





Ryefield's Weekly Newsletter 22-06-18

Champions!





Congratulations to our team of Year 5 and Year 6 Debaters who have retained title of our Hillingdon Debate Winners.

They had to present a prepared motion around the topic that children should not be given mobile phones. We were delighted to learn that Emily was awarded the title of top debater as she scored 35/40 for her speech. Amazing!

As a school we continue to push and celebrate oracy. It is a vital skill and we want all of our children to confident and articulate speakers with creative minds.

If you can't think it then you cannot say it. If you cannot say it then you cannot write it. Oracy is vital.



Sports Day

Thank you to all who attended and cheered their children on.

















Party in the Park - update

Congratulations to our amazing Friends of Ryefield - we raised £1762. The team have kindly accepted our request that £600 of this be put towards a match funding order for home/school reading books; the the £600 donated can buy us £1200 worth of brand new books! How exciting.

Soccer Aid - update

Thank you for your donations for the Unicef Soccer Aid Playground Challenge. We raised £33.34 and with the government doubling this amount it will mean we will be helping to provide life-saving food and vaccines, as well as life-changing education and support for children in danger around the world. Well done!

Following our visit from Boris Johnson MP, we received a letter thanking us for taking part in the Challenge, saying how much he enjoyed the event and how impressed he was with our pupils and the school. He also wrote:

"I particularly enjoyed meeting with the Debate Club. They are a bright group of young people and I wish them luck in their future debates. I also enjoyed handing out awards to the pupils. Congratulations again to them on their hard earned achievements."

Sports Update

London Youth Games





On Tuesday 19th June, ten girls from years 5 and 6 travelled to Paddington Recreation Ground to take part in the first ever London Girls Event as part of the London Youth Games.



After registration, we were paired with Highgate School and our first event was competitive Frisbee. We learnt all the skills in playing this exciting game.

Next, we went to the tennis courts for our next two events – boxing and tennis – with lots of warm-up activities too. Including tug-of-war!



Then it was time for lunch.



In the afternoon we had two more activities, lacrosse and finally dance.

All the girls had a fantastic day, trying new activities and meeting new people. Thank you to Ms Lansiquot for coming with us.

Rounders

The school hosted the Uxbridge District Rounders and Tournament. Ryefield, decked out in the new sports kit!, played three matches: winning one and narrowly missing out in the other two games by only a single run! We were delighted with the team effort exemplary spirit, and manners that our children displayed.





Parent Gym

A reminder for the group of attendees who came to the February 2018 Parent Gym. Your Booster session is on **Thursday 28th June at 9.15am**.

If there are any parents that would be interested in finding out more about Parent Gym you are very welcome to attend on the **28th June at 10.45am** when the Booster session finishes.

Information Received

School Uniform for September



If you would like to visit the local store the address is:

PMG Schoolwear

Unit 4 Swan Wharf Business Centre

Waterloo Road

Uxbridge

Middlesex

UB8 2RA

Tel: 01895 809326 Website: www.pmgschoolwear.co.uk



Summer Cricket Course - Ickenham Cricket Club

Peter Cook will be running a Summer Cricket Coaching Course for boys and girls aged 6yrs – 15yrs at Ickenham Cricket Club. The course will run daily between Monday 23rd July and Friday 24th August, from 10.00am to 3.00pm.

If you would like to book your child onto the course or require more information, please contact Peter Cook on:

Tel: 01494 873581, Mob: 07770 314428 or

Email: cookiebats@ntlworld.com.

Leaflets/booking forms are also available from the school office.

Summer Holiday Camp - Fit for Sport

Below are details of a Summer Holiday Camp being run at Brunel University between Monday $23^{\rm rd}$ July and Friday $31^{\rm st}$ August. Please contact Fit for Sport direct to book your child onto the Camp.





Fund Raising

Deepa is a parent at our school and she is hoping to raise money for stem cell treatment abroad to halt the progression of her Multiple Sclerosis. Without this treatment, a relapse would mean that Deepa will be permanently in a wheelchair. Unfortunately the government criteria is very strict and she does not fall under the category to have treatment in the UK.

Below is a leaflet containing more information and also a link to the go fund me page.



https://www.gofundme.com/stemcellsfordeepa&rcid=r01-152931419567-a6d1ba7fc 48d4a75&pc=ot_co_campmgmt_w



Polite Reminder to Parents

Late pick-ups

Please could we remind the small minority of parents who pick their children up late that this can cause the children to be upset and places an undue burden on staff. School pick up times are:

Reception & KS1 3.15pm KS2 3.20pm

If your child is not collected by 3.40pm they will be placed in our After School Club and the family charged (including a late booking fee). This is so that we can ensure your child is safe, properly supervised and safeguarded.

Appointments

If your child has an appointment during school hours, please send a copy of the appointment letter in to school in advance. If we have not been made aware in advance, there may be a delay in locating your child – they could be in PE or other lessons not held in the usual classroom.

Bicycles

Please could we remind everyone that children should not be riding bicycles on the school premises.



If you have any empty ink cartridges or old mobile phones we have a collection point in the office for them. All items collected will be recycled to provide funds for the Dogs Trust Charity.



Be prepared for warm weather!

We would like to remind you of a few school rules relating to the warmer weather.

- Please ensure you apply sunscreen to your child before they come to school to protect them throughout the day.
- Please supply your child with a sunhat and appropriate uniform for the weather.
- Children should bring a bottle of water to school to keep them hydrated during the day. (Children have access to water in class and at lunch as well as the water fountains around school)
- Sunglasses should not be worn unless they are prescription or for medical reasons.
- If your child suffers from hayfever please ensure they take their medication before school so to last them throughout the day.



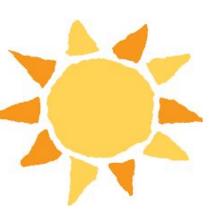
If you have unpaid fees for lunch - please ensure that your account is settled. Your child will not receive a school lunch until their sQuid account has credit!

Contact the School Operations Manager for further details.

Don't forget to apply for Free School Meals at https://www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims

Order your child's school meal here for next week!





Upcoming Dates For Your Diary

Monday 25th June Year 4 Trip to Hampton Court

Thursday 28th June Year 3 Trip to Natural History Museum - Tring

Friday 29th June Amber Class Assembly @ 2.45pm

Friday 29th June – Year 6 – PGL

Monday 2nd July

Monday 2nd July Dodgeball Day

Tuesday 3rd July Hillingdon Transition Day for Year 6

Tuesday 3rd – Year 5 – Camping

Thursday 5th July

Thursday 5th July Reception Trip to Whipsnade Zoo

Friday 6th July INSET Day - no children should attend

Thursday 12th July Year 2 Trip to Windsor Castle

Friday 13th July The Big Sit Out

Monday 16th July Year 6 Show

Wednesday 18th July Talent Show

Thursday 19th July Leavers Disco

Friday 20th July End of Term

KS1 finishes @ 1.30pm

KS2 finishes @ 1.35pm

No after school clubs in the last week of the summer term

