



Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter

10th May 2024

# Headteacher's Notes

Dear parents and carers,

I hope everyone enjoyed a lovely Bank Holiday weekend – lots of the staff and children have been very muddled by the 4-day week which started on Tuesday... but I can confirm it is truly Friday!

On Wednesday morning, our intrepid Year 4s embarked on their PGL adventure to Winmarleigh Hall. Mr Rogers has posted some super photographs on our Facebook page; our children have been fencing, problem solving, playing team games and enjoyed singing around the campfire – no wonder they were all snoring in their beds by 10.30pm on the first night. Mr Rogers has reported excellent conduct and positive attitudes – what wonderful representatives of our school. Thank you to Mr Rogers, Mr Cox and Ms McKenna for supporting our Year 4 children and keeping them safe and happy on their residential.

As you may be aware, the Robins Lane Parents, Teachers and Friends Association (PTFA) exists to bring children, staff, parents and friends of Robins Lane together socially in fundraising to support the school and to enhance the education of our children. To make our events even better we need your help and we would like to invite you to come along to our next PTFA meeting on Tuesday 14th May at 2:30pm to join us to help organise events for the summer term involving Sports Day, the Sutton Shield and the Summer Fayre. All parents and members of the school community are encouraged to get involved even if you only have a small amount of time to give.

Miss Kanters has confirmed that our Smarties fundraiser made £123.56 boosting our Easter fundraising total to an impressive £969.31. A huge 'Thank You' to our incredibly warm-hearted, generous school community who support us in our activities – it is very much appreciated. We have some exciting PTFA news – we have ordered a new gazebo for our playground. We are hoping to see this new shelter installed in June, in time for our Summer Fayre – I can't wait!

Each half term, we have a visit from a phonics specialist consultant who works with Miss Graham to check our provision, train our staff, and set aspirational targets for our children who are setting out on the journey to become fluent, confident readers. As we looked at data, we could see that unauthorised absence and persistent lateness are really impacting on the progress of some of our young readers as they miss or don't get access to full sessions. Obviously, lateness and unauthorised absence impacts on all our learners – we want to support families in getting children into school, on time, every day. Please let us know if you need any help with this as every single minute in school counts.

Next week is SATs week for our wonderful Year 6. Miss Welding, Miss Boyd and Miss Price have worked so hard to help the children to feel prepared for the week and on behalf of our school community I would like to wish them every success – we think you are all amazing!

Have a relaxing weekend. Take time to chat with your children and celebrate successes of the week gone by.

Yours sincerely, Mrs Tomkow















#### Attendance

#### This week's class attendance is:

Reception - 97.5%

Year 1 - 95.42%

Year 2 – 92.08%

Year 3 - 97.92%

Year 4 – 99.51%

Year 5 - 95.69%

Year 6 - 98.33%

## Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

## This week's certificates were for:

'Show respect in how they treat others'

#### The winners are:

Nursery - Zena'ya Y

Reception – Evan H

Year 1 – Angel Y

Year 2 - Amara D

Year 3 – Joshua G

Year 4 - Maisie W

Year 5 – Ada L

Year 6 - Reece H

#### Well done for making our school a better place!



# Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

#### This week's stars are:

Reception	Kayden N
Year 1	Steven W
Year 2	Edna B
Year 3	Dakshin K
Year 4	Henry J
Year 5	Cairon A
Year 6	Gabriel W



# Class Dojos

#### This week's winners are:

Nursery	Ivy F
Reception	Alfie-George J
Year 1	Dean H
Year 2	Diana B
Year 3	Kalli C
Year 4	Special A
Year 5	Alice-Mai D
Year 6	Alissia B



# Spelling Shed Award

#### This week's stars are:

Year 1	Alinani G
Year 2	George J
Year 3	Finley M
Year 4	Lily-Mae G
Year 5	David B
Year 6	Lily M



### **WINGS** Award

#### This week's winners are:

Nursery	Evelyn P
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Reception	Madeline D
Year 1	Niki E
Year 2	Lilly T
Year 3	Lucca H
Year 4	Kai O
Year 5	Amber R
Year 6	Jack A



# Happy Lunchtime Award

#### This week's winners are:

Charlie T	Yaman T
Alessia Maya C	Felicity M
Maisie W	Finn D
Special A	Mia W

# Friday Fun Nights

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May- Face Painting

Friday  $24^{th}$  May- Movie Night (full session required)

# Suggestion Box

If there's anything you'd like us to know, or you have any ideas on how we can improve, please let us know in the box below.