16th October 2026

# Redhill Primary Academy Mail on Friday

Email us at: parentcontact@redhillprimary.co.uk

## Book of Kindness

In this week's Book of Kindness, we are celebrating:

- Lola B

Well done!

## Year 3 - Shropshire Hills Trip



## Mobile Phones

When on our school site or in our building, please remember that, due to safeguarding, parents and carers should refrain from using mobile phones. Staff may politely challenge anyone seen using a mobile phone to ensure the safety of all children. Thank you for your support.

## Year 6 Secondary Applications

Please can you make sure that all secondary school applications for Year 6 children are submitted to Telford and Wrekin by **31st October 2026**.

https://www.telford.gov.uk/admissions

## Healthy Snacks and Lunchboxes

A gentle reminder that playtime snacks should be fruit only.
At lunchtime, we recommend that packed lunches contain a variety of foods from different food groups, with no more than one sweet treat included. This helps to support healthy eating habits and sustained energy throughout the school day.

For ideas and guidance on healthy lunchboxes, please visit the NHS Healthier Famillies website:
https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/

## Lost Property Update

Thank you to everyone who has recently checked their child's belongings. Unfortunately, we still have a significant amount of lost property, with a large number of unnamed jumpers and cardigans accumulating.

From Monday next week, weather permitting, all lost property will be displayed at the front of the school each morning and afternoon to give families the opportunity to look for any missing items. All named items will be returned directly to their owners wherever possible.

Any unnamed items on display will be available for families to take if they recognise them as belonging to their child. We would therefore encourage parents and carers to check the lost property display if their child has misplaced any belongings.

Thank you for your support.

## Bike Parking Reminder

We have noticed that some bikes are not being parked correctly in the bike racks. Please can we remind children to park their bikes carefully and with consideration for others, ensuring they are placed neatly in the designated area and do not obstruct access. Thank you for helping to keep our school site safe and tidy for everyone.

## Half Term Appointment Reminder

With half term just around the corner, this can be the perfect opportunity to arrange any routine medical, dental or optician appointments for your child.
Where possible, we kindly ask that routine appointments are scheduled outside of the school day to minimise disruption to learning. Children should only be taken out of school during school hours for emergency or unavoidable appointments.

Thank you for your support in helping us maximise every child's learning time in school.

## Protecting Children's Images from AI Abuse

AI tools can now be used to manipulate ordinary photographs of children into all kinds of harmful imagery.
The Internet Watch Foundation and the National Crime Agency have produced practical guidance for parents and carers about reducing the risk of image misuse.
The advice includes thinking carefully about privacy settings, who can see photographs, how much identifying information is shared and involving children in decisions about posting their images as they get older.
The guidance also explains what parents can do if an image has been manipulated or misused.
Link:
IWF – Parent Guide: Stopping AI Child Image Abuse

## Winter Coats Reminder

As the weather begins to turn colder, please ensure your child comes to school each day with a warm, waterproof winter coat. We aim to spend time outdoors whenever possible, including during breaktimes and outdoor learning activities, so having suitable clothing helps children stay comfortable and enjoy their time outside.
Please remember to clearly label all coats with your child's name to help us reunite any misplaced items with their owners. Thank you for your support.

## What are online harm groups?

Online harm groups (sometimes called ‘Com groups’, short for community) are groups of people who use online platforms to manipulate, control, threaten or exploit others.

They often operate through messaging apps, gaming platforms, channels or servers.

Members may try to gain status from others within the group by sharing evidence of how they have manipulated or pressured another person online to harm themselves or someone else.

Their behaviour can be illegal and may involve pressuring people to:

- Harm themselves or others
- Share nude or sexual images or videos
- Carry out humiliating acts
- Hurt siblings or pets
- Record or livestream the above acts as proof for the group or others to share

Both group members and those targeted are often under 18 year olds.

Find our more, visit Guidance for parents and carers on online harm groups

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# MAIL ON FRIDAY FRIENDS

THE FRIENDS OF REDHILL PRIMARY ACADEMY (PTA)

## HALLOWEEN DISCO (Year 1-3)

OUT NOW!

TICKET

Wednesday 21st October
4:30pm - 5:30pm

## HALLOWEEN DISCO (Year 4-6)

GOOD VIBES
MUSIC
FRIENDS
HALLOWEEN

Wednesday 21st October
5:45pm - 6:45pm

## Friends of Redhill PTA Social

Parents
Carers
Friends
Staff
Community

A relaxed evening to meet, chat and support our school community

Drinks
Nibbles
Meet New People

Wednesday
11th November 2026
18:00 - 20:00

The Lion, Priorslee

Everyone Welcome!

Stronger Together for a Brighter Redhill

Same School Brighter Together

THE LION PRIORSLEE

## easyfundraising

**Raise FREE donations for Redhill Primary Academy every time you shop online.**

When you shop online through Easyfundraising, participating retailers donate to our school completely free – at no extra cost to you!

**WHY JOIN?**

- Free to sign up
- Thousands of participating retailers
- No extra cost to you
- Helps fund resources and opportunities for our children

SCAN TO SIGN UP

## PRELOVED UNIFORM SHOP

Quality uniform at affordable prices. Buying preloved helps families save money while supporting our school.

**AVAILABLE ITEMS:**

- Cardigans
- Jumpers
- Hoodies
- Polo Shirts
- PE T-Shirts
- Summer Dresses
- School Bags

Available to purchase at PTA events throughout the year.

SCAN TO SHOP