

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



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12<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

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:

- Summer Term After School Clubs List (email) – to follow
- Y5 Rewind to Easter Permission (ParentMail)
- Y5/6 Kwik Sticks Hockey Permission (ParentMail)
- KS2 Kirklees Gymnastic Final (ParentMail)
- Year 3/4 Concert 'Wiz Wham Alakazam' ticket request (paper)
- Mothers Day Event Flyer (e-mail)
- Yorkshire Attractions Spring Discount Vouchers (paper)
- Legacy Sport Easter Holiday Camp Flyer (e-mail)
- 2020 Tour de Yorkshire – Design giant land art (e-mail)
- London Eye Voucher (paper)

## **KS2 (Y3-6) Lent Club with Reverend Lee – Tuesdays at 12.30pm until 31<sup>st</sup> March**

A reminder that Reverend Lee, Rev Rochell and Mrs Hoole are running a Lent Club each Tuesday lunchtime until 31<sup>st</sup> March. The club will allow the children to explore the meaning of Lent in fun and interactive ways. If your child is interested, they will need to let their class teacher know.

## **Science Activity Week, from 6<sup>th</sup> March – 15<sup>th</sup> March**

The children have enjoyed taking part in British Science Week. Thank you to the visitors who have come and spoken to the children regarding their jobs in STEM subjects (Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths) this week.

## **Spenn Valley Y5/6 Girls Football Final, Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 4 – 5.30pm**

Congratulations to the Y5/6 Girls Football team, they came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Spenn Valley Girls Football Final held at Batley Sports & Tennis Centre. Well done to them all and thank you to Mrs Goodall for organising it.

## **Molly Cotgrave Fundraising Bun sale for Sheffield Children's Hospital – Tomorrow, Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March**

Tomorrow, **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March**, the School is supporting Molly Cotgrave in holding a bun sale at the end of the day to raise money for Sheffield Children's Hospital. All buns will be sold for 50p. **The school cannot guarantee that the buns and cakes on offer don't contain any nuts.**

## **PFA Mothers' Day Gift Stall, Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March**

The PFA have organised a Mothers' Day gift stall and gifts will be **on sale in the hall at break time from Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March**. The gifts will be reasonably priced (between £1.00 and £4.00).

## **Summer Term After School Clubs –**

### **Available to book on ParentPay from 6pm on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March**

A list of the After School Clubs that we will be running from Easter to Summer will be sent out next week. The school will be running a new club, **Wildcats, all girls football club**. The list is not a booking form – please book and pay on ParentPay. Families in receipt of certain benefits are eligible to attend our extra-curricular after school clubs free of charge. For more information please speak to the office.

## **Y5/6 Kwik Sticks Hockey – Postponed until Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March**

Some children from Y5/6 were due to take part in a Kwik Sticks Hockey Competition this week at Newsome High School, please note this has been **postponed until Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March**. If your child has been chosen you will have received a new ParentMail Permissions Slip.

Your child will need a filled water bottle (no glass bottles, cans or fizzy drinks) and their **PE kits including trainers and tracksuit**, the event will be held outdoors. Please ensure that your child has any medication with them that they may need, e.g. inhaler, eye drops etc.

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### **Y3, 4 & 5 Orienteering – 17<sup>th</sup>, 24 & 31<sup>st</sup> March**

Children from year 3, 4 & 5 will be taken part in some Orienteering on the **17<sup>th</sup>, 24 & 31<sup>st</sup> March**.

**Please check the weather on the day as the sessions will take place whether it is fine or raining. The children will need a waterproof coat and will need strong shoes/wellies to change into for the session.**

### **Y5/6 Hi 5 Netball Tournament – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 4-6pm, PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE**

Our Netball team are taking part in the Hi-5 Netball Final on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March** at Batley Sports & Tennis Centre, 4-6pm. Children need to be collected from school at 3.15pm and transported by parents to the event for 4.00pm to meet Mrs Goodall. Your child will need a filled water bottle and their PE kits (we will be playing indoor). Please ensure that your child has any medication with them that they may need, e.g. inhaler, eye drops etc. If your child has been chosen you will have already received a ParentMail for completion.

### **Sitting Volleyball Festival – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**

A team from school will take part in the Sitting Volleyball Festival on **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March** at Batley Sports & Tennis Centre. Your child will need a filled water bottle (no glass bottles, cans or fizzy drinks) and their PE kits. If your child has been chosen you will have received a ParentMail with more details.

### **Scholastic Book Fair - Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March - Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March**

A reminder that the Book Fair will be in school from **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March - Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March**.

### **Trust Drama Workshop – Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

As part of our work with the Spensborough Trust the children in Little Bear, Big Dog and Chameleon classes will be continuing to take part in drama workshops to support their work in literacy.

### **Y5 'Rewind to Easter' – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March**

Y5 will be visiting Heckmondwike Salvation Army during the morning of **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March** for 'Rewind to Easter'. Further information will be issued via ParentMail. Please complete the permission form on ParentMail by **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March**.

### **PFA Spring Fayre with Tabletop Sale, Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 3.25pm – 4.30pm**

The PFA will be running an Easter theme Spring Fayre at the end of the school day on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 3.25pm – 4.30pm. **As part of the Spring Fayre the PFA are holding a Tabletop sale. Tables are £5.00 to hire (anything you make extra is yours to keep!). To book a table, please contact the school office for a booking form and pay your £5.00.** If you have any items to donate to a school stall and don't want to run your own, please bring them into school. If you are having a Spring clear out, this is a great way to get rid of any unwanted items!

### **Year 3/4 Concert 'Wiz Wham Alakazam'**

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 1.30pm and Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April at 6.30pm**

If you would like to order tickets for the forthcoming Y3/4 concert performances please complete the request slip sent home with your child today and return it to the office as soon as possible. Tickets are limited to **2 per family** and are only available to parents of children in **Years 3 & 4**. The evening tickets do tend to be the most popular so please send your request in as soon as possible. Extra tickets may be available for the afternoon performance only. A letter has been sent home today with the children in Y3/4 outlining their costume requirements.

### **Recordings of School Performances / Photos**

Under the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) we are required to ask for your permission to include your child in recordings of performances in school. These recordings may be reproduced for parents to obtain.

A reminder that you are not allowed to video or photograph the performances due to copyright. Mobile phones must not be used in school, or in the school grounds. Photographs of the children will be on display in the hall for you to order at £1 per copy. Any photographs you purchase are for personal use only and should not be put on the internet or on any social networking site. We are grateful for your co-operation.

### **KS2 Kirklees Gymnastic Final – Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April**

The final will take place at Panache Gymnastics, Batley from 1-4pm on 1<sup>st</sup> April. If your child is taking part, you will receive further information by ParentMail.

### **Milk for Children in Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 – Order on ParentPay by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**

A reminder that if you would like your child to have milk next term (£11.50) you will need to **pay via ParentPay by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March and ensure that you have ticked the consent box**. You will be unable to order it after this date. If your child is entitled to free school meals (income related) they are also entitled to free milk and this will be automatically ordered for your child.

### **Milk and Fruit for children in Y3, 4, 5 & 6 – Order on ParentPay by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**

A reminder that milk and fruit is offered to all the children in KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6). The cost for the Summer term is **£11.50 for milk and £7.54 for a portion of fruit each day. This is great value at 13p per piece of fruit** and goes towards their 5 a day. If you would like your child to have milk and/or fruit for next term, **please pay on ParentPay before Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March**. You will be unable to order after this date. If your child is entitled to free school meals (income related) they are also entitled to free milk and this will be automatically ordered for your child.

### **Head Lice in Chameleon (Y3), & Big Bear (Rec/ Y1, Miss Haque)**

Head lice have been reported in Chameleon (Y3), & Big Bear (Rec/ Y1, Miss Haque) classes and a leaflet was sent home with the children this week. Please do be vigilant at home by carrying out regular detection combing and treating hair where necessary as this helps to reduce the spread of lice.

### **Covid-19 (Coronavirus)**

As a school we are receiving updates and advice from Public Health England and Kirklees. Please see opposite the Department for Education Coronavirus Helpline number if you have any concerns.

We will update you with any information as we receive it.



### **Information...**

The local baby and toddler group at Roberttown Community Centre on Monday afternoon's is under a new name of Messy Mondays. They are holding two Mother's Day events coming up this Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March at Roberttown Community Centre. Please see the attached flyer for more details.

### **Collective Worship Values**

This year our questions will changing every two weeks. Our value for this half term is Forgiveness and our question for the next two weeks is: How do I show forgiveness?

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

Friday	13.03.20	Bun sale for Sheffield Children's Hospital
Friday	13.03.20	Y3 Collective Worship at 9am
Monday	16.03.20	Local History Month
Monday	16.03.20	PFA Mothers' Day Gift Stall all week at morning break
<b>Monday</b>	<b>16.03.20</b>	<b>Y5/6 Kwik Sticks Hockey - Please note change of date.</b>
Tuesday	17.03.20	Y3,4,5 Orienteering
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>18.03.20</b>	<b>Y5/6 Hi 5 Netball Tournament - Please note change of date.</b>
Thursday	19.03.20	Sitting Volleyball Festival
Friday	20.03.20	Befrienders Collective Worship at 9am
Monday	23.03.20	Y4/5 Easter Journey
Tuesday	24.03.20	Book Fair in school until Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> March
Tuesday	24.03.20	Y3,4,5 Orienteering
Thursday	26.03.20	Trust Drama Workshop
Friday	27.03.20	Y5 Rewind to Easter
Friday	27.03.20	Big Bear (Y1 only) Collective Worship at 9am
Friday	27.03.20	Kirklees High 5 Y5/6 Netball Final
Friday	27.03.20	Spring Fayre

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J S Laycock-Smith, Head Teacher.