



Randwick Primary School: Resilience, Passion, Success



NEWSLETTER

23 October 2020

New start and finish times

After half term we will be making things a little easier (we hope) for parents and carers. We have merged bubbles this term, as you know, and need to therefore reflect these changes in the times we start and finish.

From Monday 2nd November:

Arrival:

Kestrels and **Sparrowhawks** can arrive between 0835 and 0845 and go in through the back door

Buzzards can arrive between 0835 and 0845 and go in through the front door

Owls can arrive between 0850 and 0855 and go in through the front door.

Leave:

Kestrels and **Sparrowhawks** will be brought onto the large playground at 1515.

Buzzards will come to the front gate at 1515.

Owls will come to the front gate at 1510.

Clubs

These start the first week back and finish Thurs 10th Dec (6 weeks). Sign up on the School Spider app via the forms/survey link. If you have any problems with access to School Spider, please contact the office so that they can get the School Spider team to look into it. Please note that Art club is full but there are still places for football and book club.

Parents' Evening

Thank you for signing up and using zoom. Teachers were pleased with how well it worked and enjoyed time to talk with you.

Bench for the Stanleys

We have a wonderful design for the bench ready, incorporating skylarks and a message of thanks. We would welcome any contributions.

Calling all readers ! Library book Amnesty

Please could we ask you to check if you have any of the Beast Quest series books at home and any of the Harry Potter series. We are running very low on both so any returns would be great.

Christmas cards

Children have made cards today and Eva Saldana Iglesias (Parent) has kindly offered to co-ordinate the project again this year. The parents will be ordering from and paying the printers directly. Timescales are as follows:

- Eva will collect the drawings on Friday, 23 October 2020 and send them to the printers
- After half term, the printers will send printed flyers which will contain a website link and individual code for parents to go online and place their orders
- The online shop will close on Tuesday, 17 November 2020
- Delivery of the cards: Thursday, 3 December 2020

Thanks Eva!

Immunisation for Flu

Please be aware that the immunisation will take place on Friday 13th November. We expect all our children to be in school that day; if you are concerned about shredding then please let me know that you will be taking your child home after registration at 1330. The immunisation does not start until 1345. Thank you.
David Poad

Drumming Tuition

There are a few slots available for drum lessons. Lessons are delivered during and after school hours and will be half hour duration. Inspire Drumming use electric drum kits, so noise is reduced. There is no obligation to have your own drums, or take exams, but Rock School Grades are available. One to one half hour lessons are charged at £16.

Site Safety

I wanted to reassure everyone that the children here are well supervised at play and lunchtimes and that we take security very seriously. Both gates are shut when children are outside and staff are spaced to make sure we have views of the playground. We have walkie-talkie radios to ensure a quick communication between staff outside and me. There are clear boundaries around the whole site and children know where they can and can't play. David Poad

Reading Volunteers

If you are able to offer some time and happy to sit wrapped in a blanket or thick coat outside the back door, we'd be most grateful to hear from you. We would also welcome volunteer readers to come during library sessions and be in the library at the same time. Just email me to register your interest.

PFORS Photography competition

Please see attached information regarding the exciting photography competition launched by PFORS.

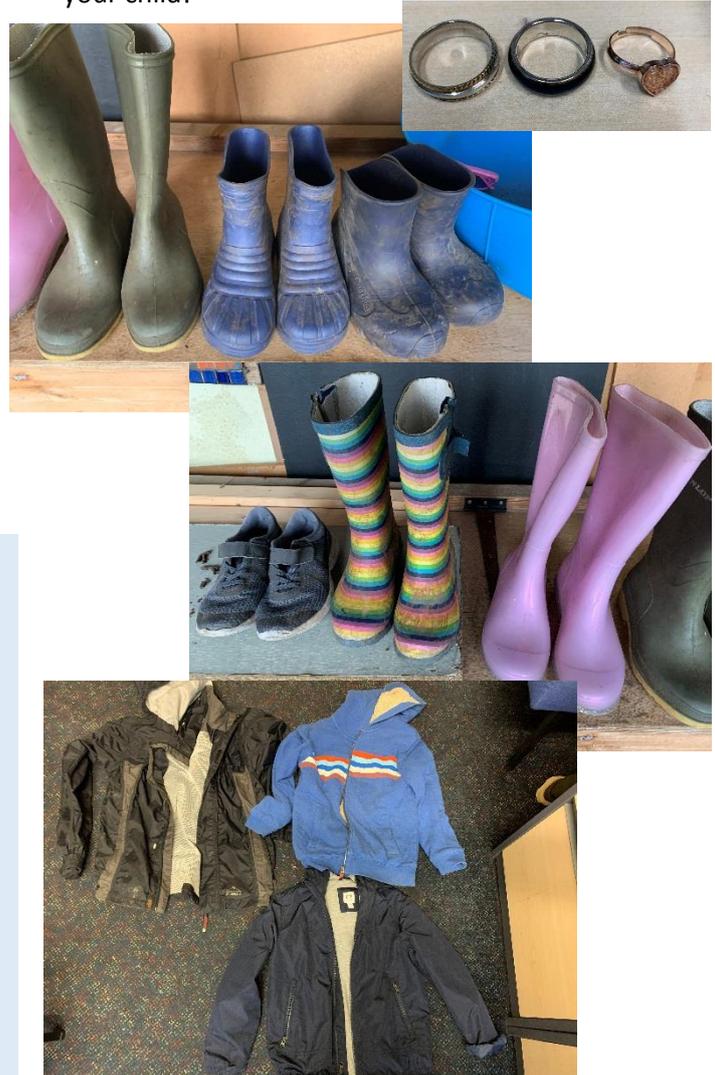
Reading Passport

As it is half term, why not enjoy a good read? The website is now updated with the full list of books so if you can't find your passport - don't despair - logon and check out your options for this week. The school and Gloucestershire libraries are full of books ready for you to read!

<https://www.randwickschool.org/page/reading-passport/85308>

Lost property

The following items are in our lost property trunk. Please let the office know if anything belongs to your child!



PFORs roles

I will be stepping down as Co Chair for PForS at our next AGM, which will be early Nov (date tbc)

The following roles will need to be filled this year:

Co chair of PForS - organise and coordinate with the rest of committee and school what events are held and what fundraising is spent on.

Secretary of PForS - to invite committee members to meetings and take minutes.

Anyone interested and for more info please email pforsgroup@gmail.com

Many thanks, Kelly Bowes



WEEKLY AWARDS



Miri and Feranmi for tidying the box of aprons after D.T.



Tatiana for cleaning the equipment after D.T.



Amelie for attention to detail in her beautiful poetry.



Milo for giving his all in maths lessons.



Findlay for making us laugh.



Ewa for being attentive and applying her new learnt skills in cricket.



Flora for amazing attention to detail and inference in guided reading.



Billy B for showing resilience - applying suggestions given to improve work.



Evelyn M for having a go at everything!



Reuben for amazing story telling of the 3 little pigs!



Harveer for his cheerful and respectful attitude towards adults and children.



Matilda W for perseverance and hard work in maths.



Oscar M for showing resilience and trying hard in his work.



Joe for being a kind member of Buzzards.



Alfie for his wonderful story telling.

