

# **ROSSETT ACRE PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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# **NEWSLETTER FOR ROSSETT ACRE – 8 June 2023**

Forthcoming dates for your diary	
Tues 13 June	Annual Show – Entries can be dropped off from 8.00-8.45am at the Sports Hal
Thurs 22 June	*NEW* Year 5 Class assembly 9.10am. Parents welcome.
Sat 24 June	PTA Summer Fair 1-4pm
Mon 26 June	*NEW* Year 5 & 6 Sports Day at Rossett School 9.30am – Parent's welcome - information to follow.
Tues 27 June	Year 2 Sports Day 9.15am
Weds 28 June	Year 1 Sports Day – Time TBC
Thurs 29 June	EYFS Sports Day – Time TBC
Weds 5 July	Year 4 Nell Bank Residential
Weds 5 July	Year 6 production
Thurs 6 July	Year 6 production
Fri 7 July	*NEW* Training Day – children not in school
Mon 10 July	Year 3 & 4 Sports Day – AM
Fri 14 July	Feast on the Field/Rossett's Got Talent – details to follow
Fri 21 July	Close for Summer at 2.30pm
Tues 5 Sept	School opens at the usual time.

Welcome back everyone. I hope you had a fabulous half term holiday.

We are now embarking on our summer two term, which is always a busy one. I am looking forward to all the wonderful opportunities on offer for our children. Additionally, Y6 and our new starters will be taking part in transitioning activities, we have a residential for Y4, several shows and productions throughout the school (including our Rossett Acre Annual Show), our Feast on the Field event, Rossett's Got Talent, our Sports Days and our PTA Summer Fair. It really is going to be a super half term.















We welcomed two special guests to our Celebration Assembly before the holiday, Ms Jowett (former headteacher at Rossett Acre) and Mr Brown both from the Rossett Nature Reserve group (RNR). They came to announce the winners of the RNR poster competition – designing a poster that highlighted the problems faced in the nature reserve and how people can help: Don't feed the ducks, don't allow dogs to go in the pond and pick up dog waste. There were a number of winners and runner ups who received a certificate and a prize:.

KS1 Runner-up Amber R Y2 JW KS1 Winner Ben E Y1 EM Lower KS2 Runner-up Cora E Y4 AI/LS Lower KS2 Winner Alice B Y4 AI/LS Upper KS2 Runner-up May B Y6 TM Upper KS2 Winners Sofia C and Milly E Y6 TM

The posters will be printed and put up on display in Rossett Nature Reserve. Well done to everyone who entered the competition in order to help our community.

#### **DOGS**

Please do not tie dogs to the railings outside of school (Richmond Road gate) and leave them unsupervised. Unfortunately, before the holiday a child was bitten by a dog that was tied up here. The beginning and end of the school day are very busy times where lots of children and adults are going in and out of the gates, this can be very overwhelming for dogs and although we ask children not to approach dogs, inevitably children will. Please help us to keep everyone safe. Thank you.

# **QUOTE OF THE WEEK**

'Imperfection is beauty, madness is genius and it's better to be absolutely ridiculous than absolutely boring.' (Marilyn Monroe, actress, model and singer)

Attendance (Monday 5 June – Thursday 8 June – 96.26%

#### PICTURE BOOK ASSEMBLY



On Wednesday, Miss Kirkwood read 'The Girl Who Planted Trees' written by Caryl Hart in assembly. This linked to World Environment Day and is about one small girl who inspires her whole village to plant a forest.

The Music played this week was: Na Kaato Mujhe Dukhta Hai – Save Trees

If you'd like to hear the story yourself, you can do so by following this link: <u>The Girl who planted Trees | Read with me! READ ALOUD - YouTube</u>

# **CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to the children who received a governors certificate for exemplary behaviour in our celebration assembly before half term: David S (AC), Zane A (SK/CN), Mollie B (EM), Lexie P (ER), Kasjan P (JW), Toby M (CR/JJ) Liam G (PA/EH), Henry W (KM), Louisa S (Al/LS), George H (AW), Matilda D (MW/CH), Catrin D (EM), May B (TM) Harry M (CD).

#### **TOP TABLE**

Congratulations to the children who were on Top Table last Friday: Grace M (EYFS), Arthur B (Y1), Louie W (Y2), Nancy J (Y4), Josh A (Y5), Abigail W (Y6).

# Eco Committee's Weekly Top Tip: Avoid using unsustainable palm oil products

# YEAR 3 VISIT TO HARLOW CARR

On the Friday before half term, year 3 visited Harlow Carr. They enjoyed getting their steps in walking to and from school. Once they arrived, they explored the gardens and learnt all about how plants spread their seeds. It was a great way to end their Science topic on plants. The children all behaved brilliantly, and they all had a great day.



#### **YEAR 6 FOOTBALL**

# Rossett Acre Primary VS Western Primary Match report by Pixie Dallas

Rossett Acre Team Line Up - Jonny, George, Harry, Annie, Izzy, Pixie, Robert, Alex, Sam, Zoe, Bethan and Chloe.

On Tuesday 6th June, Year 6 played a football tournament against Western Primary School. Six people from each year 6 class played two matches. Mr Marshall's class played the first match against Western's B team, they won with an impressive score of 7-0. Then, Miss Dodgson's class played Western's A team, they unfortunately were defeated 4-3; however, they pulled it back with a win against the B team of 3-0. Mr Marshall's class played their final game with a score of 4-3 to Western. Overall, Rossett Acre won the competition on a goal difference of 5. It was an enjoyable afternoon for both schools. Each team were allowed to choose a player of the match from the opposing team. We would like to say a huge thank you to Western for having brilliant sportsmanship and making the competition fun and friendly. We hope to see you again soon.



# **ONLINE SAFETY**

Please find attached online safety information regarding Anime.

# **PVA DISCO**

It was fabulous seeing the children enjoying themselves at the PVA (Pupil Voice Ambassadors) disco before half term. A huge thank you to Mrs Nimick and the PVA for organising it and doing such a wonderful job on the night – the popcorn kept popping throughout the night and was very popular. A huge thank you to my other colleagues who stayed to supervise the children, play the music and help clean up; without them giving up their time, events such as this wouldn't be able to go ahead. The disco raised a whopping £800 for PVA who are currently raising funds for a shelter for the playground. Well done.

#### **PTA NEWS**

The PTA will be a running a tombola stall at the Summer Fair. This is always a really popular stall. We would be grateful of any prizes for the stall. Please drop them into the school office or hand them to your class teacher. Thank you.

You should have received a message via DoJo/Tapestry asking for volunteers for the Summer Fair. If you are able to help (for just 30 minutes) please follow the link that was in the message. If there are not enough helpers, the Summer Fair may not go ahead. Thank you.

# **KNARESBORUGH BED RACE**

Don't forget that it's the Great Knaresborough Bed Race on Saturday. Look out for Mrs Nimick on Bed 78 and Mrs Reddish on Bed 70. Remember to shout loudly! You may also see Miss Christie who is supporting the Ghostbusters on Bed 54!

Also look out for Bed 57 which is decorated as a police car. One of our parents is running with it, with his daughter Ella M on the bed!

#### **ARTS PHOTOGRAPHY**

As a thank you for us using Arts Photography for our school photographs, they have planted 50 trees in Kenya.



## **COMMUNITY NEWS**



I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Corrine Penhale Headteacher