



Randwick Primary School: Resilience, Passion, Success



NEWSLETTER

13 March 2020

Staffing

We are delighted to welcome Miss Lucy Newbould to our teaching team, after a day of interviewing on Monday. The standard of candidates was very high and it was a privilege to watch them all teach. Our Kestrel class children did a great job, as did our School Councilors who interviewed the four candidates. Miss Newbould will be teaching years 3 and 4 in September.

Mr Bailey has been a successful trainee teacher with us in Buzzard Class and finishes his placement with us today. Thanks Mr Bailey, we wish you well in your future career!

Fly High Café

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded 5 stars by Stroud District Council, on behalf of the Food Standards Agency, after an impromptu inspection on 3rd March. Our wonderful cook, Mrs Kate, was able to show what high standards she has in her kitchen and the inspectors were impressed! Our huge thanks to Mrs Kate!

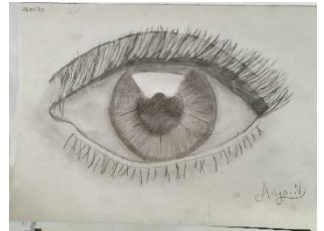
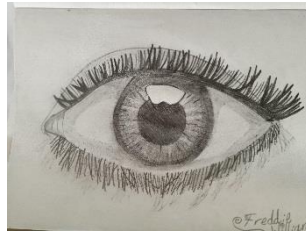
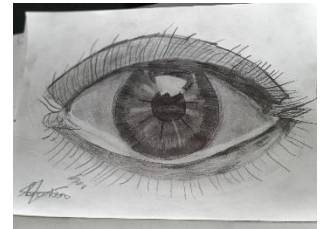
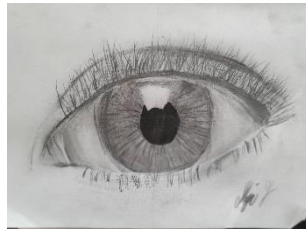
Sport Relief

Thanks for supporting the fundraising effort across the country today. We raised £77 from your kind donations. Great to do a run with rather more space too! Thanks to everyone who joined us.



Website

Mrs Temblett has added some amazing photos taken by Mrs Chastney's daughter, Jas, who is studying photography at university. There are also some photos of the art work they've done in the art gallery blog.



Asthma

All staff had first aid training on Wednesday after school and we were reminded how to use an inhaler. This youtube clip is useful if your child has an inhaler:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iO8HpORGHOA>

Your child will have a space, unlike in this clip, but the important bit is that children inhale slowly, not with one quick deep breath. Spacers make a whistling type noise if children are breathing in too quickly. Do ask any of us if you are not sure. We do have a spare in school for emergencies. Please also let us know if your child has been prescribed an inhaler and make sure we have one in school at all times.

Corona Virus

All schools are being updated daily by the Department for Education (DfE). I will let you know if we need to take any action but for now you can find advice here: <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus> Contrary to our normal advice, if your child has a cold or snuffle or any sort, we advise that you keep them off, just to be on the safe side.

Randwick Runway Eco-School Group

Bird Watchers

The Eco-Schools' group would like to build a bird-friendly zone for the birds to make nests and feel at home and for the children to observe. We are planning to clear out the pond, plant some trees, hang up bird-feeders and build a bird hide. All of these little things will attract birds.

So, we will need some help please! If you aren't busy and are willing to help, please support us by speaking to me after school or by email.

Recycle with Riley

Sadly, the soft plastic collection project in which we have been involved is coming to an end. Unfortunately, the company that ran the project and recycled the plastic is closing down meaning we will not be able to take your soft plastics from home. We will keep an eye out for similar projects in the local area. If you are aware of any other companies which are able to recycle soft plastics, please do come and let us know.

Miss Marais

Clubs

Dance club reminder

Due to university classes Miss Reid won't be able to run Thursday classes on 19th March, 26th March, 2nd April, 30th April, 7th May, 14th May. Please note that Wednesday classes will continue every week.

Pfors

Easter Disco Friday 3rd April 2020

Look out for the Easter disco tickets sent home in book bags this week, or ask the office. Please drop the reply slip and money to the pfors box on the shelf in the school office.

We plan to hold a second hand uniform sale, date TBC. Please donate any unwanted good quality uniform to the school office.

We are also on the hunt for a large quantity of crockery for the crockery smash stall at this year's WAP. Please take to school office.



WEEKLY AWARDS

-  **Alfie** for being kind and thoughtful towards another child in the playground.
-  **Brendan and Henry** for fantastic work creating a video log.
-  **Matilda W** for working so hard on phonics reading and science.
-  **Lyra and Freddie W** for superb team leading with Randwick Runway cooking .
-  **George** for always applying himself in everything we do in class.
-  **Bea** for hard work on her handwriting.
-  **Finlay** for showing kindness to others.
-  **Freddie T** for resilience.

DATES FOR THE YEAR

Sun 15 Mar	Chusin' In at 12pm	All
Fri 20 Mar	KS1 Multi-skills from 9am – 3:30pm at SPLC	KS1
Wed 25	Cross Country Qualifiers at SPLC at 4pm	Y3
Fri 3 Apr	Easter service and egg hunt	All
Fri 3 Apr	Randwick Runway Open House	All
Fri 3 Apr	Easter Disco 5-6:30pm	All
Fri 3 April	End of term	
Mon 20 Apr	Inset Day	All
Sun 3 May	Cheese rolling/spring service at 11am	All
Sat 9 May	Randwick WAP 2020	All
w/c 18 May	Sports week	All
Fri 22 May	Sports Day	All
Sat 6 Jun	Sponsored/fun swim 5-6pm Stratford Park Leisure Centre	All
Tue 7 Jul	Y6 production 1:45pm	
Wed 8 Jul	Y6 Production 6pm	
Fri 10 Jul	Alternative Sports Day date	All
Fri 10 Jul	Summer Social 5-7pm Randwick village hall	All
Wed 15 Jul	Teddy Bears Picnic	All
Thur 16 Jul	Y6 Leavers service	
Fri 17 Jul	End of term	