

ROSSETT ACRE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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LEARNING TRUST

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Forthcoming dates for your diary	
Weds 18 June	Miss Harrison's Class Assembly 9.10am – Approx 20 minutes
Thurs 19 June	Miss Barker's Class Assembly 9.10am – Approx 20 minutes
Thurs 19 June	Year 3 & 4 Sports Day – 1:30-3:30pm
Fri 20 June	*NEW* Mrs Reddish/Mrs Jones class visiting Rossett Nature Reserve
Sat 21 June	PTA Summer Fair 1pm
Mon 23 June	New Starters Taster Session
Weds 25 June	EYFS & KS1 Sports Day 1.15-3.30pm
Weds 25 June to Fri 27 June	Year 4 Nell Bank Residential
Fri 27 June	*NEW* Walk to School Day
Fri 27 June	*NEW* Y1 Visit to Harlow Carr
Fri 27 June	*NEW* Miss Whiteley's class visiting Rossett Nature Reserve
Mon 30 June	Y5 & Y6 Sports Day at Rossett School 9.45-11.45am
Weds 2 July	*NEW* EYFS Taster Session 10-11am & 1.30-2.30pm
Weds 2 July	*NEW* Year 6 production – Details to follow
Thurs 3 July	*NEW* Year 6 production – Details to follow
Fri 4 July	*NEW* Training Day – Children not in school
Weds 9 July	*NEW* Whole school transitions *NEW* Meet the new class teachers for September - 3.45pm-4.15pm - Letter to follow
Fri 11 July	*NEW* Feast on the Field – Details to follow *NEW* Rossett's Got Talent – Details to follow
Mon 14 July	*NEW* Reports out – via Arbor – Letter to follow
Weds 16 July	*NEW* Chance to discuss report with teachers if there are any concerns - 3.45-6pm – Letter to follow
Fri 18 July	*NEW* Year 6 Leavers Assembly for Year 6 parents – 9.15am















We have had another busy but wonderful week in school and the weather has certainly helped!

On Tuesday, we had a visitor from Allerton Waste Recovery Centre to talk to the children about where all the waste from North Yorkshire goes and how it is disposed of.

Thank you to Colby in Year 1 who drew a wonderful picture showing the importance of recycling our waste correctly.



Year 3 took part in a workshop where they learnt about the importance of reusing and recycling. The children loved making plant pots out of recycled newspaper to grow cress in.



On Wednesday we were visited by Afsha from Equilibria, an Islamic Education Group, who gave a really informative assembly about the Islamic faith. Children really enjoyed the assembly where they learnt new things about Islam and joined in a fun quiz and song! Afsha and Hasham then went on to run workshops with Year 2 and Year 5 – see below.

Year 5 had a very informative and engaging lesson about the 5 pillars of Islam. They already knew a surprising amount of knowledge and they were keen to learn more. They were fascinated by the artefacts brought in and they asked lots of thoughtful questions.





Year 2 listened to some Islamic stories about Muhammad, including the 'Baby Birds' and 'Seven New Kittens'. The children thought about the message within these stories and explained how they could show kindness to animals and humans alike. To end the session, they made their own bird feeders to take home and put where they wished.

YEAR 3 ENTERPRISE



In Year 3 JJ/CR, Emily P supported by a group of friends came up with an enterprising idea to make money to buy books for their class library. The girls made and sold bookmarks to the class over several weeks giving a total profit of £28.10.

They then bought a range of popular books (new and second hand) for the class library. Well done girls for all your hard work and organisation. The class can't wait to read them!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the children who received a certificate in last week's Celebration Assembly: Emily L (AC), Sofia D (SK/CN), Colby E (RB), Louie O'C (HH), Anya B (ZM), Grace M (KM/BS), Alex O (JJ/CR), Isobel W (EW), Ewan T, Freddie W (AI/LS), Lettie M (PA/EH), Stanley M (JW), Pearla B (RI), Charlotte P, Bethany C (CD), George H (TM).

ROSSETT ACRE SHOW

Last Friday we held our Rossett Acre show which had a theme linked to World Environment Day. It is safe to say, we were blown away by all the amazing entries we received. The decorated cupcakes and cakes were inspiring. We had cupcakes disguised as sheep, bunnies and turtles – so clever. We also had Victoria sponge cakes disguised as owls, woodlands and meadows – wow! The art and sculptures were fantastic alongside the different photographs which were beautiful. We also had a few needlepoint, flower arranging and handwriting entries which were also stunning. All in all, the judges found it very difficult to decide who was going to win.

A huge congratulations to the winners of Best in Show, Jenny Marks for her floral display and Edward R (Y4 PA/EH) for his photography.

Here are some of the fantastic entries.







We would like to thank our four judges Jen Horseman and Jen Davies from RHS, Jonathan Timmis from Red Kite Learning Trust and Helen Timm from Fun Club for giving up their time.

We would also like to thank Mrs Macnair and Miss Baxter who worked tirelessly behind the scenes. Without them, the show could not happen.

ONLINE SAFETY

You all play a vital role in helping your children understand how to stay safe online. But online safety can also be a daunting. The NSPCC website has lots of information to help you feel informed, confident and happy about helping your children stay safe online. On their website you will find <u>advice for parents and carers about online safety</u> including information about social media, online gaming, parental controls, sharing nudes, livestreaming, harmful content and online reporting.

ROSSETT'S GOT TALENT

It's time to celebrate the huge amount of talent and skills we have at Rossett Acre School. This year's Rossett's Got Talent will take place in July. Children can perform either live in school or send in a prerecorded video. The acts can be a celebration of any skill or ability, such as dance, singing, musical instrument, sport, artwork, magic, comedy.... Be creative! All participants receive 10 house points. Application forms will be sent out soon with all the details and dates. We look forward to seeing the showcase of talent we have here at school.



Attendance 6 June 2025 to 12 June 2025: 96.3%

Number of pupils late at least once this week: 7

Remember: The gates open at 8.40pm and school starts promptly at 8.50am.

Today's attendance is 96.4%.

ECO - TIP

Plan ahead - One of the best ways to reduce the amount of food you throw out is to simply plan your meals before you shop.

PARENT SURVEY

We are committed to making our school the best it can be for every child and family. Your feedback plays a vital role in helping us understand what we are doing well and where we can improve. This short survey is an opportunity for you to share your thoughts on your child's experience and your interactions with school. Your responses will remain confidential and will be used to inform our future planning and priorities. If possible, please complete one per child. Thank you for your time and continued support.

https://forms.office.com/e/WzG02jHmsB



KS1 CHESS CLUB



Hello, we are a small group of year five pupils who like playing Chess and have been asked to run a KS1 Chess Club where we can teach a small group of younger children how to play. We have started running our club at lunchtime and have found we need extra boards/sets so more children can have the option to join us. If you have an old unused/unwanted set at home and are happy to donate it to our club, we would be very grateful. Hopefully the year one and two children that we are currently teaching might be the future year fives that keep passing down their knowledge of how to play to younger students.

Thank you for your kind donations.
From Rossett Acre Year Five Chess Club Mentors
Emily, Shine, Harriet, Amita, Liam and Martha

SUMMER RAFFLE



Our Summer Raffle is now live!!

Up for grabs are some amazing prizes including £50 Rudding Park voucher, 3 months family pass at David Lloyd, swim vouchers, ice-cream take away box and a glider flight experience! And much more!

Thank you for the incredible support from the community. We are thrilled to have so many fabulous prizes!

Scan the QR code or click here

SUMMER FAIR - SATURDAY 21st JUNE, From 1PM The Line Up

The Summer Fair is just a week away and the PTA is thrilled to announce the full line up which includes a Petting Zoo, Pikachu and Stitch, Discos, Inflatable, Fair games, Fire truck, Police car, Forest School, Balloon animals, angling, Ice cream van, BBQ, Bar, Tombola, Bric-a-brac and a Year 6 vs Teachers tug of war!

Thank You

All this is being made possible thanks to some incredible sponsors and wonderful parents of our school. Huge thanks goes out to Starling Independent Bar Cafe, Spa Financial Planning, Kempston-Parkes Chartered Surveyors, Local Renewable Services Ltd and Myrings Estate Agent.

The Finishing Touches

- Volunteer Your Time

We've said it before and we will say it again, the Summer Fair can't go ahead without you! Please sign up

RECEPTION

YEAR 1

YEAR 2

YEAR 3

YEAR 4

YEAR 5

YEAR 6

We also need helpers to set up – anytime from 9.30 on the day. Please mail rossettacrepta@gmail.com or message 07402113222 if you are able to help. Thank you.

- Mystery bags are due back in school on Monday 16th please encourage your children to decorate the bags and fill them with treats! The children absolutely love these so the more we can have returned to school the better.
- **Donations** We still need donations: Tombola prizes, raffle prizes, wine, wine bags and gazebos.

Thank you so much for your support.



COMMUNITY Mini Movies

In last week's newsletter it was mentioned that the new series of Mini Movies is being aired on ITVX. Two of our children Charlotte and Benjamin F entered and are now featuring in the series! They feature in two episodes, so if you get chance, please watch them.

Little Crickets Pre-School







Pharmacy First Service

Most pharmacies in England are now providing the Pharmacy First service.

This free NHS service allows you or your child to get quick access to healthcare advice for the following seven conditions:

- Earache (aged 1 to 17 years)
- Impetigo (aged 1 year and over)
- Infected insect bites (aged 1 year and over)
- Shingles (aged 18 years and over
- Sinusitis (aged 12 years and over)
- Sore throats (aged 5 years and over)
- Urinary tract infections (UTIs) in women (aged 16 to 64 years)

If you or your child has symptoms that suggest you may have one of these conditions, you can walk into a pharmacy and be offered a consultation with a pharmacist in a private consultation room.

The pharmacist will provide advice and, if clinically necessary, a prescription medicine to treat the condition (the normal NHS prescription charge rules apply to people aged 16 and over).

Think Pharmacy First! Find out more by watching the Pharmacy First animation or visiting nhs.uk/thinkpharmacyfirst

Allerton Waste Recovery Park

Allerton Waste Recovery Park is holding a <u>Free Summer Open Day</u> - Rubbish and Recycling event on Tuesday 5th August 10am – 3pm.

Join us for a fun and educational day focused on waste and recycling.

Everyone over the **age of 7 years old** can join a tour of the site to see the technology behind Energy from waste.

Learn how to reduce your environmental footprint and explore innovative recycling techniques. This in-person event is a great opportunity to ask questions to experts in the field and participate in hands-on activities.

The North Yorkshire Rotters will be hosting fun and interactive activities including the famous smoothie bike.

Love Food Hate Waste - stand offering tasty samples and great tips on how to waste less food.

Bookings can be made online:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/free-summer-open-day-waste-and-recycling-tickets-1347722206399?utm experiment=test share listing&aff=ebdsshios&sg=0646043c70df15f772aaa5bd869ab9e812e06145ba3ed48f69307711c11164291c0e2d8dd2503fac7f0be53fae9b5dfac02ac16b26008f147d50b38c39af183b81bb859583fae6ecfde2655746

or contact Laura.Cooke@Thalia.co.uk or calling 07708 298043.

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I hope you have a super weekend.

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