

# Roxwell C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Humility

Wisdom

Truthfulness

Generosity

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Dear Parents,

I can't believe it is the end of the first half term! The children and all the staff have worked really hard.

**Year 6 parents, please remember you must apply for your child's secondary school place by 31st October on [www.essex.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.essex.gov.uk/admissions).**

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Roof Repair Fundraising on Tuesday. We raised a total of £69.10! Well done Roxwell. I hope you have seen our lovely badges.

To receive a quicker response, please ensure any questions, queries or communications are directed to the correct member of staff within school. Communications regarding your child's learning should be written as a note or a letter, or a message in your child's reading diary, for the class teacher. Any communications regarding admin should be addressed with Mrs Hewlett in the school office. Of course all urgent information or any issues with Safeguarding need to be phoned through to school for an immediate appointment with the Headteacher. Thank you for your understanding.

Thank you to everyone for the effort and enthusiasm you have all put into the homework this half term - parents and pupils! It has been lovely to see such a huge variety of work coming into school each Thursday. There will be no homework set over half term, take this time to refresh and relax!

Children in Classes 1 and 2 will have received a letter this week informing them of their roles in the Christmas production and their required costumes. Costumes need to be in school by Monday 2nd December. As usual, photos of the children will be available to purchase before and after the 2pm performance; funds raised will go to the school.

A reminder to parents of children in Class 3 and Class 4 that reply slips for the educational visits (Chocolate Day and The Natural History Museum) need to be returned to school as soon as possible. Unfortunately, if we do not receive enough parental contributions towards these activities, we may have to cancel these events.

Please take note of the poster in the notice board by the gate offering a variety of parent workshops run by Virgin Care. Please phone directly if you would like to take part in any of these courses.

We raised of £131 from our PTA Movie Evening. Thank you everyone for your kindness and support.

Have a great half term, Maire O'Regan and Sarah Cotton

## Term Dates

**Please bring your old mobile phones to school for the PTA to recycle before the end of November, Thank you.**

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  
11th Nov PTA AGM 2PM IN SCHOOL  
13th Nov Open morning for new parents to the school  
15th Nov Class 4 visit Natural History Museum, London  
19th Nov Class 3 Chocolate Day  
21st Nov SATS explanation evening for KS2 and KS1 at 7pm  
**5th Dec Piano concert organised by Mrs Brandon. Parents welcome. Details to follow**  
6th Dec Christmas dinner  
9th Dec LIFE Christmas Concert at Chelmsford Cathedral  
10th Dec Concert at Westminster Cathedral London  
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  
7th May Class photos  
8th May Bank Holiday  
22nd May last day of Summer term 1  
1st and 2nd June Non pupil Days  
3rd June First day of Summer term 2  
21st July last day of Summer term 2  
22 July Non Pupil Day

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## Awards for Roxwell Primary C of E School

The Headteacher awards were awarded to Naomi Edwards and Annabel Kitteridge

The Maths award was awarded to Archie Grice

The Writing Award was awarded to Lukas Colese-Siklodi

The Sports Award was awarded to Arthur Little Smith

The Arts award was awarded to Ella Rudland

The Values award was awarded to Edie Wilson

OUR MAT HAS ALSO BEEN SHORTLISTED FOR AN AWARD!! The LIFE MAT has been short listed for the MAT of the Year Award. We have been chosen from 1,500 MATs and we are down to the last 4. I wonder if we will win the trophy? The awards ceremony is on the 16th November in the NEC in Birmingham. Zoe has got a new dress for the occasion! Congratulations to all the schools in the LIFE MAT and the LIFE team. Good luck from Roxwell.

Our school lottery winner this week is: Emma Featherstone



There has been a small change to the menu on Tuesday to celebrate the 5th Nov;

Sausage in a hot dog roll

Or Quorn sausage in a hot dog roll

Potato wedges Baked beans Garden peas

or

Jacket potato with various toppings