

# Roehampton Church of England Primary School



## Newsletter



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Dear All,

A very belated Happy New Year from all the staff and Governors at RCS. I trust that you all had a lovely break and it is so wonderful to see all the children back at school. The last few weeks have been busy and at last, we have managed to sort out clubs for the children. The majority of clubs are full, but we still have a few places left in Tennis, on a Tuesday for KS2 and Music on a Friday for KS1. If you have not signed your child up for a club and would like to, please ask at the office and Mrs King or Mrs Govier will happily help you.

This term Year 3 are the lucky ones who are able to go swimming and I know that they are enjoying every moment; as did Year 4. Year 5 and Year 6 will also be having the opportunity to go swimming in the near future. Swimming is part of the National Curriculum and we are very lucky to be able to support the parents, carers and children so that all those in KS2 get the opportunity.

Parent & Carer meetings will take place on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February and the first appointment will be at 1:40pm, children will need collecting from school at 1:25pm please. There will be a 'New Book' sale held and all books will be £1.00. All money raised will go back into the school for the children.

The PSA will be running a Valentine Disco for children in Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February, from 3:45 - 5pm. Tickets will be on sale shortly from the office.

Kind regards,

Lynn Anderson

Executive Head Teacher

### Messages from the Office Team

The Hall, kitchen and playground are now available for hire. If you are a parent at the school and you would like to hire the hall or any of the other facilities, please speak to Mrs King who can be contacted via phone on: **020 8788 8650** or email: [sbm@roehampton.wandsworth.sch.uk](mailto:sbm@roehampton.wandsworth.sch.uk).



### Message from the PSA

If you would like to join the PSA, please talk to Becky Meager (Parent from Year 6) or leave your details for her at the office.



## Theme of the Month is:

### **Perseverance**

*'I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.'*

*Philippians 4.13*




## Our article of the Month is:

### **Article 29**

You have the right to an education, which develops my personality, respect for others' rights and the environment.





### **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

<b>EYFS</b> <b>Nursery</b> <b>Areasha</b> - for saying the letter sounds when writing. <b>Kesha</b> - for always being a good example to others during carpet times. <b>Reception</b> <b>Maisie</b> - for writing letters all by herself. <b>Esrom</b> - for sharing the toys with his friends.	<b>Year 1</b> <b>Oscar</b> - For excellent work adding and subtracting within 10. <b>Alex</b> - For a lovely piece of writing about his Christmas holiday.
<b>Year 2</b> <b>Hanibal</b> - for progressing really well with his reading and becoming a more fluent reader. <b>Millie-Rae</b> - for becoming more independent with her writing following a discussion with an adult.	<b>Year 3</b> <b>Iman and Nevaeh</b> for brilliant non-chronological reports about crocodiles with lots of detail.
<b>Year 4</b> <b>Almarie</b> - for her lively and interesting diary writing about a trip to France. <b>Hazqeel</b> - for great contributions and explanations in our comprehension reading group	<b>Year 5</b> <b>Louis</b> - for being an excellent, supportive talk partner and a kind friend <b>Rayan</b> - for putting 100% effort into his work
<b>Year 6</b> <b>Basmah and Tooba</b> - for both contributing more in lessons, sharing ideas and supporting their peers.	<b>This week's winner for attendance:</b> <b>Year 1 with 95.1%</b> <b>Congratulations!</b> 

### **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

<b>Nursery</b> <b>Aroja</b> - for sharing toys with others. <b>Dunya</b> - for excellent singing of the abc song and wheels on the bus.	<b>Reception</b> <b>Zayn</b> - for always being kind to others and helping our new friend settle in. <b>Emilio</b> - for excellent progress in phonics and having great ideas.
<b>Year 1</b> <b>Anaya</b> - for always being polite, helpful and considerate. <b>Labiqa</b> - for doing some amazing work retelling Handa's Surprise.	<b>Year 2</b> <b>Finnli</b> - for being so focused on his learning and ignoring distractions. <b>Eshaal</b> - for gaining confidence and putting her hand up to contribute in class discussions.
<b>Year 3</b> <b>Freya and Faris</b> - for being brave at swimming and getting in the pool even when they really did not want to.	<b>Year 4</b> <b>Xanthe</b> - for making many good contributions in all our class discussions. <b>Ariba</b> - great passing skills in football.

<b>Year 5</b> <b>Oli</b> - for demonstrating excellent ball control skills during PE. <b>Rachel</b> - for participating enthusiastically during music.	<b>Year 6</b> <b>Belaid</b> - for effectively using devices to persuade a reader in his writing. <b>Maisie</b> – for always displaying a very positive attitude to all of her learning.
<b>This week's winner for attendance:</b> <b>Year 2 with 100%</b> <b>Congratulations!</b> 	<b>House Points and Winners for this Week</b> Fox 215 <b>Hedgehog 245</b> Robin 221 Squirrel 198 <b>Congratulations to Hedgehog who are the house winners this week!</b>

Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January 2023	
<b>Nursery</b> <b>Matteo</b> – for always being polite. <b>Bethany</b> – for sounding out the work cat all by herself.	<b>Reception</b> <b>Bianca</b> - for super number work. <b>Shenal</b> - for amazing listening and sitting during our trip to the theatre.
<b>Year 1</b> <b>Risitharan</b> – for working hard to improve his writing. <b>Ayva</b> –for using many interesting adjectives in her writing.	<b>Year 2</b> <b>Aurora</b> - for always having wonderful manners. <b>Archie</b> – for showing great skills in football.
<b>Year 3</b> <b>Toby</b> - for trying really hard to always put his hand up before answering a question. <b>Faras</b> - for using beautiful manners all the time.	<b>Year 4</b> <b>Amaar</b> - for following the instructions in our ukulele lessons so well. <b>Faris Ahmad</b> - for a great diary entry as a street cat and using all the diary features.
<b>Year 5</b> <b>Humphrey</b> - for participating enthusiastically during music <b>Grenada</b> – for consistently demonstrating the RCS school values and being an excellent role model.	<b>Year 6</b> <b>Belaid</b> - for his excellent reasoning and problem-solving skills in his maths. <b>Arosh</b> – for being an engaging and supportive talk partner.
<b>This week's winner for attendance:</b> <b>Year 2 with 94.2%</b> <b>Congratulations!</b> 	<b>House Points and Winners for this Week</b> <b>Fox: 386</b> Hedgehog: 320 Robin: 340 Squirrel: 283 <b>Congratulations to Fox who are the house winners this week!</b>



## Diary Dates

### February

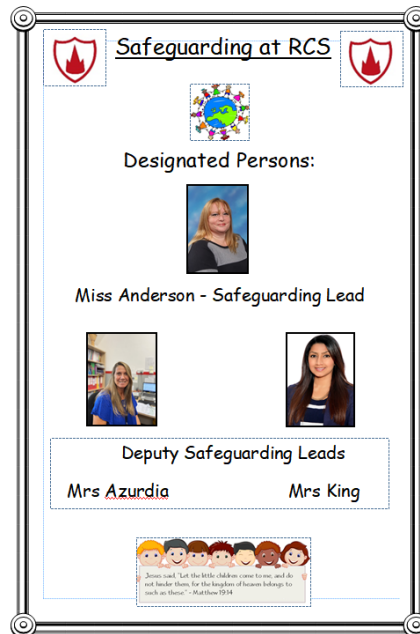
- 1<sup>st</sup> - Strike Day - School is open as normal except for Reception class
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Year 3 Parent Book Look 9am - 9:15am
- 9<sup>th</sup> - Valentine Disco for KS2 from 3:45 - 5pm
- 10<sup>th</sup> - Last day of term - school closes at normal time
- 13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> **HALF TERM**
- 20<sup>th</sup> - Parent & Teacher Meetings from 1:40-7pm (School closes at 1:25)

### March

- 6<sup>th</sup> - Governors mtg (Personnel)
- 9<sup>th</sup> - Governors mtg (Curriculum & SEND)
- 17<sup>th</sup> - St Patrick's Day
- 17<sup>th</sup> - Comic Relief - More information to follow

# Safeguarding at RCS

Congratulations to Mrs King on becoming a Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead. Mrs King completed her training and is now trained to support Miss Anderson and Mrs Azurdia in keeping children safe. Around the school you will see the same poster as below which signposted children, parents and staff about who they can speak to if they have concerns about a child.



## Spotlight at RCS on Music – Year 3

