

Mail on Friday

Redhill Primary Academy and Nursery Weekly Newsletter

Email us at: parentcontact@redhillprimary.co.uk

Year 2 and Year 3 Swimming

Swimming for Year 2 and Year 3 children will be commencing on Tuesday 20th April at Oakengates Leisure Centre.

When the children go swimming, please can you ensure that your child has a swimming kit and that no jewellery, including pierced earrings, is worn.

In the Book of Kindness This Week:

Mikalya Jones

Well done!

Parking at Drop off and Pick up Times

Some of the complaints that we have received this week include, stopping in the road to drop or pick up children; thus stopping the flow of traffic, pavement parking, parking over drop down crossing paths and the mini roundabout and parking behind people who are in car parking spaces so that they can't leave.

We appreciate that parking is limited but please do be considerate of other road users, neighbours and the safety of all of our children.

Parish Council Donation of Easter Eggs

The Parish Council have very kindly donated Easter Eggs for all of the children in school and nursery.

They will be distributed on Monday.

Please can you inform us if you would prefer your child not to receive an egg or if you would like to provide an alternative yourself. Thank you.

What to do if you come across CSA material online: Guidance

While the internet is a largely positive and useful space, you or your children may come across harmful content online, such as child sexual abuse material.

Thinkuknow have released an article for parents and carers that looks at what to do if you come across it, how to report it, and how to look after yourself.

You can view the article:

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/what-to-do-if-you-come-across-child-sexual-abuse-material/?utm_source=Thinkuknow&utm_campaign=5536719aae-

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Uniform Reminders

If your child is wearing a headband to school, please remember that it should be minimal and also in the Academy colours of green, grey or black.

Also, please remember that cut patterns, tram lines and designs in hair are not allowed. Thank you.

Crossbar Holiday Club

Crossbar will be running their holiday club over the Easter holidays. Please contact them directly if you would like to book a place. Thank you.

Healthy Lifestyles Week 7th June 2021

It is well known that an unhealthy lifestyle can dramatically reduce lifespan. Here at Redhill, we are committed to ensuring that children are aware of how particular lifestyle choices can lead to good overall health and well-being. In the summer term, we will be dedicating a whole week of learning around this and we are in need of your help!

We are looking for any inspirational individuals who are available to attend an assembly during this week filled of exciting activities which focuses on both physical and mental health. We would like to offer the children an opportunity to hear first-hand accounts of why a healthy lifestyle is so important to be successful in everyday life. If you could help, please let Mrs Cartwright know by emailing parentcontact@redhillprimary.co.uk

We look forward to hearing from you.

Many thanks for your continued support.

THIS WEEK FROM THE FRIENDS

Mountains of yummy chocolate....



A huge thank you to everyone who bought in chocolate today, we've been inundated once again this year and we can't thank you enough for your support....

And a big shout out to The Friends who stood in the pouring rain this morning to collect the mountain of chocolate from you all!!!

We've now got lots of yummy chocolate hampers to make up over this weekend!

Raffle Tickets

Please don't forget to return all your raffle tickets (sold and unsold) to school no later than Monday - March 29th

The draw will take place on Tuesday 30th 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)

Thank You to The Shaw Family



We're raising £150 to help towards furnishing the new pastoral care building at Redhill Academy.

We're absolutely delighted to announce that the Shaw family have set about raising £150 to help towards furnishing our new pastoral care building.

The girls are going to see out this lockdown with a challenge - 100 miles in March!

Giving them something to focus on, bringing a little bit of excitement back to their daily walk and helping others at the same time.

The money they raise will help furnish our building ready for children to use at Redhill.....

Thank you girls, we are so touched by your kindness III

If you'd like to donate to their challenge, please click on the link below.

 $\underline{\text{https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/shawscooterchallenge?}}$

Thank You

The Friends Committee

Many of you will know that The Friends Committee has remained the same for some time now and several of the team will be sending their children to senior school in September.

One role that will be available is that of

PR Officer

Our current PR Officer, Sarah Thompson, has been in the role since 2016, she takes care of media elations, press releases, copy writing, sponsorship PR, social media accounts, event photography and the Mail on Friday each week.

Sarah said, "It's been an exciting time and I hope that I've helped just a little to put Redhill Primary and our PTA on the map.

"We've hit the news on numerous occasions, including the printed press, local radio and TV news and our social media accounts have gone from approx. 50 followers to over 800. Our fundraising efforts have been featured as case studies for PTAs across the country and we've even received a personal message from Hollywood stars, but the time has come to hand over the PR reins to someone else now.

"I've used my 'day job skills' for the last 16 years on a voluntary basis to help raise the profile of charities and associations, lobby for funding and helped to raise over £160K in that time, and now as my twins prepare to leave Redhill, and with a very busy full-time job, it's time for someone else to work their PR magic."

Get in Touch

So, parents and carers, if there is anyone who would like to step into the role of PR Officer for The Friends, then please do get in touch for a chat?



Don't forget you can keep in touch with us via.....



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