outdoor problem solving etc.**

## PFA 'Donate a Gift' Non-Uniform day

Thank you for your support and the donations received last Friday for raffle or tombola prize at future PFA events.

## Y5/6 Football

Oliver Binns, Alex Garcia, Marcus Garcia, Macy Weathers, Benjamin Leach, James Leach and Jack Holmes took part in a friendly football game against Hightown Primary School last Friday. The team played fabulously, and Mrs Goodall named James Leach as Man of the Match. Thank you to Mrs Goodall for organising and accompanying the children.

## Mylee Green Fundraising, Non-Uniform day, Tomorrow, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January.

Mylee Green trains 12 hours per week at Wakefield Gym club, doing Tumbling, which is a form of Gymnastics. Mylee trains with World Champion Elliot Browne. She has been invited to an International Competition on the 28<sup>th</sup> January in Texas, America to compete against other gymnasts from other countries. Mylee has been involved in lots of fund-raising events to help the club and parents to fund this trip.

The school is supporting Mylee and is holding a Non-Uniform Day, tomorrow Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January. Please donate a £1.00 to wear clothes of your choice. Mylee is extremely grateful for all your support.

### **PFA New Year Disco – Tomorrow, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January.**

A reminder that the PFA New Year Disco will be held tomorrow, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January from 4.30-6.30pm. Please see the letter sent home recently for further details. **Tickets, priced at £3, are still available from the office.**

There will be **Glow sticks (30p each) and a selection of pocket money toys (50p)** on sale during the Disco and **tattoos will be available for 50p. Mobile phones/cameras must not be brought to the disco. If your child uses an inhaler, please make sure they have one with them.**

Thank you for those who have offered to volunteer at this event, please can you arrive at 4.15pm.

To prevent congestion and for the safety of all our children, **please collect your child from the following exits:**

**Reception, Year 1 & 2** - Main entrance

**Year 3 & 4** – Year 3 & 4 outer door

**Year 5 & 6** – Big Bear (Miss Haque) Class door

If you are collecting more than one child, please collect the youngest first. Please note the disco ends at **6.30pm.**

### **Magistrates' Visit – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January**

Y6 are taking part in the Magistrates in the Community project. Two local Magistrates will be visiting school to talk to the children about the work of Magistrates. Later in the year the children will be visiting the old court house in Dewsbury Town Hall to take part in a mock trial which will give them a real insight into proceedings in court.

### **Rocketing Readers**

We are continuing our Rocketing Readers sessions this term. These sessions are **every Tuesday** and parents of children in **Y1-6** are invited into school from **8.45am-9.00am** to read with their children in the Hall. Children will go to their classrooms and register as normal and then make their way to the hall, parents should come through the main entrance and sign in.

### **Y5/6 (Current Y4/5) YHA Castleton Losehill Hall Residential Visit, September 2020**

We are excited to announce the residential visits in September 2020 will be held at Losehill Hall Youth Hostel at Castleton in Derbyshire. The YHA are the winners of the Best Residential Experience School Travel Awards 19/20 for the second year running. Please see the attached flyer 'Alex Rider Mission Briefing' with regards to the visit activities.

**Y5** will be visiting **Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2020 – Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2020**

**Y6** will be visiting **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2020 – 7<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

Further information will be sent out on ParentMail and details regarding deposits to be paid on ParentPay. If your child will not be attending the visit, please let us know as soon as possible. Thank you.

### **Daily Mile, KS1 & KS2 – building resilience**

As part of our work in PE all KS2 pupils are completing a daily mile in addition to the 2 hours/week curriculum PE. KS1 (not reception children) are gradually building up to a mile, 3 times a week. This activity is to help build and improve the children's resilience and stamina.

### **Donations of Wool & Knitting Needles**

Mrs Glaves would really appreciate donations of any spare wool and knitting needles for Enrichment activities. Please take any items to the office. Thank you.

### **Information...**

### **Collective Worship Values**

This year our questions will change every two weeks. Our value for this term is Endurance and our question for the next two weeks is: **How have you shown endurance lately?**

### **Forthcoming Events...**

Thursday	16.01.20	Mulan Lunch Theme Day
Friday	17.01.20	Mylee Green Non Uniform Day – see Newsletter
Friday	17.01.20	CARE Group Class Collective Worship at 9am
Friday	17.01.20	PFA New Year Disco
Friday	25.01.20	Big Dog Class Collective Worship at 9am
Thursday	30.01.20	Magistrates visit to Y6
Friday	31.01.20	Y6 Class Collective Worship at 9am

Yours sincerely,

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Head Teacher.