

Roe Green Infant School Mindfulness Newsletter

November 2018

Welcome Back

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Roe Green Infant School had a very successful Science Week based on Autumn. Thank you to all parents who took part in our class walks to the local park. We wouldn't be able to do these trips without you and we really appreciate the time that you give.

Humanities Week also went very well, with children learning about Significant Historical Individuals. On the Friday of that week, the children were given the opportunity to take part in a dress-up competition based on their year group's theme. It was fantastic to see so many children participate, with such a wide variety of creative costumes.

Costume winners:

Vinay – Blue Jays

Aedon – Yellow Canaries

Andrei – Red Robins

Alex S – Green Parrots

Reldi – Rabbits

Gabriel – Owls

Kian – Eagles

David H – Stags

Lia – Squirrels

Layan – Badgers

Hollie – Hedgehogs

Charlie – Foxes



Welcome to all the new children who have started at Roe Green Infant School. All children have settled into their classes and are beginning to make new friends. Our value of the month is 'being respectful'. In our classrooms, we have spoken about what respect means and the importance of always using your manners and being caring towards others.

At this time of year, as we build up to Christmas, there are lots of events happening in school so please keep up to date by checking the notices on class windows, as well as checking your child's book bags for letters and notices.

Dates To Remember –

- 13th Of December – Nursery Christmas Concert
- 14th of December – Reception Christmas Concert
- 14th December – Wear a Christmas Jumper to School – Save The Children Charity
- 14th December – Meet the new PTA - Front playground – 2.30pm – 4pm
- 17th of December – Parent drop-in workshops for Reception
- 21st of December – Last day of school

Attendance and Punctuality

Our class attendance winners for this month are:

Week of the 22nd October – **Stags 99.3%**
Week of the 5th November – **Hedgehogs 99.3%**
Week of the 12th November – **Hedgehogs 95.33%**
Week of the 19th November – **Hedgehogs 99%**

Congratulations to Hedgehog class who have been awarded Paddington Bear for 3 consecutive weeks! They are certainly the class to beat next term.



Paddington Bear spends the week with the class that has the best attendance.

Diwali Assembly

Congratulations to Year 1 for a wonderful Diwali Assembly. A huge thank you to all the teachers and staff who worked hard to make this happen. All of the children performed their parts with enthusiasm and confidence and I'm sure the performance was enjoyed by all who came to watch.



Football Top Winners

Congratulations to all the children who won tickets to the England versus USA football match.

A very high standard of football shirt designs were given in from each class which made it very hard to find the overall winners.

Football ticket winners:

Adam – Nursery
Zahra – Nursery
Ionatan – Nursery
Priyan – Blue Jays
Hussain – Green Parrots
Aedon – Yellow Canaries
Raul – Red Robins
Ghandi – Stags
Andrea – Rabbits
Harsh – Eagles
Leila - Owls
Ioana – Badgers
Vedanshi – Hedgehogs
Ryan – Squirrels
Johan – Foxes

Badger Class Assembly

Well done to Badger Class on their assembly about "George's Marvellous Medicine". A fantastic display of acting with a splash of humour added in, which was enjoyed by all who came to see it.

This was followed by Hedgehog Class assembly based on Florence Nightingale. The children recited a huge amount of information, as well as learning all the words to a poignant and thoughtful poem about Florence Nightingale.

Fox Class had their assembly based on World War 1- The Christmas Truce. The class did a wonderful job of acting out what life was like on the battlefields with great enthusiasm and confidence.

Reminders

For school information such as term dates, curriculum overviews, policies and much more, please visit our website:

<http://www.rgreeninf.brent.sch.uk/>

Please do not park or stop on the yellow 'Keep Clear' markings in front of the school. The parked cars and volume of traffic make crossing the road quite dangerous and space is really needed to ensure that a safe place to cross can be identified.

It has been lovely to see so many children using their bicycles or scooters to come to school. For everyone's safety, however, please ensure that children dismount before coming through the gate and push their bicycles or scooters whilst on the school grounds.

Breakfast Club



8.15am to 8.45am - Children taken to class

£3.50 per session per day

MENU

Brown and white toast

Variety of spreads

Variety of flavoured yoghurts

Crumpets/pancakes

Variety of cereals

Juice

Thank You

Thank you very much for your 'Wear It Pink' donations. We raised £485 in total which will be a huge help in supporting the Breast Cancer Awareness Research.

Old Christmas Cards

Please send in your old Christmas cards to school so we can recycle them to gain points for the Green Tree Schools Award Scheme, run by the Woodland Trust.

Afterschool Club



3.15pm to 3.45pm

£3.50 per session per day

Biscuits, fruit and a drink

Children do a different activity each day:

Painting

Drawing

Colouring

Lego

Board games

Read stories

PTA

We would like to inform you that Roe Green Infant School and Roe Green Junior School have formed a PTA (Parent Teacher

	<p>Association). Throughout the year, they will organise social events to raise funds for both schools. Mr Dipak Shah is the chair person for this committee.</p> <p>On the 14th of December, in the front playground, there will be a 'meet and greet' stall set up where you can find out about up and coming events. You can also talk to members of the PTA about how you can get involved and ask them any questions that you might have.</p>
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