

# Redlands Primary & Nursery School



## NEWSLETTER

April 2018

Dear Parents,

I can't believe where this year has gone—it only seems like yesterday that I welcomed you to the start of the school year and here I am writing to you about the final term!

Our Year 6 pupils are in full swing for their upcoming SATs and I have to say that I am so proud of every single one of them. They are working really hard and are even managing to do so with a smile.

### Governors

Last week we sent out nomination forms for parent governor elections at Redlands and I hope that we can persuade you to join our governing body and continue to make our school a happy and successful place. The role isn't too time consuming and we would really welcome your views in helping us to improve as a school. If you think you might be interested, please contact Mr Walker.

### Nursery

We currently have spaces in our Nursery for this term and for September. We have two types of place available :

- A. For 15 hours a week
- B. For 30 hours a week

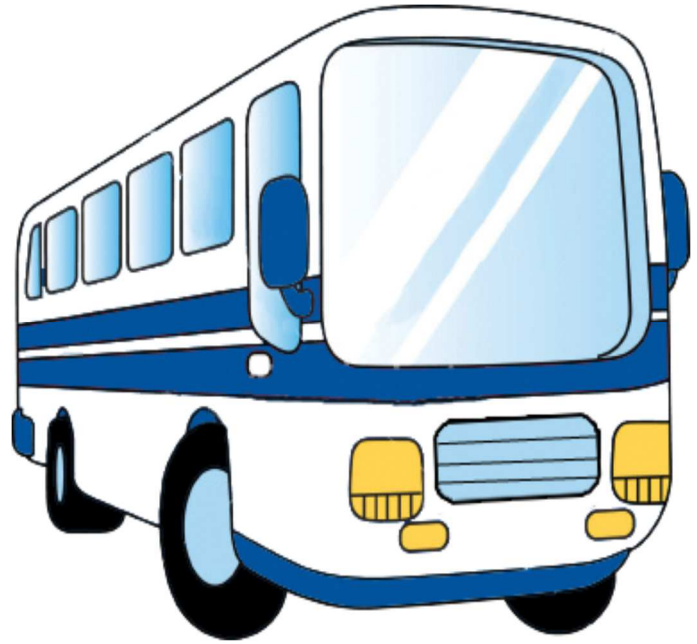
Please contact the office if you would like to enquire about a place and we will be happy to arrange a visit.

### Foundation 2

We also have a limited number of places for our Reception classes for September. If you know anyone who might be interested please contact the school office and Mr Walker will be happy to show parents around our amazing facilities.

## School Trips

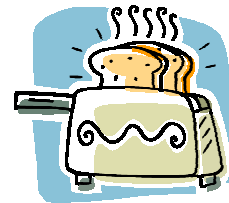
We politely ask that you try to pay promptly for your child's school trips. We aim to set these up on ParentPay as soon as possible which means you are able to pay in instalments, with the minimum amount being £5. These trips are important to the children as they support the area of the curriculum they are studying, but with the budgetary pressures put on schools we are unable at this time to fund pupils who are unable to contribute to the trip amount. We recognise the trips are becoming more expensive, but this is due to increased fuel costs. We still at present receive a contribution from Friends of Redlands and always try to negotiate the best price.



## Year 6 SATs reminder

SATs will be taking place from 14-17th May and breakfast will be provided for all Y6 pupils on each of these mornings. Please send your child to school for 8am if possible on these four days.

Choices will be toast or bacon butties!

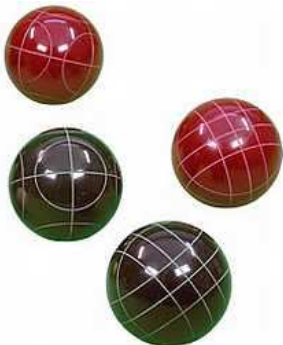


## Boccia

The Redlands Boccia Team have qualified to reach the final in the boccia tournament.

This will take place on Wednesday 20th June at The Elizabethan Academy in Retford.

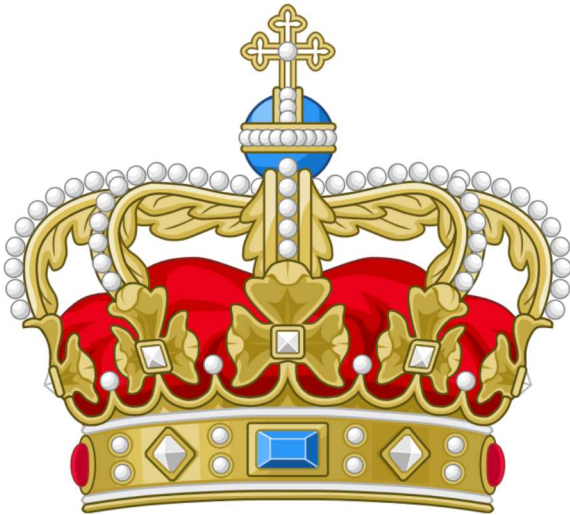
We wish our team the best of luck!



### Royal Wedding

On the afternoon of Thursday 17th May, we will be having a Royal Wedding Celebration.

We will plant a tree to commemorate the occasion and the children will have a picnic on the field. The school will provide drinks, but the children are invited to bring their own snacks.



### Sport Relief

We would like to say a big thank you for the money raised for Sport Relief and school funds, which totalled £1390.

If there is any outstanding sponsor money, could you please bring this in to the school office as soon as possible.

### Electronic newsletter

We are trialling using ParentPay as a means of communicating with parents. For this newsletter, you will receive both this paper copy and also an electronic copy via ParentPay, if you have an account. Going forward, parents with a ParentPay account will only receive an electronic copy. If you would prefer to continue to receive a paper copy or activate your ParentPay account, then could you please pop into the office and let us know.

### Relief Midday Supervisors required

We are looking for relief midday supervisors to work on an as and when basis covering staff absence. No experience is required as full training will be given.

You would be required to work from 11.45 to 12.55 on the days you are needed.

If you enjoy working with children and would like to work alongside a friendly and supportive team, please contact the school office for more information.



## Dates for your diary (as at 27/4/18)

30 Apr	Y6 Girls Netball Tournament, Tuxford
11 May	Y6 Young Theatre Company Dance
11 May	Nursery Fire Engine Visit
14-17 May	KS2 SATs - breakfast at 8am for pupils
14-15 May	KS1 SATs
21 May	Nursery Trip - Austerfield Study Centre
25 May	Break up for Spring Bank Holiday
4 June	Inset Day - school closed to pupils
5 June	School re-opens
5-8 June	Y6 Young Theatre Company
10-13 June	Y6 PGL
12-15 June	Mill Adventure on site (climbing wall)
20 June	Boccia Final at Elizabethan Academy
21 June	Class / Team Photos
22 June	Transition Day to Portland
29 June	Y6 Hathersage
3-4 July	Y6 Transition
10 July	Spanish Day
11 July	Y5 Transition to Valley
17-19 July	Y2 Rand Farm Park
24 July	Y6 Leavers Assembly (to be confirmed)
25 July	Break up for Summer

