

Rackheath Primary School

Newsletter

Letter 16th January



Vacancy for a Midday Supervisor – We have a space in our MSA team. If you would like the opportunity to work as part of our school team please contact the office to express an interest in the role. The specific hours and days of the role can be quite flexible, so if you could only work 2 days we would be interested to hear from you.

Spring Term Dates

Class assemblies this term – all on a Thursday starting at 2.40

January 22nd – Year 6

January 29th – Year 5

February 5th – Year 4

February 26th – Year 3

March 5th – Year 2

March 12th – Year 1

March 19th – Reception

Parent Teacher Evening

Wednesday 11th February until 5.00

Thursday 12th February until 7.00

We will let you know on the day that the sign-up sheets go up in classrooms

Literacy Café – Next week there are literacy cafes every day between Tuesday and Friday. On Tuesday it is Year 4, Wednesday Year 1, Thursday Reception and Friday is Year 5. All sessions run from 9.00 until 10.00 and tea and coffee is available in the DT room from 8.45 each day.



Parking – In the interest of safety I would remind parents that the car park should not be used at the start and end of the day. Obviously there are lots of children around both from school and nursery and their safety is paramount.

School Closure – We very much hope that we don't have to close at any point and will do everything we can to keep the school open in the event of bad weather. Should the school have to be closed a text would go out and the information would be shared on Radio Norfolk.



Sports Active – The children taking part in the Sport Active taster sessions with Aaron from Premier Sports have enjoyed their early morning exercise. We do not have the numbers to run the club every day but we have agreed with premier Sport that the club will run on a Tuesday and Friday before school as these were the days where there was the most interest. This will initially be just for this half term after which we will look at it again. There are still places available on these 2 days, should you require any more information please visit the office.



Squash Club – Following the taster sessions we now have enough interest in the squash club for it to run on Wednesday after school. The sessions will start on 28th January and run for 6 weeks with the last session taking place at Broadland Squash Club on 11th March. Further details on this last session will follow.



Head for the day – Next week it is the turn of **Lydia Rivett and Oliver Milligan** to be head for the day. I wonder what decisions they will make about the school?



Anti-Bullying Day - On Friday 30th January we will be having a non-uniform day to raise money for an anti-bullying charity. Any donation will be thankfully received. We will be teaching the children about Anti-Bullying and raising awareness throughout the week during Literacy, Art, Drama and Music lessons.

Gymnast Visit – We have teamed up with Sport For School to arrange a visit from Commonwealth Games Medal Winning gymnast Danny Lawrence. Danny will be visiting us for the day in February. Taking a session with each class and then leading a special assembly during which we hope he will demonstrate some of his gymnastic skills. We hope his visit will inspire our children through seeing his determination and hard work and the achievements this can lead to.



Star, Angel and Diamond Certificate Winners – Well done to the following children who got their certificates in assembly today.

	STAR	ANGEL	DIAMOND
Reception	Ruby Cozens	Charlotte Mann	George Mickleburgh
Year 1	Liam Cowey	Max Buckingham	Alfie Betts
Year 2	Keegan Mickleburgh	Bethan Lancaster	Ethan Royston
Year 3	Molly Broadwater	Charlotte Hunn	Maddie Woodcock
Year 4	Amelia Evans	Holly Warrington	Charlie Clarke
Year 5	Tyler McMullen	Luke Mayes	Tom Elliff
Year 6	Kacie Banwell	William Grant	Tristan Wilson

Chris Ashman