Rufforth Primary School

Pathfinder Multi Academy Trust

School Newsletter

Excellence in a Family Atmosphere 23.06.23

A message from Miss Richards...

Next week is our annual Sports Week! Thank you to Mrs Kite, Mrs Benson and Mrs Holliday for all of their hard work to plan such a fantastic week.

A couple of reminders following the letter earlier this week:

* Children are to come to school in PE kit each day. We appreciate that it may take time to wash and dry for the following day but please try to stick to a plain white t-shirt and dark shorts—no football kits please.

* Many activities will be outside so please ensure your child has a hat, water bottle and sun cream (once-a-day applied before school if possible).

* If you would like your child to have lunch with you on Sports Day, please email the school office by midday on Wednesday. Registers will be generated on Wednesday afternoon.

* Family lunch on Sports Day will be on the grass outside of the hall. Unfortunately, families eating on site will not have access to the school building or playground between 12-1pm for safeguarding reasons.

Sports Week is always a favourite time of year for the children (and staff!) and I'm sure this year will be no different!

Wishing you a wonderful weekend in the sunshine!

Miss Richards

This week's whole school attendance is 98.29%

Rufforth's Rock Stars!

Every Friday, we celebrate children's progress in learning their multiplication and division facts.

This week's Rock Stars:

Class 2: Harry for improving his amount of correct answers and trippling his score of correct answers! Super star, well done! .

Class 3: Ronnie for making excellent progress with both speed and accuracy especially with the 12x table.

Class 4: Lewis for excellent recall of all multiplication and division facts.

Class Star Awards

Class 1: *GROW* **Erin** for showing great perseverance with her handwriting this week.

Class 2: *INSPIRE* **Elodie** for having such an excellent attitude to learning.

Class 3: *INSPIRE* **Lily** for her excellent attitude to learning and increasing confidence in all aspects of school.

Class 4: *INSPIRE* **Joseph** for an excellent attitude to learning.

Head Teacher's Award

INSPIRE **Jasmin (Year 4)** for 110% effort in this week's assessments—working very hard to apply her learning in different contexts with great resilience and determination.

Dates for your diary

Changes/additions will be highlighted in yellow each week

w/c 26th June—Sports Week

Thursday 29th June—Sports Day

Tuesday 11th July, 1 - 3.30pm School of Rock

Tuesday 11th July, 6pm-8.30pm School of Rock

Wednesday 12th July, 6pm-8.30pm School of Rock

Wednesday 19th July—Whole school beach trip

Thursday 20th July, 3:30-5pm—PTA Leavers' disco

Friday 21st July - last day, break up for summer.

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Your Local Governing Committee Needs You!

In September, we will be recruiting new parent governors. We are looking for enthusiastic and committed volunteers to become governors at our wonderful school, providing strategic support and challenge to ensure the best possible educational outcomes for our children.

Are you someone who would like to:
* make a difference to the lives and experiences of children and young people?
* have a positive impact in the community both now and for future generations?
* share and develop your skills and experience in leadership and management?

There are no specific requirements or qualifications needed to become a school governor. All LGCs need a balance and diversity of knowledge, skills and experience to work effectively for the benefit of their school.

To be eligible to volunteer, you need:

* to be aged 18 or over

* not be disqualified under the relevant rules and procedures

* the time and commitment the role requires (you can expect to spend 10 to 20 days a year on governance duties, with some meetings and visits taking place during the working day as well as evenings)

The National Governance Association website contains lots of useful information on becoming a school governor and the role of effective school governance. Further information will be shared at the beginning of the new academic year, but if you are interested, please speak to Liz Raspa (Chair) or Miss Richards.

Class Sharing Assemblies

Class 4: Friday 9th June

Class 3: Friday 16th June

Class 2: Friday 23rd June

Class 1: Friday 30th June

Assemblies will begin at 2:50pm.

All families are welcome at every Celebration Assembly

Summer Fair

This year's summer fair will take place on **Sunday 16th July** from 1pm-4pm. This is a fantastic community event and an opportunity to raise lots of money for our school!

Last week you were sent the link below to sign up for any help you are able to offer. Many hands make light work so if you are able to help for even just short time only, please indicate this on the web page. Without enough volunteers, the fair will be unable to go ahead.

Thank you in advance for any support you can give.

https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/661817914068/false#/invitation

Keeping our children safe

If you have any concerns regarding the safety or welfare of a child at school please contact Miss Richards, Mrs Pollock or Mr Woolford-Mullen, our Safeguarding Leads.

Food Bank Collection

In autumn term, the donations from our harvest festival are taken to York Food Bank. This half term, we would like to collect for the Wetherby and District Foodbank. This is local to us in Rufforth and a collection will not only raise awareness of the service, but will also be an opportunity to support the excellent (and necessary) work that the food bank does.

Please see below for a list of donations currently needed. For the next few weeks, Miss Richards will take a box out to the gate on a morning but please feel free to send donations to the school office via your children.

Next week you will receive further information about how to access the foodbank—not only for food parcels but advice on debt and money worries.

Contact us

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Wetherby & District foodbank

WE NEED DONATIONS!

Over the last 12 months we have seen the demand for the food bank surge and donations drop.

We are currently in need of:

Long-life milk
Long-life fruit juices
Savoury Spreads
Peanut butter
Marmite
Tinned sweetcorn
Tinned carrots
Tinned peas
Mashed and tinned potatoes
Puddings
Crackers
Cooking oil - small bottles please
Instant coffee
Household cleaning products

OUR SCHOOLS ARE RECRUITING

Support Staff Vacancies

For details and to apply, visit our website or scan the QR code

Job	Mobile School Cleaner
School	Pathfinder Multi Academy Trust
Details	10.97 per hour Permanent, Part time Hours of work 15:15 - 18:30
Closes	N/A

Job	Cleaning Assistant
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	£10.50 per hour 30 hours per week - Full Year Mon - Fri - 6.45 to 8.45 and 15.30 to 19.30
Closes	N/A

Job	Estates & Facilities Apprentice
School	Pathfinder Multi Academy Trust
Details	Apprentice National Minimum Wage Level 3 Apprenticeship Training Course - Facilities Management Supervisor
Closes	N/A

Job	EYFS—Teacher
School	Huntington Primary Academy
Details	M1-M6 (Suitable for ECTs) Part time – Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings
Closes	30 June at 9am

Job	Cook (External Vacancy)
School	Rufforth Primary School
Details	Hutchison Catering Term time only, £10.88 per hour 10.5 hours per week – Wednesday & Friday 08:30 to 13:45 Please contact – Susie Arnold 07500 958950 or email susie@hutchisoncatering.co.uk
Closes	N/A

Job	School Cleaner
School	Heworth CE Primary School
Details	£10.50 per hour Part time: 15 hours per week, Monday to Friday 3pm - 6pm Term time plus 2 weeks during the summer holidays
Closes	N/A

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School	Badger Hill Primary School
Details	£10.50 per hour This is a permanent position. Hours of Work : 3pm-5.30pm Monday to Friday – Term Time Only, plus 4 weeks
Closes	

Job	KS1 Teacher
School	Huntington Primary Academy
Details	M1—M3 (Suitable for ECT's) Full time
Closes	30 June at 9am

Job	Midday Supervisory Assistant
School	Badger Hill Primary School
Details	Grade 2 , Level 1- £20,253 per annum reduced pro rata. Actual rate of pay is £10.50 per hour
Closes	6 July at midnight

Job	Teaching Assistant Lvl 2 (1:1 SEN)
School	Badger Hill Primary School
Details	Grade 4, Level 1 – 4 £21,120 to £22,288 per annum, reduced pro rata. Fixed term until 31 August 2024 in the first instance. Part Time: 16.25 hours per week, Term Time
Closes	6 July at midnight

Job	Breakfast Club Assistant
School	Badger Hill Primary School
Details	Grade 3: £20,509 per annum reduced pro-rata – Actual hourly rate is £10.66 5 hours per week, Permanent, Term Time Only – Monday to Friday— 07:45 am to 08:45 am
Closes	6 July at midnight

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