

REDLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 19.4.24

Easter Donations – Ferfoot Care Home and Doorway Charity.

Just before the Easter break, Mrs Adams took members of the School Council to Ferfoot Care Home to deliver Easter eggs, kindly donated by parents and carers. Here is a report by one of the school councillors: When the school councillors went to the care home, it felt like we had millions of eggs! All of the people working there and all the residents were really nice. Some of the residents talked to us about what their lives were like when they were younger. Every resident and every carer received an Easter egg. Thank you to the Redland families for all the donations.

By Joseph M

Mrs Adams also took some of the Easter egg donations to the local charity, Doorway.

Both Ferfoot Care Home and Doorway have since contacted us to say how grateful they were for the donations and how they brought a smile to everyone's faces.

Thank you for your support.



A message from the Headteacher

Welcome back everyone! We have had a really positive start to term 5, and it's great to be able to enjoy some sunnier weather! We welcome Miss Weston into school, who has started with us this week, teaching Robins Class while Miss Sadler is on maternity leave.

Over the Easter break, we have had some building work taking place. The conservatory in between Owls and Wrens classrooms has been replaced with a structure which provides a much more flexible and comfortable space for the children. We are very excited to see how this develops over the coming weeks.

Have a good weekend. Best wishes, Mrs Joy

Netball Tournament

On Monday 25th March, 2 teams attended the level 2 netball festival at Sheldon School. There were 15 teams attending, and the standard was very high. Both Redland teams played exceptionally well with great sportsmanship, applying the skills learnt at netball club. One of the teams progressed to the semi-final where they beat Monkton Park. They went into a closely fought final against Derry Hill who narrowly won by 1 goal. Redland played brilliantly with great team spirit and Ms Hull was very proud of both teams! Well done to:

Isabella D, Mia P, Mya W, Nephele T, Alice N, Abigail W, Zach J, Carter-Blu S, Joseph M Chloe M, Eleanor P-F, Erin G, Addison M, Lacey W, Emily P, Dylan W, Joe E and Noah I.

Walk Safe

On Wednesday, the children in Years 1, 3 and 6 took part in a Walk Safe session led by the Road Safety Team from Wiltshire Council. During the session, children were learning about safe ways to walk around our town, including crossing the roads. The children worked together to spot risks and shared ways to reduce these risks to help keep them and others around them safe. The children engaged well and had some excellent knowledge on road safety. There will be another session next week to extend their learning further.

School Times

8.20am - Playground gates open

8.30am - Bell rings and children enter school to start early morning tasks

8.40am - Registration

3.00pm - End of school day

FORS NEWS

Dates for the diary:
21st May Preloved Uniform Sale
23rd May Non-Uniform Day
23rd May Fizzy Discos
7th June Non-Uniform Day
7th June Summer Fayre 2024!
21st June Rags 2 Riches Collection

Wanted

Raffle prize donations, likes and shares (<u>FORS Facebook Page</u>), Fizzy Disco helpers, Summer Fayre helpers and pre-loved uniform donations. If you have any new, unwanted items that you feel could be used at the Summer Fayre, please email us to arrange your donation.

We are happy to have supported so many great things in school lately. It is only with the amazing support from the community at Redland that we can do this - from Year 6 SATs Breakfasts to helping to fix up Salt and Pepper's home. We will be sharing a full list of all the wonderful things we have been able to achieve this year, at the end of term.

Contact us forsevents@outlook.com

Future Dates

April

Tues 23rd – Kingfishers and Falcons trip to Cadbury World

Tues 30th – Year 2 Scootability Sessions

May

Fri 3rd – Year 1 Olympic Games event at Abbeyfield – more info to follow Mon 6th – **Bank holiday – school closed**

Weds 8th – Fri 10th – Year 4 Residential Trip to Grittleton

w/c 13th – Year 6 SATS week Mon 20th – Year 6 Leavers' Trip to Thorpe Park

Tues 21st – Preloved uniform sale 2.40 Weds 22nd – Sports' Day – more information to follow

Thurs 23rd – Fizzy Discos & non-uniform day

Fri 24th – Last day of term

June

Mon 3rd – Term 6 starts

Mon 3rd – Class Photos and Year 6 Leavers' Photos – full school uniform please

> TD Days 2023-2024 Monday 10th June 2024 Wednesday 24th July 2024

Visit to Ferfoot Care Home



