



# Randwick Primary School: Resilience, Passion, Success



## NEWSLETTER

30 November 2018

### CLUBS

All clubs will finish this week except our Forest School club with Carrie which will continue running until Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Dec and Dance club, which will have it's last lesson on 5<sup>th</sup> Dec.

There is a football match on Monday for all children who come to football club, against Gastrells, KO around 15:30. We should finish by around 16:15. Please do come and watch!

### TRIPS

Sparrowhawks are going on a very exciting trip to the Cotswold Wildlife Park on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December and Owl class are going to the Bristol Aquarium on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December. For both trips we will leave school at 09:00 and return by 15:15.

### NATIVITY

The two performances are on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> at 14:00 and Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> at 18:00.

Please do bring family and friends and support the children in Kestrel and Owl classes.

### WATER BOTTLES

Thanks for making sure your child has a water bottle in school. We intend to make sure these come home at the end of each week to be cleaned and then returned on Monday (full). Please do remind your child to take their water bottle home on a Friday. Many thanks.

### School Closure

In the event of a closure (most likely due to snow), we will update the following website, <https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/closures>.

We will also send a text to all parents and put a message on our website. There is also a twitter feed @Glos\_schools, where you can subscribe to text alerts.

### COLDS

It is the season and we know it's hard for children to come to school sometimes when they have a cold. If they are off, please do try to minimise any gaps in their schooling. If absence for a cold is prolonged, we may not be able to authorise the absence without a Doctor's note.

### HEAD LICE

We have had a case of head lice in school so please do help us eradicate them by **checking your child's hair daily and other family members too**. If you do find lice or eggs, information for treating head lice effectively can be found on the NHS DIRECT website ([www.nhsdirect.nhs.uk](http://www.nhsdirect.nhs.uk)) or advice can be sought from your local pharmacy or doctor. Options also include herbal remedies, which do not contain insecticides, such as tea tree oil and Quassia tree bark.

### LIBRARY

#### Open Library Event 2 wb 3/12/18

Building on the success of our last 'Open Library' event in the summer term, we can once again offer parents or other family members the opportunity to join their child in the library for a chance to share a book together and meet some of our library volunteers. You are warmly invited to join us for the sessions below, all running from 14:30 – 15:00 next week:  
Owl class: Monday  
Sparrowhawk class: Wednesday  
Kestrel class: Thursday

### The Future of Trutex Stroud

The Stroud Store of Trutex will be closing on 10<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The uniform supply for Randwick will be transferred from Trutex Stroud to Bateman Sports Ltd in Kendrick Street, Stroud. The only thing that will change for parents will be the location of where they collect their uniform. Up to the time the store closes there will be a closing down sale with huge discounts off selected uniform items for schools that Trutex supply in Stroud. For more information please see the letter attached in the newsletter email.

## Class news

### Owl

Owl class are learning about animals and their young so we had Carla and Sonny, a whippet puppy visit us yesterday!



### Kestrel

We have been hard at work this week. The year 2s have started to learn and practise their parts in the nativity, whilst the year 3s have started to rehearse their own play. We have also been discussing our value for this term (trust) and enjoyed activities in which we had to trust the instructions of our partners whilst blind folded!

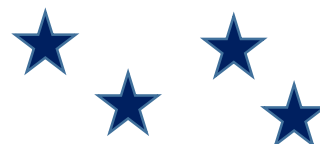


### Sparrowhawks

This week we have been writing persuasively, creating fantastic adverts for the new school tea towels. We added alliteration, an exciting hook and even drew a few pictures to entice you all to buy. In Science, we investigated fossils – what are they, how they are made and how they are helpful in telling us about the past.



## WEEKLY AWARDS



**Emily P** for a positive attitude towards her learning.



**Poppy and William** for superb supporting of younger children during Randwick Runway cooking sessions.



**Seb** for always being polite and showing excellent manners in and around school.



**Zac** for enthusiasm with his reading.



**William** for a great attitude to learning this week and really improving his writing.



**Luke** for working really hard on his writing.



**Tabitha** for great creative writing.



**Zosia** for some amazing adding this week.



**Spike** for excellent time management with his writing.



**Anya P** for showing kindness to a younger child in the playground.

## DATES FOR THE YEAR

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Who</b>
3 Dec	Football Match vs Gastrells at Randwick Church	Football club
8 Dec	Work Party 2 at the school 9am – 1pm	All
11 Dec	Nativity at 2pm at the church	All
12 Dec	Nativity at 6pm at the church	
12 Dec	Woodland day	All
13 Dec	Christmas Fayre in church hall at 3.15pm	All
14 Dec	Panto village hall	Children
20 Dec	Xmas lunch and party	All
24 Jan	Morfa Bay meeting 6-7pm	Y5/6
30 Jan	Woodland day	All
5 Feb	School Nurse visit	YR/YR6
20 Jan	Woodland day	All
25 Feb	X country	Y5/6
26 Feb	X country	Y3 /4
26 & 27 Feb	Parents eve term 3	All
27 Mar	Woodland day	All
5 Apr	Easter service and egg hunt	All
24 Apr	Woodland day	All
w/c 13 May	Ks2 SATS	Ks2
w/c 20 May	Sports week	All
22 May	Woodland day	All
24 May or 12 Jul	Sports day	All
17 – 21 Jun	Morfa Bay Residential	Y5/6
19 Jun	Woodland day	All
25 Jun	Ks2 district athletics	Ks2
9 and 10 Jul	Production	All
w/c 15 Jul	Bikeability	Y6
17 Jul	Teddy Bear's Picnic	All
17 Jul	Woodland day	All
18 Jul	Y6 leavers assembly	