



REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 8.12.23



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.

A message from the Headteacher

Wrens, Owls, Starlings and Robins Classes filled our hearts with joy, with their wonderful Christmas performances this week. It was great to see their enthusiasm and enjoyment when performing, with excellent acting and narrating, and beautiful singing. Well done to all of the children and thank you to the staff for all of their hard work in putting this together.

It was great to see so many of you at the Christmas Fayre last Saturday. A huge thank you to the FORS team and to all the people who volunteered their time to make this such a special event for all of the children.

Today saw some of our children taking part in some seasonal events out of school. Nightingales Class participated in a Christmas themed walk at Hardenhuish School, and Falcons Class took part in some Christmas activities at a local care home.

Have a good weekend.
Best Wishes
Mrs Joy

Nightingales Christmas Walk at Hardenhuish



Falcons Class visit Ferfoot Care Home



The children in Falcons Class spent some time this morning at Ferfoot Care Home. The children took part in some craft activities, festive singing, and they also helped the residents to decorate their Christmas trees. What a fantastic morning!

"Everyone welcomed us with open arms." **Eddie M**

"It was nice to see people like Doris. I don't get to see my grandparents very often." **Chloe H**

"It was nice how the residents came to talk and chat with us." **Jacob L**

"I like when the music was playing and the residents danced. The care home staff were very kind." **Grace W**

Christmas Lunches and Events

A reminder that we are serving Christmas Lunches next week. We will be serving two classes per day as follows:

Mon 11 th December	Tues 12 th December	Weds 13 th December	Thurs 14 th December	Fri 15 th December
Wrens Owls	Starlings Robins	Puffins Nightingales	Hawks Buzzards	Falcons Kingfishers

Mon 18th December – Christmas Parties for Puffins, Nightingales, Hawks, Buzzards, Kingfishers and Falcons

Tues 19th December – Christmas Parties for Wrens, Owls, Starlings and Robins.

Children can wear their own clothes on these days.

On **Wednesday 20th December**, we will be having our own Christmas Jumper Day. On this day, the children can come into school wearing a festive jumper with their school uniform.

Christmas Postbox

A reminder that we have our Redland Christmas Postbox in the school library. Children can bring in cards from home to post to children and staff in school. Please can you ensure that class names are also written on the envelopes, so they can be easily distributed.

FORS NEWS

The FORS are celebrating a successful week of Christmas events! We really enjoy arranging events to raise funds to help enrich education and enjoyment within the school. Thank you to those who have helped, supported, and attended events over the last few weeks.

If you are placing any online orders over the Christmas period, please remember to shop through easy fundraising. We receive a donation per order placed - it's a fantastic way to effortlessly fundraise for the school.

www.easyfundraising.org.uk

We look forward to bringing you more events in 2024. In the diary for February we have another Rags to Riches clothes collection and a Fizzy Disco too!

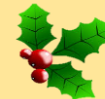
We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a happy new year! We will see you all in 2024.

Email us - forsevents@outlook.com

Future Dates

December

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



Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

January

Thurs 4th – Term 3 begins
Thurs 18th – Year 5 Taster Day at Hardenhuish – more info to follow

TD Days 2023-2024

Monday 29th January 2024

Thursday 28th March 2024

Monday 10th June 2024

Wednesday 24th July 2024

Wrens, Owls, Starlings and Robins Christmas Performance



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