



# Randwick Primary School: Resilience, Passion, Success



## NEWSLETTER

17 May 2019

### WAP

It was great to see so many current and former Randwick children and their parents and families at the WAP last weekend. The school ran teas at school – my thanks to our staff for running this – and PFORs put on the second hand clothing and toys stall, welly wang, crockery smash and Pimms bar, all of which contributed to raising money for the school and we wait to hear what the grand total is! The event couldn't happen without co-ordination from our PFORs committee and a team of parent volunteers on the day who gave up some of their day to run the stalls. **Huge thanks to everyone involved.** We had many children dressed up as personalities and it was lovely to see former pupil Tabitha in the Queen's chair. You may also have seen one of our mums, Susie, performing in Les Gloriablès. It truly was a wonderful day and it served to remind me what an amazing place Randwick is! Mr Poad.

### Fundraising

We are extremely grateful to Emily Gravestock for her work in securing a donation of £350 from Renishaw this week to go towards the restructuring costs. Thank you Renishaw!

### Sports week

Next week is our annual Sports Week, culminating in Sports Day on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May. A letter regarding Sports Day has been sent separately to parents. We are looking for volunteers to help out on the day, both in the morning during the activities and in the afternoon when children will be running on the track. Please do us know if you can give a couple of hours – [admin@randwick.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@randwick.gloucs.sch.uk). We are also in need of pagodas – if you are able to drop one on the field in the morning then that would help enormously with providing shade for the children! Please let us know if you can via the above email. Thank you.

### Marling Y5 & Y6

Today our children in years 5 and 6 spent the day at Marling School with one of our Governors, Mr Niven, Head of Chemistry. Children were able to create perfumes and make boxes to package them and everyone had a great time. Thanks to Mr Niven and his team at Marling.

### Jungle parc trip 21<sup>st</sup> May

A reminder to please make a £9.50 voluntary contribution via ParentPay, where you will also be able to give consent for your child to take part in the trip.

### Clubs news

**Please note that due to staff training on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May there will be NO Rounders or Art club.**

### SATS

We have been very impressed with all of our Y6 and Y2 children this week who've been tested as part of the Government's statutory assessment of key stages 1 and 2. The test papers as always were challenging but our children were positive and worked hard to do their very best. Our Y6 children celebrated yesterday afternoon with a water slide and splash party on the field! Thanks to parents who were able to donate, and to Val for her amazing cake!



### Ambassador FGR

Our great thanks to George in Y6 who has done such a good job as Ambassador this year – so good in fact that FGR voted him joint best Ambassador out of the 60 schools, who have them in the Stroud area! An amazing achievement George, thanks for doing such a great job! We are pleased to announce that our Ambassador for next year is Ben in Y5, a keen FGR fan. Thanks Ben!

### Pfors summer social

We are having a summer social get together on Fri 5<sup>th</sup> July 5-8pm at Randwick village hall join us for food/drink and a game of rounders! Everyone invited! Volunteers needed to help set up and clear up etc.

## Attendance last week

Owl class had the best attendance last week with **98.3%** (our whole school target is 97%). Well done to Owl class!



## Class news

### Owl

This week Owl have visited Randwick Woods in Forest School and made Cleaver (stickle weed) cordial as well as den building and making platforms. Amazing team work!

We also visited the church to look at the building in detail and discussed why it is such a significant building.

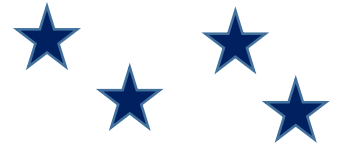


### Kestrel

What a week for outdoor learning! We have spent much of the week outside doing maths or searching for inspiration for our writing. We dressed in (imaginary) camo suits and packed our binoculars to go in search of wildlife on our playground. We are now expert wildlife watchers. We also wrote our own Russian folktales, which we have published in a book! These will be coming home so watch out for them parents.



# WEEKLY AWARDS



**Tatiana** for being thoughtful towards other children in our class.



**Leo D** for using his phonics and tricky words to write has questions about the church.



**Florence L** for her motivation to improve her own writing.



**Oscar M** for being attentive and asking great questions about church.



**Oscar E** for persevering and being independent all week.



**Year 6** for perseverance and resilience with SAT's.



**Henry** for superb behaviour in breakfast club and around the school.

## DATES FOR THE YEAR

Date	Event	Who
21 May	School trip to Jungle Parc	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
27 - 31 May	Half term	All
7 Jun	Randwick Runway Open House	All
17 - 21 Jun	Morfa Bay Residential	Y5/6
19 Jun	Woodland day	All
25 Jun	KS2 district athletics track	KS2
9 and 10 Jul	Production	All
12 Jul	Randwick Runway Open House	All
w/c 15 Jul	Bikeability	Y6
17 Jul	Teddy Bear's Picnic	All
17 Jul	Woodland day	All
18 Jul	Y6 leavers assembly	All
19 Jul	Last day of school	All
22 Jul	Help removing the broken wall	All
22 and 23 Jul	Inset day	All

### Deer Park Open Mornings

Thursday 27 June, Monday 15 July and Tuesday 16 July 2019

Bookings to be made in advance.