



REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 24.1.20

School Uniform

A few reminders about school uniform:

Footwear- black shoes must be worn as part of the school uniform. Boots and trainers are not allowed.

Earrings-small studs only can be worn to school, which can be removed for PE.

Hair accessories-simple and small hair accessories can be worn. Jojo bows are not allowed.

Thank you.

Card Reader

We now have a card reader in the office which can be used to make a whole range of school payments for your child.

We hope this will be a helpful and convenient method of payment.

PE Kits

As we have been experiencing a colder spell of weather, please could you ensure that children have warm clothes (tracksuit tops and bottoms) as part of their PE kits. Thank you.

A message from the Headteacher

It has been another busy week here at Redland. I have really enjoyed spending time this week talking to the children about their learning in Wrens, Owls, Robins, Nightingales and Buzzards classes. I will be visiting other classes next week. The lessons I saw included early phonics skills, the origins of Chinese New Year, locating world rivers on a map, converting mathematical units of measure and solving number sentence problems.

Being in the classroom is really the highlight of my week, and I am always impressed with the children's attitudes to learning. What has been really apparent from children in all classes is a determination to have a go, even when the learning is particularly tricky. This is great to see!

Have a good weekend.

Best Wishes
Mrs Joy

Hockey Tournament

Today, the school hockey teams competed in the Level 2 tournament at the Dome next to Sheldon School. After the first round, the B team were joint second in their pool; the A team were joint first. The A team went on to play a strong King's Lodge team in the final, eventually losing 1-0. Megan C scored in the final game, but it was disallowed due to using the reverse stick. Mrs Keates would like to see the VAR!!

All the children played really well and were impressive as always. Special thanks to Mrs Dowd and Mrs Glover who helped, and to all the parents who came and supported.

Well done to Millie P, Jordan M, Louis S, Archie J, Thomas B, Riley H, Joshua D, Hannah G, JJ L, Cameron C, Megan C, Violet S, Maddie C, Charlotte G, Leo B, Kacy W, John H, Oliver D, Trystan S and Lily L.



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Fizzy Discos – 7 February

The fizzy disco for children in reception and years 1 and 2 will be from 5pm to 6pm and the second disco for years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be from 6.15pm to 7.15pm. Tickets are £1 and will be on sale every morning from Monday 3 February before and after school in the playground. They will also be available from the office during the day. At the discos, we will also be selling hot dogs (50p), drinks (20p), crisps and sweets (2p/5p/10p/25p/30p) and glow items (20p/50p).

We have had some of our willing Year 6s sign up to come along to the first disco (5-6pm) to act as buddies to the children in the reception classes who may need a bit of support and encouragement, and to lend a hand if they want to buy any refreshments or glow sticks, etc. We will ask you to indicate to us when your child arrives at the disco if they might appreciate some support and we will ask the buddies to help out.

Amazon Smile

A reminder that FORS have signed up to Amazon Smile which is a simple and automatic way for you to support us every time you shop, at no cost to you. When you shop at smile.amazon.com you'll find your Amazon shopping experience will look the same as it usually does, with the added bonus that the Friends of Redland School we will receive a donation from a portion of the purchase price of your shopping. The link above will take you straight to select us as your charity – or you can find us through the charity search function. Thank you for supporting us!



Future Dates

January

Mon 27th – Year 3 Walk Safe activities (rescheduled)

Weds 29th – Year 5 Taster Day at Sheldon (Hawks & Buzzards)

February

Mon 3rd – SATs meeting for Year 6 parents at 3.15pm

Tues 4th – Dance Festival at Neeld Hall 6.30pm

Thurs 6th – FS2 Maths Curriculum Meeting for parents 9.00-10.00am

Fri 7th – Fizzy Discos

Fri 14th – Last day of term

Mon 24th – Back to School

Weds 26th – Year 4 swimming starts (letter to follow)

March

Tues 3rd – Scootability session

TD Days for 2019-2020

Monday 15th June 2020

Monday 20th July 2020

Tuesday 21st July 2020

Wednesday 22nd July 2020

Cricket Skills in Starlings Class

