

# Roxwell C of E Primary School Newsletter

Kindness

Humility

Wisdom

Truthfulness

Generosity

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Dear Parents,

Year 1 and 2 have been working really hard this week and I have enjoyed hearing them read and looking at their work. I have sent you a separate letter to give you any details I have about Mrs Dilly, who is still receiving treatment. We wish her well and hope she is making a speedy recovery. I will continue to communicate like this as often as I have new information and I am pleased that you all met the staff at the 'Meet the teacher' meeting. The children have settled well and are working hard. It is always a little shock to move from EYFS to Year 1, but I am very pleased with the children's quality of work so far. Y3 and 4 are loving learning about chocolate! Year 5 and 6 are working hard to prepare for the Macmillan coffee afternoon, which is their class assembly. The EYFS children are making great strides in all areas of the curriculum and I have listened to their phonics and reading.

The interventions are in full swing now, for all of Y2 and Y3 and other children who need it. I always promised to give interventions to last year's Y1 and Y2 in case the children missed out in having a sudden change of teacher. Thank you so much to the parents who are doing a little extra with their children. It is much appreciated.

This will be the first week of homework and I have seen excellent examples. Thank you again for your enthusiasm and dedication to your children's education.

You will see from the diary dates on the right hand side that I am looking to give children as many opportunities as possible in all areas of the curriculum: playing the organ, public speaking, science workshops, sports skills afternoon and working in the community. These opportunities will continue to be available to the children as the year continues. I have given every child in Y6 a role of responsibility. They all have a job to do, from organising assembly, to gardening, to event management. This will help build their confidence for secondary school. Well done to the Y6 children who have taken on these tasks and are developing in confidence every week.

All new parents to the school since September 2019 are welcome to experience school dinners on 3rd October. Bolognese will be served that day and it is a good opportunity for you to see how we organise our lunch times. There will be no charge for the parents to eat dinner on this day. We hope you enjoy the experience.

Thank you to everyone for your support with our Macmillan Coffee afternoon. I'm sure it will be brilliant. I am finishing the newsletter before the event but I have seen the rehearsals and know it will be a great success. Tea, coffee and cakes will be served in The Hub after the assembly. Don't forget your wallets!

Have a great weekend, Maire O'Regan and Sarah Cotton

## Term Dates

30th Sept Art Activity Day  
**30th Sept House Captains to help clean the church for half hour.**  
1st October Art Activity Day  
1st October Y5 to a Sports Skills Day at FBA  
3rd October New parents lunch 12 to 1pm  
**3rd October Some children to play the organ at church in Roxwell**  
**7th Oct, 14th Oct, 21st Oct some children to attend Science workshops at Hylands School**  
**8th Oct Head Boys to meet Head Girls for Vision Meeting at 2pm The Lounge Ingatestone**  
10th October 2.30pm coffee, cake and safeguarding update  
**17th October Head Boys to Frances Bardsley Academy to be nominated for LIFE ambassadors**  
**24th October Parents evening See separate letter coming soon**  
25th October Harvest Service at 2pm at the church  
25th October last day of term 1  
4th Nov first day of Aut term 2  
**6th Nov Individual photos of the children**  
8th November Lay a wreath for Remembrance at 2pm. All parents welcome to the church to join us  
**8th Nov LIFE awards ceremony. Some children to perform at this event**  
**13th Nov Open morning for new parents to the school**  
**21st Nov SATS explanation evening for KS2 and KS1 at 7pm**  
18th Nov Individual Photos  
6th Dec Christmas dinner  
16th Dec School Nativity performance 2pm in the school hall  
18th December Christmas service 2pm at the church.  
18th Dec last day of Aut term 2  
19th Dec Non pupil day  
6th Jan First day of Spring term 1  
14th Feb Last day of Spring term 1  
24th Feb First day of Spring term 2  
3rd April Last day of Spring term 2  
20th April First day of Summer term 1

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## Awards for Roxwell Primary C of E School

The Headteacher awards were awarded to Darcy Porter and Dulcie Nobrega

The Maths award was awarded to Sophie Adams

The Writing Award was awarded to Harriet Gilbert

The Sports Award was awarded to Ralph Kilburn

The Arts award was awarded to Joshua Donovan

The Values award was awarded to Emmeline Grandison

P.E. medals were awarded to Una Purcell,

A swimming certificate was awarded to Isabella Davis and Sharp Shooter of the week is Sophia  
Class Teacher certificates this week went to

A big well done to Mrs Elliott who completed the 26 mile Shine Walk through London last week raising money for Cancer Research!

Our school lottery winner this week is Alison Gilbert

Well done everyone!

