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Ryefield's Fortnightly Update

15-03-2019

Aliens send Ryefield a message. Can you crack the code?

It has been a busy week this week, but Mr White was shocked to witness a metal box teleport into the school hall. The video footage can be seen here (<https://youtu.be/rFTQxILMWyg>) ; it was most fortunate that I happened to be walking past at that moment!

The whole school has gone alien crazy - even the nursery and reception classes have created spaceship role play areas.

In today's assembly I opened the crate and we were most surprised to see that there was a strange coloured tablet for each class. Yet none of us could work out what the message means. So we are going to have to use all of our reading skills to try to **decode** this fantastic piece of first contact. I have attached the message to this email in the hope that parents and families may take the time to help us unlock this mystery.

There may even be a prize for the first set of pupils to crack the code!



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World Book Day

Everyone had a great time dressing up and celebrating world book day - a strange dinosaur menaced the front gates. Maybe he was trying to remind everyone to spend their £1 vouchers before they expire...



Phonics Breakfast

Thanks to all who attended this successful session.





Sporting and Academic Success!



Swimming

Last night 7 committed pupils participated in the Uxbridge and District Swimming Gala. Unlike previous years we were able to enter every event and the team gave their all to ensure that for some events Ryefield made it into the final events!



Everyone was delighted to watch an amazing backstroke final - it was a close top three finish and despite his goggles breaking pre-race Nicholas earned a bronze medal. We were absolutely buoyant!

Netball

On Saturday 2nd March Ryefield hosted the Uxbridge & District Netball Tournament. It was fantastic to see so many girls enjoying themselves (there were 20 teams involved).

Our team came up against some tough opposition (including the league winners), but played extremely well, winning two of their four matches. An excellent achievement for the end of the season. Well done girls and thank you to all the supporters.



Dance

On Friday 8th March we were able to complete our dance taster sessions. Now all the children in both KS1 and KS2 have had the opportunity to try out some moves! This time it was Year 4 and Churchill. They all had a fantastic time, learning a dance to 'A Star is Born'. As you can see, they were all STARS!



Urban Debating League



Our amazing orators competed on Tuesday and they managed to win 5 out of 6 debates. We are so proud of them, consequently Ryefield are now ranked as 11th in the National League! WOW!!



Could you spare some time to help out in school?
Do you have an hour a week to listen to some children read?
Maybe you wouldn't mind joining us on the occasional trip?
Perhaps you would like to do some gardening or Art with the children?
We are looking for some volunteers to enhance learning for our children.
No experience needed - training will be given!

If you think you could help us please speak to me or Mrs Boxall on reception
or email me directly: estrong@ryefieldprimary.org.uk

Mrs Strong

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)

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Dates For Your Diary

Wednesday 20th March	Stay Safe and Street Smart Workshop with Year 6
Friday 22nd March	Deadline for Parent Governor Nominations - 12 noon
Wednesday 27th March	Reception and Year 6 Height & Weight Checks
Thursday 28th March	Mother's Day Shop - Friends of Ryefield
Friday 29th March	Darwin Class assembly @ 2.45pm
Friday 29th March	KS1 Disco - 4.00pm - 5.30pm KS2 Disco - 6.00pm - 7.30pm
Friday 5th April	TERM ENDS KS1 - 1.30pm / KS2 - 1.35pm

