



Mail on Friday

Redhill Primary School Weekly Newsletter

15th September 2017

Email us at: A2201@taw.org.uk

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Low Income Families - Free School Meals

As you know, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children are entitled to universal free school meals. However, if parents of children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 notify us that they are a low income family who meet the means-test assessment criteria for free-school meal, the school can also claim the Pupil Premium, which is additional funding for the pupils.

You qualify for low income free school meals if you receive:-

Income support, Employment and Support allowance (income related), Child Tax Credit without Working Tax Credit with an annual taxable income of less than £16,190, Income based Jobseekers Allowance, Guaranteed Element of State Pension Credit, Support under Part V1 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999.

Following a recent budget meeting, we have been informed that there will be further education funding cuts over the coming years. If you are entitled to claim for free school meals, please complete the form available in the school office foyer, as the funding the school could receive is significant.

Thank you for your help.

Volunteer Adult Readers

We would be really grateful to hear from any parents/grandparents who would like to volunteer to hear some of our Year 6 children read. Please contact the office if you would be interested.

Thank you.

Starting School?

Apply online NOW on

www.telford.gov.uk/admissions

Closing date for applications:

15th January 2018

You **must** apply if your child was born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014.

You **must** apply even if your child is attending a nursery or pre-school on a school site or you have a child already attending the school.

Attending a nursery does not guarantee a school place.

If a child has a Statement of Special Educational Needs or Education, Health & Care Plan the closing date is 31st October 2017 for all applications.

School places are allocated in line with oversubscription criteria.

See website for more information www.telford.gov.uk/admissions or contact School Admissions at admissions@telford.gov.uk

If you do not have access to a computer you can go to your local library and use their computer facilities.

Data Update Forms

Please remember to complete and return the data update form if any of your contact details have changed.

Thank you.

Office Closed on Friday Mornings

Please can we remind parents that the office is closed on Friday mornings. Celebration Assembly parents should still come in through the office doors.
Thank you.

Celebration Assembly

No hot drinks should be brought into the celebration assembly please, due to health and safety reasons.

After School Club

Welcome to all the new children who are settling in really well. If parents have any questions regarding the Annexe please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Myatt or Mrs Jones.
Dates for your diary - On Monday the 18th September and Thursday 21st September, we will be based in the Annexe for the whole evening due to the hall being used.

Sports News

Our sports teams were back in action this week:

Wednesday 13/9/17

Wednesday saw our Year 5/6 boys take part in the u11 SSCFA 6 aside. Our boys were in a very tough group playing against St Giles, who comfortably beat us in our previous meeting. The boys dug in deep to put a good performance together. It took a while for the team to get going and the goals to start coming.

Despite playing well and putting together some good performances, especially the 0-0 draw against St Giles, this wasn't enough to see the team progress through to the next round.

Well done to the team for giving it their all: Oliver Lloyd, Ben Mason, Sam Burns, Zak Baker, Macara McNulty-Hartnett, Artem Trokymchuk, Troy Wheaver.

Player of the tournament: Macara McNulty-Hartnett - some very well taken goals and a good Captain's performance.

Thursday 14/9/17

Netball was the sport on Thursday. Our Year 5/6 team faced up against Coalbrookdale in a friendly fixture which let the team put all their practice into match play; scoring some fantastic team goals and also defending our area very well. A big well done and a thank you to Mrs Tristham and Miss Kibble for their hard work with both our Netball teams over the past few months. The hard work is really paying off.

Well done to the team: Abi Crook, Jessica Falck, Lydia Elson, Lillie Thomas, Isabella Bradshaw, Emily Follos, Reece Porter, Tetsuro Kakisako.

Mr Worthington's player of the match: Tetsuro - Tetsuro was first and second to every ball and it was great to see him score towards the end of the game. Well done every one!

P.E

There have been a number of children coming to P.E with earrings in. Earrings must not be worn for PE, however, they can be taped up during P.E lessons. Tape should be sent in PE bags if children are not able to remove their earrings.

Thank You.

Mr Worthington.

Forest School

Mr Brotherton's class start their Forest School next week on Wednesday.

Year 6 Bikeability

Thank you for all the replies for the Year 6 Bikeability – letters will follow for these children who have all secured a place.

The deadline has now passed but we do have two more places available if children have missed this.

Please speak directly to the school office if your child is interested in taking up a place. Thank you.

THIS WEEK FROM THE FRIENDS
Mad Hatter's Tea Party



Thursday 21st September from 4.30pm
Nursery, Reception & Year 1 Children & Families Only

PLEASE NOTE:

Can we please remind you that our
MAD HATTER'S TEA PARTY, is a family event for PARENTS/CARERS and children in Nursery, Reception and
Year 1 classes

Siblings of all ages are also welcome to attend, a ticket must be purchased for each child if they require a
goody bag

Children WILL NOT be allowed to attend without parents or carers

The cost is £5 per child, no charge for adults, and will include party games & entertainment, unlimited
squash and a goody bag for each child

Please return your booking forms as soon as possible so we can ensure each child gets a goody bag

Door will open at 4.30pm with party games and entertainment starting at 5.30pm.

Children WILL NOT be allowed to attend without parents or carers!

The cost is £5 per ticket for every child and will include entertainment, unlimited squash and a goody
bag!

Please ensure you get your booking forms back to us so we can provide a goody bag for every child with a
ticket!

Doors open at 4.30pm with our party games and entertainment beginning at 5.30pm.

Don't forget your family picnic, we also have refreshments, cakes and sweets on sale during the event.

Fancy dress is optional and you can have some fabulous photos taken in our Wonderland Photo Studio!

Look forward to seeing you all there.....

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So come and join us for our Mad Hatter's Afternoon Tea Party
Meet Alice & The Mad Hatter along with your fellow Redhill parents, teaching staff and members of The Friends



Don't forget to bring your family picnic

We have our tuck shop open, with tea, coffee and soft drinks on sale too

Come along and have your children photographed in the Wonderland Photo Studio

Tickets are now on sale

Fancy dress optional

PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO TICKET SALES ON THE DOOR FOR THIS EVENT

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

THURSDAY 5TH OCTOBER

The Friends AGM - Everyone Welcome

THURSDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

Halloween Discos – all years

FRIDAY 1ST DECEMBER

Christmas Fayre

WANT TO JOIN THE FRIENDS?

Don't forget if you'd like to join us and help out at any of our event throughout the school year then please do get in touch. You can give as little or a much time as your busy schedule allows and its good fun raising funds for all the extra school resources we provide!

Please contact our secretary Amy to find out more:

amyjonesredhill@outlook.com