

13th October 2023



Mail on Friday

Redhill Primary Academy and Nursery Weekly Newsletter

Email us at: parentcontact@redhillprimary.co.uk

Birthdays

We are no longer able to allow children to bring in cakes from home for children's birthdays. This is because of the growing number of serious allergies amongst children and to reduce the financial burden on families.

We will of course still celebrate every child's birthday by singing 'Happy Birthday' and wishing them an enjoyable day.

Harvest Festival

We will be celebrating Harvest on Wednesday 25th October and have decided to donate to the Telford Crisis Group Food bank. We understand that these are difficult times, however we would be very grateful if you could donate some food items. Please ensure they are long lasting as the food bank will not be collecting before 25th October. Tinned or dried food, pasta, rice and toiletries would make the best donations. Due to lack of storage space, we appreciate if you can send donations no sooner than Monday 23rd October. We thank you your kindness.

Mayor Visit

On Tuesday, we had a very special visitor to Redhill! The Mayor of Telford and Wrekin, Cllr Arnold England, came to visit. He visited classes, shared work with children and took part in our special British Values assembly about democracy. He told us all about his journey to his position today and the many jobs he has had. Cllr England was inspiring in his message around not giving up and talking about overcoming hurdles in his life.

Friends of Redhill Primary Academy



Dear Parents and Carers

There is not long to go until Wolfie visits Redhill! We are lucky to have partnered with the Wolves Foundation to give the children the opportunity to meet the main man himself, and perhaps even score against him!

The day is planned for Friday 20th October and the event will take place during normal school hours. The children don't need to wear or bring anything special - they should just come to school how they would normally on a Friday.

All funds raised through the sponsored penalty shootout will be shared between Wolves Foundation and Redhill equally, so all sponsorship forms (including name, year and class) and money from those taking part, must be brought into school by **Monday 16th October**.

If you have misplaced your form, there are spares in the school office.

Following the penalty shootout, Wolves Foundation will deliver a bespoke presentation assembly at Redhill to celebrate all the efforts of the fundraisers, share the total amount raised and give out prizes for most sponsorship monies raised. All children who fundraise will receive a penalty shootout certificate and a Wolves goody bag.

Thank you for supporting The Friends and Redhill Primary Academy



A note from the Friends...



Hello everyone - our next event is the Wolves Penalty Shootout on 20th October - more info on the next page!

Our Halloween Disco tickets went on sale last Friday - they are already proving popular! Please don't forget all sales are online only via PTA Events! 🎃

[https://www.pta-events.co.uk/
friendsofredhillprimaryacademy/](https://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofredhillprimaryacademy/)



Our Pre-School/Reception event is planned for early November – please keep a lookout for more details coming soon!

With thanks, The Friends x

Dates for your diary



All timings and more information will be detailed in the Mail On Friday and on the Friends Facebook Page (search redhillfriends)

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OCT

WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS

Join Wolfie and the gang for a penalty shootout like no other! All sponsorship forms and money to be in school by Monday 16th Oct

25
OCT

HALLOWEEN DISCOS/EVENTS

Years 1, 2 and 3 - 5-6pm. Years 4, 5 and 6 - 6.15-7.15pm.

HALF TERM - BREAK UP 27TH OCT, BACK TO SCHOOL 6TH NOV

09
NOV

ANNUAL AGM

All welcome - meet at 6pm at School to elect new committee members and hear all about activities completed and funds raised

14
NOV

BAGS2SCHOOL

We will be collecting all old clothes, shoes etc between 8 and 9am!

14?
NOV

PRE-SCHOOL/RECEPTION PARTY

Date and time to be confirmed - likely to be 4.30-5.30pm.

17
NOV

MUFTI DAY

Children can bring a tombola item to school and wear their own clothes for the day!

20-24
NOV

CHRISTMAS CARDS/GIFTS

Cards and other gifts made with your child's artwork will be given out this week

25
NOV

WINTER WONDERLAND

Celebrate Winter & Christmas all rolled into one this year!

08
DEC

WREATH MAKING

A lovely evening of festive crafting to create your very own Christmas door wreath!

15
DEC

WONKA DAY

Join us in celebrating the release of the new Wonka film by purchasing Wonka Bars - will your child get the Golden Ticket?!

19
DEC

PTA CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

All welcome - meet at 6.30pm at The Lion (111 Shifnal Rd, Telford TF2 9NN) to celebrate a successful year!