



# Mail on Friday

## Redhill Primary Academy and Nursery Weekly Newsletter

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### Comic Relief and World Book Day Celebrations

Redhill Primary Academy has been taken over by a whole host of superheroes and book characters in aid of Comic Relief and World Book Day.

Every year, we support important charities like Red Nose Day and educate the children about the role that charities have in supporting children across the UK and the wider world.

This year, your wonderful donations have totalled £370. If you would like to make a donation, you are still able to do so via ParentPay.

The children wowed us all with their efforts into dressing up this year. Here are some photos of the children looking fabulous and enjoying their day.



### Dubsmash

It has come to our attention that some children in school have been using the app Dubsmash. This app lets users create videos of themselves that are dubbed over with audio from songs, movies, TV shows and internet trends. They can share these videos, known as Dubs, with their friends, watch their videos and explore other trending videos.

Officially, this app is for children aged 13+. Whilst we would discourage the use of this particular app, if your children are using it, please action the top tips below to ensure that they stay safe online.

#### **TOP TIPS!**

In order to keep videos private, you need to change the privacy settings for each video. You can do this using the lock icon. This will prevent direct messages from potential online predators. If your child comes across negative or upsetting content, you may want to block another user. You can do this by going to their profile, tapping the three dots in the corner of the screen and selecting 'Block user.' If you want to report a 'Dub' that is inappropriate, tap the three dots in the corner of the post you want to report and select 'Report.'

You can view further information at <https://www.net-aware.org.uk/networks/dubsmash/>

### Aspirations and Careers Week at Redhill Primary Academy - 24th May 2021

In the summer term, we are looking forward to once again holding an exciting week where the children of Redhill become inspired by a range of activities which allow them to consider future aspirations and career options. With this in mind, we are looking for volunteers from local businesses and organisations who would be willing to take part in classroom discussions about their role and answer any questions the children may have.

If you would be willing to give up your time or know someone who may be able to make our week truly memorable, please email Mrs Cartwright at [parentcontact@redhillprimary.co.uk](mailto:parentcontact@redhillprimary.co.uk)  
Thank you for your support.

### Trials for KS2 Football Teams

This week, the KS2 children have been taking part in football team trials during their PE lessons. This is in preparation for some coaching which will take place and also fixtures and competitions after Easter.

### The Transition Event

We have been asked to share the information below, with parents/carers who have children with additional needs, who will be making a transition in their lives at the end of this academic year.



#### **The Transition Event Online**

**Running throughout May 2021 with live weekly webinars**

A virtual event for young people with additional needs and those who support them.

After a successful online event in 2020, we are thrilled to announce that we'll be back this year with an even bigger event. Running online throughout May, the event will bring together experts to talk about the different transition topics, aim to help answer your questions, and arm you with the most up-to-date information so you can best support your disabled young person and safeguard their future.

Register to receive more information about the event as it's announced.

This online event is for parents and carers of children with additional needs, young people themselves and schools. The event hub goes live 3rd May 2021. So come and visit us for a variety of transition presentations, resources and workshops - all for FREE!

Know someone else who may like to attend? Please share! The Transition Event is totally free and perfect for parents, carers and young people alike.

## MUFTI DAY FOR CHOCOLATE



**DON'T FORGET**  
**NEXT FRIDAY IS MUFTI DAY**  
**26<sup>TH</sup> MARCH**

Wear your own clothes for our 'Chocolate Amnesty Day'!!!!

Plus, remember it's our Chocolate Hamper Raffle very soon too!

Prizes include a family day out to Drayton Manor Theme Park, Cineworld tickets for four, a family leisure day at Revive Holiday Inn plus lots of yummy chocolate hamper prizes.....

Additional raffle ticket books available from school.....

Please return all tickets (sold and unsold) to the school office no later than Monday March 29<sup>th</sup>

The draw will take place on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> March at 9am

(Please note: Tickets purchased for last year's Easter raffle will remain valid – our 2020 raffle could not take place due to the first national Covid-19 lockdown)



**DON'T FORGET YOU CAN ALSO HELP US FUNDRAISE WHEN YOU SHOP ONLINE WITH EASYFUNDRAISING.....**

A big welcome and thank you to all our new supporters....

**76 supporters** to date and **£533.08** raised so far – THANK YOU

### **Easyfundraising**

It's **FREE** to join and you raise money every time you shop online with thousands of retailers

### **AND WE'VE GOT OUR OWN COMPETITION**

There's a fabulous family fun day out for 4 waiting for the family who raise the most from shopping online via easyfundraising!

You can raise funds for us via our easyfundraising page when you purchase anything from groceries to holidays, clothes to DIY, mobile phones to insurance or simply eating out as a family....

If you are shopping online from eBay, Amazon, Marks and Spencer, Disney, Apple, Boots, Argos – in fact over **4000 retailers** - the list is endless, you could be raising money for us at the same time!

It's so easy to do and doesn't cost you a penny to register!

Click onto our link and sign up now – its **FREE** to join!

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Launched in 2005 it has helped thousands of good causes raise money simply by shopping online

There's a community of 1.8 million loyal supporters who have so far raised over £31 million

## DOUBLE DONATION WEEK

[Double Donation Week | easyfundraising](#)

**Ends 21<sup>st</sup> March**

Raise twice as much for The Friends with dozens of retailers without spending anything extra.....



## HOME & GARDEN

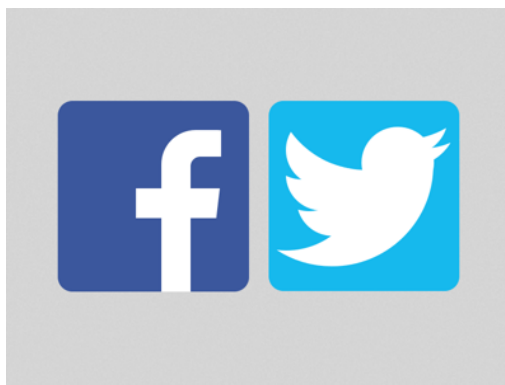
Why not raise donations on home & garden

Spring is on its way and now is the perfect time to touch up on DIY and spruce up your garden

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