



Rugby Free

Primary School

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Friday 7th June

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Year 6 Summer Fete

Year 6 would like to invite the children to their RFPS Summer Fete, which will be held on Friday 14th June. During the day, each year group will have an allocated slot to visit the fete with their teachers. There will be a variety of games and stalls for the children to choose from, including penalty shootout, teddy tombola, book stall, staff soak and much more! All of these activities will be organised and led by our wonderful Year 6, who have planned the event as an Enterprise initiative in order to raise funds for their Leavers' Celebration. Year 6 will also be able to participate in the activities. All children are invited to bring in 50p coins, (suggested amount is £2-£3, no more than £5) to spend on the various games/stalls. Year 6 are investing a huge amount of time into budgeting, advertising and planning the event to make it as fun as possible for all! We look forward to hosting a super exciting day!

DONATIONS PLEA - If you have any of the following, we would greatly appreciate any donations brought into the school office by Wednesday 12th June.

- Pre-loved, clean soft toys in good condition
- Pre-loved books in good condition
- Cakes or biscuits (shop bought and nut free please)



Stars of the Week

Reception
Giraffes:
Charlotte W
Zebras:
Aria

Year One
Hedgehogs:
Saiyan
Rabbits:
Scarlett

Year Two
Orcas:
Elira
Penguins:
Anay
Seals:
Alice

Year Three
Crocodiles:
Atlas
Kangaroos:
Praveen
Turtles:
Amelia

Year Four
Eagles:
Jacob M & Luke
Raccoons:
Sophie E

Year Five
Pandas:
Ava & Ruben
Tigers:
Lara & Charlie

Year Six
Jaguars:
Paula & Finli
Panthers:
Ava M & Chinedum

Library Makeover

Our wonderful library has had a makeover during half term and the children have been VERY excited to see all of the new books. A massive thank you to Mrs Armstrong, Mrs Colledge and Mrs Hunt (our supply teacher) who dedicated their own time to doing this over the holidays for the enjoyment of the children.



Safe and active schools

Just a reminder that 20th June 2024 is Clean Air Day. On this day, we would like everyone to be aware of air pollution and as always, keep ignitions/engines off when parked near school and when vehicles are not being used elsewhere as well. Please travel to school actively where possible e.g. walk, bike, scoot.



FRIDAY 28TH JUNE
5:30PM - VIA HALL ENTRANCE

£5 per family (max of 6)
 4 number games & 1 picture game
 Bring your own picnic tea - NO NUTS
 Hot & cold drinks available for purchase

Tickets will be first come first served, available from the office



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Lost Property



Since the start of this academic year we have already acquired a large amount of lost property. This consists of a variety of items. We understand that the cost of living is putting a strain on everybody and that replacing these items can be costly, so wherever possible we do try to reunite the items with the children. However, this is often not possible due to the large number of unnamed items. We are unable to keep the items indefinitely and so would like to politely ask that if you are missing any items you come along and check the lost property boxes (located in the Family Room, just opposite the reception desk) before Friday 12th July as we are unable to keep hold of items beyond this time and any outstanding items will be donated to charity. Thank you

Sun Safety

With the lovely sunshine starting to appear can we please remind parents to:



Apply

suncream to your child before they come to school

Send your child to school with a named hat and water bottle

Friends of Rugby Free Primary School (PTA)

We hope everyone had a lovely week off. We are looking forward to sharing our final events of this academic year with you all. Hopefully some of you will have seen our year 6 leavers showcasing their wonderful 'leavers 24 hoodies', we hope you are all pleased with them and enjoy wearing them over your final few weeks..

FAMILY BINGO - 28TH June, 5:30pm.

We invite you all to our family bingo fundraiser, tickets are limited and are now on sale on a first come first served basis from the office for **£5.00 per family of up to 6 people** (if you require more, then you will be spread over two tables). Please bring your own picnic tea - **NO NUTS!!**, hot & cold drinks will be available to purchase for a small fee. There will be 4 number games and 1 picture game!!

Upon purchase of your tickets every member of the family will require a ticket but you only pay £5 - CASH. (Eg- a family of four will require 4 tickets but only pays £5 once, a family of six will require 6 tickets but only pays £5 once). This is to keep a record of numbers attending. If you are a family of less than 6 you may have others join your table. (Please note that the table layout may be subject to change at the discretion of the committee and school depending on demand.) We look forward to having a wonderful evening with you. Please enter via the hall entrance.

Our next meeting - 20th June - 3:30pm @ school. Please come and join us and help plan our future events. You do not have to commit to every meeting or event, any amount of time you can give even behind the scenes is very much appreciated. We'd like to remind you to follow us on

Facebook and Instagram by searching *Friendsrfps* where we regularly post to keep you up to date with our upcoming events. Have a wonderful weekend.



Diary Dates (please check these every week as they are subject to change!)

8th June – Tabletop sale – **CANCELLED due to lack of interest**

10th June – Y2 Mosque & Coombe Abbey trip

14th June – Y6 Fete Day – more details to follow

18th June – Reception (EYFS) Sports Day – 9am-10am

20th June – Friends of RFPS meeting – 3.30pm

21st June – Y6 Sleepover

27th June – KS1 Sports Day - 9am-10.30am

28th June – Reception Coventry Transport Museum trip

28th June – Friends of RFPS Family Bingo

1st July – KS2 Sports Day – 1.00pm start

4th July – Y4 Hunstanton Beach trip

5th July – Y3 Bosworth Battlefield trip

11th July – Y5 Gurdwara visit

15th July – Friends of RFPS Break the Rules Day

17th July – Y6 Drayton Manor trip



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Safeguarding

SAFEGUARDING
Safeguarding our children is everyone's responsibility

If worried about any child being a victim of neglect, abuse or cruelty whilst at RFPS, you must tell Miss Butters or, in her absence, one of her safeguarding team.

 Miss Butters Designated Senior Leader	 Mrs Virat Designated Senior Leader
 Mrs Colledge Designated Senior Leader	 Mrs Screen Designated Senior Leader
 Miss Finch Designated Senior Leader	 Miss Calcott Designated Senior Leader

Jessie Scallie
Trustee for Child Protection & Safeguarding

If you consider a child is in immediate danger phone the Police on 999 or phone children's services on 01926 414144 or out of hours on 01926 886922.

If you are concerned that a child appears unhappy or is being abused act now using the contact numbers provided below or alternatively come in to school and ask to speak to a DSL.

Contact the **Warwickshire's Children and Families Front Door** on **01926 414144**. Lines are open Monday to Thursday 8am-5.30pm, Friday 8.30am-5.00pm.

If you need to get in touch out of usual office hours, please contact the Emergency Duty Team immediately on **01926 886922**.

If you think that a child is at immediate risk, contact the police immediately by dialling **999**.

What will happen if I report child abuse?

Childcare agencies believe that children are best cared for by their parents. Children are rarely removed from their parents and most families are given help and support. Social Workers can only remove children from home with a court order and only after they have demonstrated that the child is at serious risk. If you would like to speak to someone in school about your concerns the above members of staff are Designated Safeguarding Leads and will be happy to listen to your concerns and take the appropriate steps to safeguard a child.

Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children is everyone's responsibility

