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Our school:

'Excellence and happiness for all'



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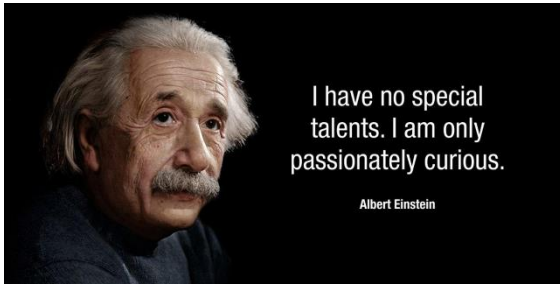
NEWSLETTER FOR ROSSETT ACRE – 9 October 2025

Forthcoming dates for your diary

Fri 10 Oct	Year 5 Murton Park visit
Sat 11 Oct	St Aidan's Year 6 Open Day – visit their website to book a place.
Sun 12 Oct	Junior Park Run 9am
Weds 15 Oct	*NEW* Rossett School Open Day 9am. The booking form can be accessed here .
Thurs 16 Oct	Open Day 1 – New Starters for September 2026 – https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/open-days-thursday-16th-october-and-tuesday-18th-november-2025-tickets-1667847991239?aff=oddtcreator
Thurs 23 Oct	Children finish for October Half Term. Casual Day £1 donation.
Fri 24 Oct	Training Day for Staff (children not in).
Mon 3 Nov	School re-opens
Weds 5 Nov	*NEW* Mrs Wood Class Assembly 9.10am
Fri 7 Nov	Set up for jumble sale – afternoon
Sat 8 Nov	Jumble Sale 10am-12pm
Weds 12 Nov	*NEW* Miss Illingworth's Class Assembly 9.10am
Tues 18 Nov	*NEW* Open Day 2 - New Starters for September 2026 – https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/open-days-thursday-16th-october-and-tuesday-18th-november-2025-tickets-1667847991239?aff=oddtcreator
Weds 19 Nov	Mrs Ingle/Mrs Sims Class Assembly 9.15am
Thurs 20 Nov	Parents' Evening In-Person 4-7pm – 10 minute appointments. Details to follow
Sat 22 Nov	PTA Xmas Event – Details to follow
Mon 24 Nov	*NEW* Mrs Jones/Mrs Reddish's Parents' Evening – Online 4-7pm – Details to follow
Tues 25 Nov	*NEW* Parents' Evening Online 4-7pm – 10 minute appointments. Details to follow
Thurs 27 Nov	*NEW* Flu vaccination catch up



QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

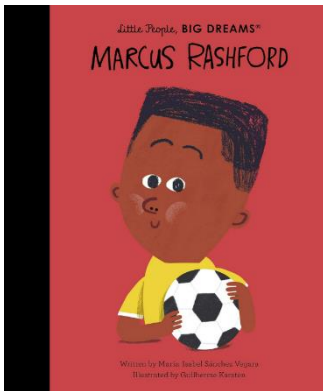


In Monday's assembly we looked at one of our 3Cs, Curiosity. We imagined what it would be like if no-one asked any questions, the importance of asking questions, being curious and finding things out. We thought about how being curious helps us. It helps our brain, it makes us more empathetic, it builds our confidence, and it makes us happy. We also listened to a lovely story, The Curious Why. Click [here](#) if you want to hear it too.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the children who received a certificate in last week's Celebration Assembly: Reuben B (AL), Jonah T (SK/CN), Ivy K (RB), Lorena M-B (HH), Elsie B (AB), Grace P (EM), Finley W (SK/BS), Max L (JJ/CR), Lexie F, Amelie C (AI/LS), Mollie B (PA/EH), Heather D-G (JW), Tess B (RI), Laurence R (CD), James B (TM).

DIVERSITY ASSEMBLY



On Wednesday, Mr Marshall read the Little People, Big Dreams book about Marcus Rashford. In this lovely book we discover the incredible life of Marcus Rashford, the world-famous footballer and campaigner against child hunger. Click [here](#) if you would like to hear his story.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

On Thursday 2nd October, our school community came together at St Mark's Church to celebrate a wonderful Harvest Festival. It was a joyful occasion filled with music, poetry, and heartfelt reflections on the theme of gratitude and giving. The children sang beautifully and each class wrote a reflection which were proudly displayed on our Gratitude Tree - a lovely reminder of all the things we have to be thankful for.

A huge thank you to everyone who donated and supported this year's Harvest Festival food collection. Your contributions will make a real difference to others and truly capture the spirit of the season. Furthermore, thank you to Rev Liz Resch who welcomed us all into her church, and to all the parent volunteers who helped walk the children down to church safely.



MYRINGS

Last Friday we had the pleasure of welcoming Neil, Ella and Izzie from Myrings Estate Agents to Rossett Acre to judge the Myrings Mascot competition. They were very impressed with the entries which included both 2D and 3D pieces of art. They were also impressed with the entries coming from all school ages, with the youngest entrant being just 4 years old! They then presented the winners in assembly. The winners were, Molly (1st place - winner of a family Flamingo Land voucher), Lara (2nd place - winner of a £20 Amazon voucher) and Nathan (3rd place - winner of a £10 Amazon voucher). Well done to everyone who took part and thank you to Myrings for providing the competition.

YEAR 4 EDEN CAMP

Year 4 had a fantastic time at Eden Camp on Monday. The children are learning about WWII in their theme this term. The children visited the huts to find out all about various elements of the war including - how the war started, what propaganda was, all about the Home Front, the role of women in the war and the blitz, amongst other things. The children were fantastically behaved and enjoyed the day. Many thanks to Mrs Last, Mrs Peral, Miss Wilkinson, Mr Colley, Mrs Rant and Sophie (Fun Club) for helping support on the trip.



AFTERNOON TEA & OPEN CLASSROOMS

We had such a big turn out for both events and it was so lovely to see so many parents, grandparents, Aunties and Uncles joining us in school. Thank you so much for your support.

The Afternoon Tea was very relaxed and filled with lots of people and very yummy treats. A huge thank you to Andrea, our wonderful school cook, who always produces a wonderful spread.



PLEA: DO WE HAVE ANY KEEN CRAFTERS WHO COULD OFFER HELP?



We are looking for some small crochet squares to use as whiteboard cleaners. They need to be roughly 3 inch squares and any colour/yarn is fine so they are a great project to use up any leftovers. If you are able to make one or a whole batch, we would be very grateful. Please send any completed squares to the school office. Many thanks.

PUPIL PREMIUM INFORMATION

Before the summer break we sent out a letter from the Trust regarding parents' entitlement to Free School Meals. As a Trust, we want to ensure that every child in our care receives the very best possible education and support. One important way we can do this is through additional funding that schools receive through Free School Meals (FSM) and Pupil Premium (PP). A successful application not only ensures your child receives a free, healthy meal each day but also unlocks vital funding that helps improve education for all pupils.

If you haven't already done so, you can apply for Free School Meals via the link below:

FSM link <https://apply.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/pp-rklt>

SPORTS HALL

Looking for a venue for your exercise class, Pilates session or club activity?

Our school sports hall is available to rent on weekdays, Monday to Thursday between 6pm and 8pm. It's a clean, spacious, and well-equipped facility — ideal for regular group sessions or one-off bookings. To enquire or make a booking, please contact the school office, 01423 561579.

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Attendance 3 October 2025 to 9 October 2025:
97.9%

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



Today's attendance is 98.3%. Well done everyone, this is fantastic.

ECO – TIP

Only run the dishwasher when it is full

JUMBLE SALE

The PTA Jumble Sale is on Saturday 8th November, from 10am-12 noon. We need volunteers to make this event a big success. Helpers are needed on Friday 7th November, anytime between 2.30pm and 5pm to help set up. Even if you can just spare an hour it would be helpful. We also need volunteers to help man the stalls on the Saturday morning, either at 9.45am or at 10.45am, for one hour. Please email Mrs Vlack if you are able to help: vlackg@rap.rklt.co.uk. We also need people who might be able to come after the sale at 12noon with their car to take leftovers to local charity shops. Thank you.

PTA NEWS

Parkrun Takeover - Sunday 12th October

Our Junior Park Run is this Sunday!!!

Please find attached some important information about the finish and where to collect your medal.

Please also keep your donations coming. Remember, every penny raised will go towards funds for improving our school. <https://www.justgiving.com/page/rossett-acre-pta-3>



THE FINISH FUNNEL

junior parkrun

PLEASE READ: INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FINISH FUNNEL

- If you are running with the child when you get to the end of the run peel off to the left of the finish line and let your child cross the line by themselves
- Once over the line please try and stay in the order you finished until you child has a token.
- Your child will be given a token with a number on it, this is where your child has placed in the run.
- Take the token to the volunteers and they will scan it along with your parkrun barcode and you will be emailed your time later.
- If you do not have a barcode remember your token number get it scanned and you can see where you came in the results later.
- Very important do not leave with the token!!! Put it in the buckets by the barcode scanners before leaving the finish area.

VOLUNTEERING

Volunteering on the day. If you want to volunteer for Park Run your help will be most appreciated. If you would like to be a marshal and cheer the children along please register with Park Run if you are not already and email Rossettacrepta@gmail.com with your name and barcode number and we will inform Park Run that you have volunteered. If you have volunteered please arrive 20 mins before the run where you will get you high vis jacket and instructions.

TO DONATE ONLINE PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE OR FOLLOW THE LINK:
<https://shorturl.at/1r1Cf>

Story Evening - Thursday 13th November

Call out for Readers

Thank you to those that have already volunteered. We still need a few more readers please!


Email rossettacrepta@gmail.com if you're interested.

Date for your diary


Christmas Experience Saturday 22nd November 1-4pm. More information will be shared in the near future.

COMMUNITY

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Santa's Grotto 2025



Take a wintry walk through the Arboretum towards the cosy cabin nestled deep in the woods where the elves will be waiting to welcome you into an enchanting winter wonderland.

Inside, you'll explore a host of seasonal landscapes and creatures, discover miniature worlds, and peep inside the elves' charming little bedroom before finding Santa in his cosy sitting room, ready for a chat and an extra special photo.

If you've been good, there's a little gift waiting for you!

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Have a lovely weekend and I hope the weather stays fine if you are taking part in the Park Run on Sunday.

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