



## REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 06.03.20

### Book in a Jar Competition

On Thursday, the children voted for their favourite book in a jar in four different age categories. Here are the winners for each category:

Foundation Stage: Olivia W

Key Stage 1: Dylan W

Year 3 and 4: Libby C

Year 5 and 6: Ela P

The winners were given a chocolate egg and a selection of books, which were very kindly donated by Morrisons supermarket for the event.

Thank you to everyone for all of your fantastic efforts, and we hope you enjoyed making these inventive creations. There are some photos of the jars on display in the hall at the bottom of the newsletter.

### Parents' Evenings Week Commencing 9.3.20

Parents evening appointments have now been sent home. Please be aware that there will not be any teacher led clubs after school that week.

### Road Safety

There are still one or two parents parking on the zig zag lines when dropping off in the mornings. **No** cars should be parked here as this obstructs the view for passing traffic, and **compromises the safety of our children** who may be trying to cross the road. Please can we also remember to respect the property and access points of our neighbours, when dropping off and picking up. Thank you.

### A message from the Headteacher

It has been another busy week at Redland. Lots of our children took part in Scootability training with instructors from Wiltshire Council. The children really enjoyed the sessions and learnt a lot about how to keep safe on scooters. We had some really lovely feedback from the instructors who commented on how polite and well-behaved the children were during the sessions. We hope to offer the training again next year.

The books in jars were absolutely fantastic! It was great to see them displayed in the hall. The children had a tough job voting for their favourite designs. A personal favourite was the SATs Book in a Jar by Jess in Year 6! Congratulations to the four winners and to everyone who worked so hard on their creations.

The week ended on a real high at the Level 2 netball tournament held at Hardenhuish School today. The Redland team played superbly well, winning all of their games. Redland faced Derry Hill in the final and won 1-0. I was so impressed with how well the children played as a team, their commitment in each and every single match and the way they encouraged each other. Well done Team Redland and to Ms Hull – netball coach extraordinaire!

Have a great weekend.

Mrs Joy

### Hot Chocolate Fridays!

The following children were chosen this week to have hot chocolate and marshmallows in recognition of their good behaviour:



**Maci P, Aaron M, Dexter J, Darcey J, Ollie A, Elsie E, Jack H, Kayden-Lee T, Violet S and Louis S.**

Well done!

### Redland Netball Team



**Lily L, Jordan M, Kacy W, Hazel J, Louis S, Ela P, Megan C, Millie P and Cassius C.** Well done!

## **FORS NEWS - Launch of the FORS website**

We are excited to tell you about our new website that we are using to keep you up to date with our forthcoming events.

If you visit <http://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofredlandschool>, you will find our school page. On here, we will be listing what we have planned to help with our fundraising and you can pay and book yourself in to attend our events. Over the coming weeks, we plan to add more information to the site, including details of our committee meetings, how the money you have helped us to raise is being spent to support the school, and what our future plans are.

Anyone can view our pages, but we would encourage you to register on the site so that we can keep you up to date via the newsletter function. Also, in order to make a booking or buy a ticket for one of our events, you will need to register. On the top right of the page is the Register

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button. Click here and complete your details for registration. If you are using a mobile device, please use the 3 lines on the top right to access the menu and then the register button will appear.

We are launching this site to coincide with the ticket sales for our bingo night that is coming up on Friday 27 March. Doors will open at 7.15pm and we will start our first game (of 6) at 7.45pm. Tickets are £5.50 each and this will include 3 sets of bingo cards to play all 6 games of bingo and hot food prepared by our lovely kitchen staff. We will be selling more bingo cards and dabber pens on the night. We will also have a licensed bar selling wine, prosecco, gin, cider, lager and soft drinks, together with a sweetie shop, raffle and a game of heads and tails to get the evening started.

If you have any queries or trouble accessing the site, please contact us at [forsevents@outlook.com](mailto:forsevents@outlook.com)

## **Future Dates**

### **March**

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> – Parents Evenings  
Tues 10<sup>th</sup> – Parent Meetings for Kingfishers and Falcons Learning Groups  
Tues 10<sup>th</sup> – Hockey Tournament (new date)  
Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> – Parents Evenings  
Fri 13<sup>th</sup> – Rugby Tournament  
Mon 16<sup>th</sup> to Weds 18<sup>th</sup> – Osmington Bay Residential trip for Years 3 and 4  
Tues 17<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 Sponsored Swim  
Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sustainability Week begins  
Fri 27<sup>th</sup> – FORS Bingo Evening  
Tues 31<sup>st</sup> – Nightingales Class Assembly at 2.30pm

### **April**

Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> – Year 5 Taster Day at Hardenhuish  
Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> – Last day of term

### **TD Days for 2019-2020**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2020**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020**

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2020**

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2020**

## **Book In A Jar Photos**



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