



REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 10.11.23



School Place Applications for 2024

Applications: You can apply for primary school places online at <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/schools-learning-admissions-applying>

The deadline for primary school applications is 15th January 2024.

Children In Need – Friday 17th November

We will be supporting the Children In Need charity with a non-uniform day on Friday 17th November. £1 donations welcomed, but please only donate if you can. Thank you.



Anti-Bullying Week 13th - 17th November

Next week, the school will be working on activities to support national anti-bullying week. This year's slogan is "Make a Noise About Bullying!"

We will be sharing some of the children's work and reflections in next week's newsletter.



School Times

8.20am - Playground gates open
8.30am - Bell rings and children enter school
8.35am - Playground gates close
8.40am - Registration
3.00pm - End of school day
Anyone arriving late will need to go to the office entrance to sign in on the electronic system.

A message from the Headteacher

It has been another busy week here at Redland. Hawks and Buzzards classes enjoyed a visit from a representative from Wessex Water at the start of the week. The children learned lots of information about water and how it is treated and managed in the UK. This week's parents' evenings were well attended, and I hope you have found these informative and productive. If any parents still need to book an appointment, please give us a call in the office.

A group of our Year 5/6 children took part in a football tournament at Stanley Park today. It was a really fantastic day, and we were lucky that the weather dried up before the matches started. The children played really well, supported and encouraged each other superbly, and showed great team spirit. What a brilliant end to the week! A full match report will be in next week's newsletter.

Have a good weekend.

Best Wishes,
Mrs Joy

Wessex Water Visit – Hawks and Buzzards

A representative from Wessex Water visited Hawks and Buzzards classes on Tuesday this week. The children learned all about how water is used and treated, the water cycle and sources of water. The sessions were really informative and enjoyable.

'It was so much fun when Sam came! We did an experiment where we tried to clean water using gravel or sand. We learned about the water cycle too and how much water we use in a day.' **Chloe C**



FORS News

Fizzy Disco! 16th November - We are really looking forward to our discos next week! We know the children will have a great time too! Next week you will get a slip home in your child's bookbag. You must complete the slip and bring it to your disco with £1.50 in change. We are excited that our Tuck Shop and Glow Shop will be offering some new and exciting things for you all to enjoy!

Wreath Making 30th November - Our festive wreath making is selling out fast. We are looking forward to some mulled wine and creativity! It is an activity for everyone and you will definitely be impressed with what you can achieve! Follow this link to book your place. <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/fors>

Non-Uniform Day 1st December - We invite the children to come into school in their own clothes in exchange for items we need for the fare. More info on what we are looking for soon.

Christmas Fare! - We are very excited to be making the final preparations for this year's fare. We will be offering baileys hot chocolate, our free grotto, decorate a Christmas cake, games and much more! Soon we will be sending home raffle tickets- we have a fantastic star prize! Dyson have kindly donated a Corrale hair straightener. Tickets are £1 each and we are sure we will sell out this year! If you or someone you know can help at the Christmas Fare please email us. It will be great to have the event well supported! If you are going to support us by attending- we can't wait to see you!

Email us - forsevents@outlook.com

Text us - 07541203239

Future Dates

November

Thurs 16th – Fizzy Discos
Fri 17th – Children In Need – non-uniform day
Weds 22nd – Year 6 Health Checks with HCRG Nursing Service
Thurs 30th - FORS Christmas Wreath Making

December

Fri 1st – Non-uniform day for FORS
Sat 2nd – Christmas Fayre 11am – 1pm
w/c Mon 4th – Wrens, Owls, Starlings and Robins Christmas performances – more information to follow
Mon 11th – Christmas lunches week
Mon 18th - Christmas Parties for Puffins, Nightingales, Hawks, Buzzards, Kingfishers and Falcons
Tues 19th – Christmas Parties for Wrens, Owls, Starlings and Robins
Weds 20th –Christmas Jumper Day
Weds 20th - Last day of term

TD Days 2023-2024

Monday 29th January 2024

Thursday 28th March 2024

Monday 10th June 2024

Wednesday 24th July 2024

Year 5/6 Football Tournament

