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Robins Lane Primary School Newsletter

28th February 2025

Headteacher's Notes

Dear parents and carers,

I hope everyone had a lovely half term and the children feel back in routines at school. The weather remains stubbornly cold and this morning was icy with fog – we all have our fingers crossed for brighter, warmer days soon!

This week, we had the pleasure of hosting our first 'Parents to School' session in Reception. Parents were invited to learn about phonics and reading in our school, followed by a special time spent with their children in the classroom. It was heartwarming to see the children's excitement as they shared their learning with their families and enjoyed creating and discovering together. A big thank you to all our families who attended and made this event so memorable and a big thank to Miss Graham and the team for making this happen. We look forward to the rest of our events taking place in our other classes over the half term

The KS2 football club took place on Monday and was once again a huge success, with an amazing 30 pupils in attendance. Football club is always a popular choice, and we are incredibly grateful to Mrs Boyd for assisting Mr Lownsbrough in making this possible. During the session, pupils participated in exciting 5-a-side games, showcasing some excellent skill and ability. Year 5 and Year 6 pupils will be using these sessions as part of their practice for the upcoming Sutton Shield, where we're sure their hard work and dedication will pay off. Our Number Ninjas club for KS1 and KS2 is designed to provide children with an engaging and interactive environment in our computer suite to enhance their mathematical skills outside of the classroom. This week, children have been boosting their times tables knowledge and basic number skills on our online platforms; TTRS and Numbots.

On Thursday afternoon, Year 5 and some Year 6 pupils attended their first swimming lesson of the half-term at Queens Park. The session began with an assessment of each pupil's swimming ability, allowing the instructors to place them into two groups. One group focused on refining and developing their stroke techniques, working on improving their swimming skills and form. Meanwhile, the other group concentrated on building water confidence and learning the basics of the strokes, ensuring a strong foundation for future lessons. It was a fantastic start to the term, with all pupils showing enthusiasm and progress in the water.

A final plea before I sign off – the car park. As I have said on many, many occasions we are very lucky to have a car park as many St Helens schools have no on-site parking for parents. With this facility comes a huge responsibility around safety. If you do need to use the car park, could you please do so with children's safety as your priority. Be patient and respectful with other users. Unless you have a badge, please do not use the disabled spaces – we have families who need these spaces to enable them to get their children into school safely. Could I also remind parents that the area directly ahead of the main car park – separated by the signs- is strictly for staff only. I do not want to have to restrict access and 'police' this as I feel that we can make this work together. Please let me know of any specific concerns or worries and thank you as always for your continued support.

Have a wonderful weekend – It's 1st of March tomorrow so let's hope the sun shines to welcome the new month.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Tomkow





This week's 100% Attendance Hero is:

George M-W

Attendance

This week's class attendance is:

Reception – 94.6%

Year 1 – 99%

Year 2 – 95.4%

Year 3 – 99%

Year 4 – 95.7%

Year 5 – 96.7%

Year 6 – 97.3%

Jigsaw Award Scroll Winners

This week's certificates were for:

'Have made a healthy choice'

The winners are:

Nursery – Melanie C

Reception – Verity J

Year 1 – Madeline D

Year 2 – Maya A

Year 3 – Benjamin B

Year 4 – Harry A

Year 5 – Abigail W-J

Year 6 – David B

Well done for making our school a better place!



Timetable Rockstars/Numbots

This week's stars are:

Reception	Joshua O
Year 1	George M-W
Year 2	Kaitlyn B
Year 3	Chanudi A
Year 4	Joel B
Year 5	Oliver K
Year 6	David A



Class Dojos

This week's winners are:

Nursery	River G
Reception	Kal W
Year 1	Miami Y
Year 2	Dean H
Year 3	Regan C
Year 4	Zachary M
Year 5	Georgia J
Year 6	Ada L



WINGS Award

This week's winners are:

Nursery	Lucinda L
Reception	Sophia M
Year 1	Olivia J
Year 2	Logan S
Year 3	Amara D
Year 4	Macie P
Year 5	Maisie W
Year 6	Lexi A



Spelling Shed Award

This week's stars are:

Year 1	Lucia J
Year 2	Kaitlyn B
Year 3	Oliver G
Year 4	Alex B
Year 5	Lily-Mae G
Year 6	Bethany W



Happy Lunchtime Award

This week's winners are:

Dean H	Mohamed A
Matilda B	Stacey C
Bethany W	Riley T

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.