

# Rackheath Primary School

## Newsletter



Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2019

The term is now in full swing with the first 4 weeks flying past!

**Parent Teacher Evening** – Our first Parent Teacher Evening of the year is on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October. This is a great chance to meet your child's teacher and find out how well your child has started the year. Tuesday is the late day until 7pm and Wednesday runs until 5pm. Sign-up sheets are up in the classroom. Mrs Grogutt isn't in school on Wednesday as she is attending First Aid Training. As such Year 2 Parent's Evening will be on Monday and Tuesday with Monday running until 5pm and Tuesday until 7pm.

**Sports Fixtures** – It was a shame that our first football match of the year was called off due to bad weather this week. The game against Coltishall has been re-arranged for Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October. In the meantime we have a home game on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October against Stalham. This does mean that there will be **no football club on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October** also there will be **no football club on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup>** because of Parent's Evening. As this would be the third football club in a row the Year 4-6 group will have missed there will be an **extra football club for Year 4 to 6 on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October**.

**Clubs** – There will be no clubs taking place after school on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> or Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> of October as it is Parent's Evening. The only school club will be After School Club.



### The Office

Mrs Roe is away from the school for the next 2 weeks on jury service. As such Mrs Pilbrow will be even busier than usual. We have some staff stepping in for the first part of the day and expect that there will only be minimal disruption. Please be aware that for quite a lot of the time Mrs Pilbrow will be the only person in the office.

**After School Club** - We still have a couple of spaces in After School Club on a Friday. All other days are now full!

**Curiosity Cafes** – It was lovely to see lots of you sharing learning with your children at our cafes this week in Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 4. It was great to hear lots of positive comments about the cafes from family members. Next week's cafes are:

- Wednesday 2nd October – Year 6
- Thursday 3rd October – Year 3
- Friday 4th October – Year 5



**We look forward to seeing lots of you sharing learning with the children.**

**Website** – There is a new tab on the website for photographs which replaces the class pages. There are some lovely photographs on there of Year 6 making their 'Petie Burkis Special bread' which features in their class book "The Midnight Fox."



**SchoolPing** - a few people have reported some problems with not getting all SchoolPing messages. One problem can be that sometimes your phone can log out of SchoolPing (as I found out!) so it is important to make sure you are logged in and that notifications are on. If you are experiencing problems do let us know so we can help or contact SchoolPing for an answer.

**Aldi Kit For Schools** – We have already had lots of the Aldi Tokyo 2020 Olympics stickers sent in. The poster is already beginning to fill up. There is a collection box in the reception area, so please keep collecting so we can fill it up!



**Aylmerton Residential** – Our Aylmerton residential for Year 6 takes place the week of the 4<sup>th</sup> November. In preparation there will be a meeting for parents at 2pm on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

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**Macmillan Coffee Morning** - This morning we held our annual coffee morning in aid of MacMillan Cancer Research. Thank you to everyone who attended or helped in some way. A big thank you to Mrs Goddard and the school council. We raised a fantastic £221.36.

**Book Fair** – Thank you to everyone who supported the book fair this week by buying some books and also to the staff who helped with the fair.



**Assemblies** – Year 2 are kicking off our class assemblies this year on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October. The week after it is Year 1's turn on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October.



### **Cross Country Club**

We had a magnificent 23 children at cross country this morning. A new record! Well done everyone.



Next week is a busy one with 4 classes going on trips. On Monday Year 4 are off to How Hill followed by Year 3 on Tuesday. Then on Wednesday Year 1 and 2 are off to Fairhaven.

**School Uniform** - As mentioned previously Retro Alley our fantastic school uniform suppliers have their first pop up shop of the year on Tuesday 1st October. They will be in school just before the end of the day until around 3.45pm. (depending on demand) You can also order from their website <https://retroalley.co.uk>



# Attendance Bear

Well done to Reception who had  
**99%**  
attendance last week!

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

	<b>STAR</b>	<b>ANGEL</b>	<b>DIAMOND</b>
Reception	Cara Rayner	Emil Keshavarz	Poppy Rice
Year 1	Freddie Colk	Kian Woodcock	Honey Allard
Year 2	Joshua Webb	Olive Champion	Isabel Chilvers
Year 3	Amber Houston	Jessica Clarke	Scarlet Curle
Year 4	Ava Woodcock	Skyla Downing	Matilda Purton
Year 5	Issey Carpenter	Alex Dove	Ewan Poole
Year 6	Brooke Halsey	Sophie Appleton	Bobby Goldsmith

Have a super weekend

*Chris Ashman*