

Ryefield's Weekly Newsletter

16-11-2018



Ryefield Rascals Breakfast and After School Club Opening January 2019

OPENING TIMES: - **BREAKFAST**: 07:45 - 08:40

AFTER SCHOOL: 15:15 - 18:00

BREAKFAST CARE: Opens from 7:45am

Parents must register their child with a member of staff. All children arriving before 08:20am are offered a choice of sugar free cereals, toast, milk and fruit juice. At 8:40am pupils are walked to their classes and handed over to the class teacher.

AFTER SCHOOL CARE: Opens from 15:15pm until 18:00pm

Children from Reception to Year 3 will be collected from their classrooms by staff. Children in Years 4 to 6 will make their own way to the care provision. All children will be registered by a member of staff.

If your child is attending an extra-curricular club they will be brought to the After School Club by the person/adult running the extra-curricular club and signed in.

We offer a range of activities including arts, sports, structured ICT activities and an **area** for homework with support from the staff.

Parents can pick up at any time; children will be provided with a healthy light snack such as a sandwich, fruit and vegetables at 16:30pm. All children must be signed out by a member of staff.



BOOKING FEES:

SCHEDULE	TIMES	COST
Breakfast	07:45-08:45 (Inc breakfast)	£4.00
After School	15:15-18:00 (Inc snack)	£9.00
After School	15:15-16:30 (Ex Snack)	£7.00
After School	16:30-18:00 (Inc snack)	£6.00

Ryefield Rascals will be taking bookings & payments as of next week for January - please go onto sQuid to book

Please feel free to contact Mrs Hughes for further information on 01895 547036

Mandela Class meets Alexis Deacon



On Tuesday, Mrs Khan and the children in her class made the long journey to Stratford to visit the Story Center. The children were lucky to have been selected, as they got the chance to work with Alexis Deacon - author of Beegu, Croc & Bird, and other children's classics.

He spent an afternoon talking through the creative process, sharing his work and teaching us to become better storytellers and illustrators. It was a unique experience and a wonderful opportunity.





Pupil fundraising

Team Emoji are participating in a business enterprise scheme. The school has supplied them with squishies and all profits will be used to re-stock and invest in resources chosen by our pupils.



Parent Gym

Congratulations to our latest group of parents! They have just finished their Parent Gym course. Lots of tips were discussed as well as lots of laughter, tea, coffee and croissants!

Thank you to Mr Tucker for drawing the raffle and presenting our well-deserved parents with their certificates. Also it was wonderful to hear our parents planning to continue their get together with regular coffee mornings here at the school.









On Wednesday 14th November, 14 children travelled to Barnhill School to take part in a 'Change 4 Life' Festival. The children have all been attending weekly sessions in school, and this was their opportunity to meet children from other schools and engage in some fun activities.





Update from Padraig - Y6

The Change for Life Festival takes your mind off difficult work and gives you a morning of fun. These games aren't very complex but they are very fun and energetic. It gets your heart racing, also it gets you fit. I find that it could be a day to remember



Girls Football



Congratulations to our amazing group of girls who were semi-finalists in this week's Hillingdon Girls Football Competition.

They defended and attacked as a team - only losing one game in the process. Both Mr Murray and Mrs O'Donoghue were delighted with the tenacity and enthusiasm shown by all girls. I believe that Mr Murray is considering by one of Gareth Southgate's waistcoats!

If you have any action shots of the tournament could you please share them via the school office email.

On Wednesday 14th November the Uxbridge & District Girls' Football Tournament finally went ahead. Our team were all very excited as this was their first match together. The venue was Denham United Ladies FC in Uxbridge and once everyone had arrived, the matches got under way.

First we played against Rabbs Farm, with the girls performing superbly we won 2-1. After watching the second match, we took to the pitch again – this time against Cowley St Laurence. Another fantastic performance and a 1-0 win. Now we had 6 points and it all came down to the last result to see who went through to the semi-finals. Our last opponents were St Bernadettes. It was a hard fought



match with the final score being 0-0, but it was enough to see us through. In the semi-final match we came up against Heathrow Primary who had won all their matches. Again, it was a close run thing, but Heathrow finally managed a 1-0 win – and then went on to win the tournament.

Well done girls'. You were a credit to the school, showed great sportsmanship and fully deserve your bronze medals. Thank you to all the parents for your support and especially to Mr Murray who led them on the day.



Judo

Children across KS2 and Year 2 enjoyed a Judo taster session today. This was all thanks to our membership of the South Hillingdon School Sports Network. They grappled and pinned each other down with vim and vigour.

It was great to see children experience a new sport and challenge themselves!



Open School Day for New Parents

We will be having an Open School Day on **Wednesday 21st November** for new parents to look around the school. Also, London Borough of Hillingdon are coming in to assist Nursery parents in filling out their application forms for starting school in September 2019, if required.

Information Received









School Lunches



If you have unpaid fees for lunch - please ensure that your account is settled. Your child will not receive a school lunch until their sQuid account has credit!

If sQuid does not allow you to order due to owed funds then it is your responsibility to provide your child(ren) a packed lunch.

Please note that this does not apply to children in the Early Years (Reception) and KS1 (Years 1 and 2) as you automatically receive Universal Infant Free School Meals or families who receive free school meals in KS2 (Years 3-6)

Are you eligible for Free School Meals and access to the Pupil Premium? Visit: https://www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims to check for eligibility



Dates For Your Diary

Wednesday 21st November Open School Session (Reception and Nursery places)

Thursday 22nd & Friday 23rd November - INSET Days - No children should attend

Monday 26th November Year 6 Bikeability - pre-booked children only

until Thursday 29th November

Friday 30th November Gandhi Class Assembly @ 2.45pm

Tuesday 4th December Nasal and Flu programme

Tuesday 11th December Carol Service Rehearsal

Wednesday 12th December Christmas Lunch - to be ordered on sQuid before 6th Dec

Wednesday 12th December Carol Service at the church: time to TBC

Wednesday 12th December EYFS Nativity - 10.00am

Thursday 13th December EYFS Nativity - 2.00pm

Friday 14th December Friends of Ryefield Christmas Fayre - 4.00pm-6.00pm

Monday 17th December KS1 Carol Concert - 2.30pm

Wednesday 19th December KS1 Christmas Party

Friday 21st December End of Term

KS1 finishes @ 1.30pm/KS2 finishes @ 1.35pm

Monday 7th January INSET Day - NO CHILDREN IN SCHOOL

Tuesday 8th January TERMS STARTS

