



## REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 17.4.26

### Hot Chocolate Rewards

Children are nominated for Hot Chocolate Rewards for demonstrating the school expectations:

**Be Kind, Be Respectful, Be Responsible.**

Children will then have hot chocolate with one of the staff members on the Senior Leadership Team. This week, the following children were nominated and had hot chocolate with Mrs Keates:

<b>Mason G</b>	<b>Penny H</b>
<b>Daneen Z</b>	<b>Loki J</b>
<b>Layla D</b>	<b>Scarlett K</b>
<b>Nora C</b>	<b>Mia H</b>



Well done!

### Mini Marathon – Chippenham Sports Partnership



### School Times

8.20am - Playground gates open  
8.30am - Bell rings and children enter school  
2.50pm - Playground gates open  
3.00pm - End of school day  
Anyone arriving late will need to go to the office entrance and sign in on the electronic system.

### A message from the Headteacher

Welcome back everyone. We have had a great start to Term 5, and the children are enjoying their new learning topics.

To celebrate the forthcoming London Marathon, members of the Chippenham Sports Partnership visited us (and 11 other local schools) today to lead a warm up dance followed by laps of the track. Many children took part, supported each other and had fun.

This week, some of our Year 4 children have been away at Grittleton on a residential trip. I visited the group yesterday, and they were all having such a brilliant time. More information about their exciting trip will follow in next week's newsletter.

Have a good weekend.

Best Wishes  
Mrs Joy

### TD Days for 2026-2027

We have planned the following TD days for next academic year. These are staff training days when the school will be closed to pupils:

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2026**

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2027**

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2027**

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2027**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2027**

### Science Workshops – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April

On Monday we will be having a visit from the Education Group who will be delivering science workshops for all classes. The workshops focus on bringing science to life through hands-on experiments which demonstrate key concepts. We can't wait to see the range of activities and experiments! Thank you to the FORS for supporting this learning opportunity for the children.

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## FORS NEWS

The Chocolate Bingo evening was an amazing success! It was so much fun for all and lots of chocolate was won! We raised over £400 for the school. This event's success has inspired us to host an adults' bingo night. The bingo night will be on 5<sup>th</sup> June and tickets will be available to purchase next week.

The FORS team have managed to secure MJ Church to come into school over the summer holiday to re-surface the track on the field. Although we all work together on these projects for the school, I want to give a special shout out to Marie Matthews for this, as I know she spent many hours filling out forms and organising meetings. The team and I are sure that the children will enjoy seeing this brilliant improvement to the track.

### Dates for your Diary

- 24<sup>th</sup> April - Dare Day - please see attached flyer
- 19<sup>th</sup> May - School uniform sale in the hall at 2.40pm
- 21<sup>st</sup> May - Fizzy Disco -more information to follow
- 5<sup>th</sup> June - Bingo Night -more information to follow
- 10<sup>th</sup> June - Rags to Riches collection
- 26<sup>th</sup> June - Non-uniform donation day
- 26<sup>th</sup> June - Summer Fayre 5pm-7.30pm

## Future Dates

### April

- Mon 20<sup>th</sup> – Science workshops
- Mon 20<sup>th</sup> – HCRG Health Checks for Reception
- Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> – Year 5 taster day at Sheldon Group 1 – Buzzards Year 5s
- Fri 24<sup>th</sup> – FORS Dare Day
- Weds 29<sup>th</sup> – Year 5 taster day at Sheldon Group 2 – Kingfishers and Falcons Year 5s
- Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> - Year 5 taster day at Hardenhuish Group 1 – Buzzards Year 5s

### May

- Mon 4<sup>th</sup> – Bank Holiday – school closed**
- Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> - Year 5 taster day at Hardenhuish Group 2 – Kingfishers and Falcons Year 5s
- Fri 8<sup>th</sup> – Class Photos and Year 6 Leavers' Photos
- w/c 11<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 SATs week
- Mon 18<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 Leavers' Trip
- Weds 20<sup>th</sup> – Sports Day – more info to follow
- Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> – Last day of term

## Outdoor Learning – Puffins Class

