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**Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter**

**15<sup>th</sup> December 2023**

# Headteacher's Notes

Dear parents and carers,

This is the last newsletter of our term as next week you will receive your child's class news update. Can I therefore take this opportunity to thank parents and carers for all your hard work and support in helping us to keep your children safe, happy and thriving in school. Communication is vital and I am always eager to hear your views and be a listening ear so if you need me, please shout up!

Our Facebook page celebrates daily life in school – it is also a platform for us to showcase and celebrate the achievements of your children outside of school. Sporting achievement, community work and charity activities have featured so far – Please let me know about your children's talents and let's celebrate and promote our WINGS values being lived in the community as well as in school.

Our PTFA have been incredibly busy this week with a host of festive events- the week started with Breakfast with Santa – a very early start for all. The children arrived in the school hall to a warm welcome, Christmas crafts, Christmas music, food and drink and of course, the main event, a visit from Santa himself! It was a joy to see the children's reactions and was a lovely way to start the day. Today is our Santa Dash and our Winter Fayre. The staff and children are looking forward to welcoming you into school to watch The Dash and then attend our Fayre. This year the sun is shining, and the sky is (almost) blue – unlike last year's big freeze. We have a great selection of stalls to visit and thank you once again for your generosity and support which raise much needed funds for school. At the time of writing, the Fayre had not taken place so I will update you on Monday with figures from this, Breakfast with Santa and the Santa Dash. Thank you to our PTFA who work closely with Miss Kanter to organise, attend and manage these events alongside our dedicated staff.

This week Miss Middlehurst attended The Sutton Academy to watch our 'dramatic' Year 5 children perform their play in the academy's Drama centre. The children were brilliant – they were well-prepared, confident and delivered their lines convincingly. The Academy kindly provided refreshments to the parents and carers who were invited to attend. Thank you to Mr Lownsbrough for preparing the children so well and to the Sutton Academy for their expert input and for allowing us to use this amazing venue.

We only have four days left in school and then we break for the Christmas holidays. As with this week, we have lots of fun events happening at school and hope you can join us as we celebrate the season. Please check our Facebook page or ask at the office for details of events, dates and times.

We know that Christmas is supposed to be the season of joy and goodwill but unfortunately life doesn't always work out that way – please contact school if you feel anxious or worried about this. We really are here to help and can signpost you to support.

It's been an incredibly busy week at a very busy time of year – take time to switch off and relax and enjoy time together as a family.

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs Tomkow





## Attendance

### This week's class attendance is:

Reception – 88.67%  
 Year 1 – 93.67%  
 Year 2 – 91.67%  
 Year 3 – 94.14%  
 Year 4 – 95.58%  
 Year 5 – 91.43%  
 Year 6 – 81.67%

## Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

### This week's certificates were for:

**'Know how to give and receive compliments'**

### The winners are:

Nursery – Ivy F  
 Reception – Harper U  
 Year 1 – Jack O  
 Year 2 – Harvey J  
 Year 3 – Phoebe B-M  
 Year 4 – Jake M  
 Year 5 – Millicent R M  
 Year 6 – Prithvi B

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



## Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

### This week's stars are:

Reception	Ezra P
Year 1	Alinani G
Year 2	Edna B
Year 3	Joel B
Year 4	Henry J
Year 5	David A & Finn D
Year 6	Finn D



## Class Dojos

### This week's winners are:

Nursery	Nicky A
Reception	Olivia B
Year 1	Charlie T
Year 2	Primrose W
Year 3	Theo H
Year 4	Violet R
Year 5	Amber R
Year 6	Reuben W-J



## Spelling Shed Award

### Last week's stars are:

Year 1	James R M
Year 2	George J
Year 3	Finley M
Year 4	Isla F
Year 5	Seren B
Year 6	Rupert W



## WINGS Award

### This week's winners are:

Nursery	Joshua L
Reception	Alfie-George J
Year 1	James O
Year 2	Chanudi A
Year 3	Theo H
Year 4	Kai O
Year 5	Harry M
Year 6	Bridget A



## Happy Lunchtime Award

### This week's winners are:

Jack O	Felicity M
Isla F	Lily T
George J	Freya W

## Friday Fun Nights

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January- 2024 Calendar Making  
 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January- Willy Wonka Night  
 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January- Balloon Modelling  
 Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February- Princess and Pirate Night  
 Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February- Valentine's Crafts

## 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.**