

REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 7.6.24

Hawks and Buzzards trip to Stonehenge

The children in Hawks and Buzzards classes thoroughly enjoyed their trip to Stonehenge on Wednesday this week. Everyone was amazed at how big the stones were! The exhibition room was full of interesting facts, and the children enjoyed reading these out to one another. Lots of the children talked about the different artefacts they saw in the museum and the realistic Neolithic village. There was even a 'Playhenge!' Here are some comments from the children:

"My favourite bit was seeing the stone circle and also the stone age village. I think the class did well on the trip. I loved it!" **Theo J**

"My favourite bit was the 360° film about Stonehenge in the exhibition centre. The actual monument was amazing!" **Happie T**

Parent Session with Sarah Bentley

Earlier this week we held a parent information session delivered by Sarah Bentley, a play therapist. The training focused on developing self-esteem in children and generated lots of discussions from the group.

Thank you to the parents who came along. Here are some of the feedback comments we received:

- Excellent training, very useful and enjoyable
- Great session
- Lots of helpful tips to try
- Really helpful and lots I can put into practice at home.

We are looking into the possibility of hosting another event next academic year.



A message from the Headteacher

Welcome back to school, in our final term of the year. The children are enjoying their new topics and there is a busy atmosphere across all the classes. Hawks and Buzzards classes had a fantastic time at Stonehenge on Wednesday. The children have been speaking really enthusiastically about their experience – have a look at some of their comments in the section below.

As we are expecting the weather to get warmer this term, please can children come into school with sun cream applied, a sun hat and a water bottle.

The FORS team have been working incredibly hard to prepare for today's Summer Fayre. We look forward to seeing you there!

A reminder that we have a TD Day on Monday and school will be closed to all pupils.

Have a good weekend.

Best wishes, Mrs Joy

Redland Wellbeing Week 7th June to 14th June

Today, we have launched our Wellbeing Week! Over the next few days, alongside other curriculum lessons, the children will be engaged in lots of different activities to promote healthy minds and healthy bodies including:

- A visit from an Olympic athlete.
- Skateboarding
- Dodgeball
- Bowls
- Basketball
- Breathing exercises
- Mindfulness activities
- Craft
- Skipping

A reminder that children will need to be in PE kit every day next week. We are all really looking forward to this special event, and we are hoping the mayor might pay us a visit next week!





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

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Future Dates

June

Mon 10th – **TD Day – school closed to pupils**

Tues 11th to Fri 14th – Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

Thurs 13th – New Parents' Meeting 4pm Tues 18th – Puffins and Nightingales trip to Bristol Museum

Weds 19th - Year 6 Chippenham Games – more info to follow

Thurs 20th - Stay and Play Session 1 for new FS2 children 9.00-10.00am Fri 21st - Starlings and Robins trip to

Westonbirt Arboretum

Mon 24th – Year 6 Junior Good Citizen event – more info to follow

Weds 26th - Sports Day

Thurs 27th - Stay and Play Session 2 for new FS2 children 9.00-10.00am

July

Mon 1st - Kingfishers and Falcons performance of Mary Poppins at 6pm Tues 2nd - Kingfishers and Falcons performance of Mary Poppins at 6pm

> TD Days 2023-2024 Wednesday 24th July 2024

