

Newsletter 6th January 2023



Message from Mrs Bradbury...

Happy New Year! I hope that you had a fantastic Christmas with your family and hope that 2023 is a year of happiness, success and love. The children have made a fantastic start back to school and have shown us that they are ready for a return to the school routine!

Before we broke up, we had our whole school pantomime trip and Tinsel Tots trip for REY. Both of these were absolutely fantastic! Thank you so much to everyone who raised money or sponsored someone on the sponsored walk. The children loved the Christmas treat. Once again, the Redscope community have done us proud!

On Wednesday 4th January, our term started with incredible inspiration: we were lucky enough to have a special visit from Peter J Murray for our KS2 children. Pete is an ex-Redscope pupil and is now a famous author. He shared one of his books 'The Ten O'Clock Caller' which is full of short stories designed to thrill and chill readers. The children thoroughly enjoyed his visit



and will hopefully be inspired to write their own stories. The buzz around school was incredible and the stories really engaged the children. Lots of children chose to bring in Christmas money to buy one of his books the next day.

Congratulations to all of our Autumn term Champions. Each year group had to choose a champion for Resilience, Science and Community. I know that the staff found it really difficult to decide who would be the winners as there were so many wonderful children to choose.

Year Group Awards for Resilience, Science or Community		
REY/ Clever Kittens	Oliver Y, Tyger W, Ryder, Esme	
FS2	Elijah, Francesca, Arayah	
Y1	Faran, Mustafa, Thomas	
Y2	Eddison B, David and Jacob R, Isaac	
Y3	Kace, Lucas, Ellie	
Y4	Fareeha, Jacob, Jessica	
Y5	Teddy, Lukas, Harry	
Y6	Max, Lucas, Layla	
Adults	Miss Adams, Mrs Naylor, Mrs Morley	

Over the next two weeks, the children and staff will vote on our new champion themes for the Spring term.

Bookshop

Our wonderful Y6 pupils opened their bookshop just before Christmas. It opens on a Tuesday in the KS1 playground (weather dependent) and in the hall on a Tuesday for KS2 at playtime. Books are priced at 50p (and some for 10p) for pre-loved books and new books are £1.50, £2.50 or £3.50. If you have any good quality preloved books that you would like to donate, please hand these to the bookshop children on a Tuesday morning or hand in at the school office.

NEW Redscope Enquiries Email Address

Now that we have merged with NCLT, we have a new enquiries email address. <u>RSP-enquiries@nclt.ac.uk</u>

Please use this if you have any enquiries that need to go to the school office.

Learning This Term

Please see our website for our curriculum letters for this half term. These detail the things that your child will be learning and show home learning tasks.

Bacon Butty Morning

On Friday 13th January 2023, we will be holding a bacon butty morning. **Butties will be** available in the dining hall from <u>8:15 – 9:00.</u>

It is a chance for children and parents to get together and other local services will be available to talk to in the hall.

Available

- Bacon butty
- Sausage butty (as requested from feedback last time)
- Egg butty
- Quorn sausage butty
- Hot drinks and juice



Parents and carers need to enter school via the main entrance and bring the children to the hall to queue for the butties. Tables will be available to sit and eat at.

£1.50 for a butty and a drink. Please bring the correct change.

NB: Children who are booked to attend Breakfast Club on this day will be able to buy their butty earlier at a reduced cost of £1 and can be left without an adult as usual.

Our Y6 pupils will have their bookshop open for browsing and buying. We have pre-loved books at 10p- 50p each and new books for £1.50-£3.50

After School Clubs

We have a wide range of clubs available this half term as well as our Rainbow Club for childcare. Please enquire with the school office if you would like your child to attend one of these clubs as some of them are already full for this half term. Please note that, Y6 children will all be invited to a 8 week block of maths tuition starting W/C 16th as a confidence boost ahead of the Y6 SATs in May.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Nova City Y1/2	Art Club - Y3/Y4	DJ Workshops	KS2 Choir	Winterhill
9th Jan - 6th Feb	10th Jan - 7th	KS2 4th Jan	-July	Football Y4/Y5
3:15 - 4:15	Feb 3:15 -	- 8th Feb	3:15 - 4:00	6th Jan - 10th
	4:15	3:10 - 4:10		Feb 3:30 –
				4:30
3D Printing Club	Lego Club - Y3/Y4	Little Voices	RUFC Multi	
(organised by LR	10th Jan - 7th	Y1/Y2/Y3	Sports KS1	
& HK)	Feb 3:15 -	11th Jan - July	(Class 3,4,5,6)	
	4:15	3:10 - 4:00	12th Jan - 9th	
			Feb 3:15	
			- 4:15	
Redscope	Winterhill			
Football Y5/Y6	Football Y2/Y3			
3:20 - 4:30	10th Jan - 7th			
end of academic	Feb 3:30 -			
year	4:30			
	Gardening Club			
	Y5 10th Jan			
	- 7th Feb			
	3:15 - 4:30			
	Redscope			
	Football Y5/Y6			
	3:20 - 4:30			

Spanish Day

On Friday 3rd February, we will be holding a Spanish Day for all of our pupils.



Spanish is our chosen additional language taught in school. On this day in particular, we will celebrate Spanish culture and language as well as completing our usual lessons. Our cook will be adapting the menu so that there are Spanish options available as well as the normal fish Friday option. Pupils are welcome to wear yellow and/ or red on this day if they wish. There is no charge for the event.

Open Event

Following the success of our last 'open event' we welcome all parents into school on Monday 30th January 3:00 – 3:30. This will be a chance to <u>collect your child from the</u> <u>classroom</u> rather than the playground and to see their learning. Once again, we have given a spectrum of times so that if you have more than one child, you can visit more than one class.

Key Dates (new or changed items are in a colour)

Date	Event		
13 th January	Bacon Butty Morning		
30 th January - Monday	Open Event – collect your child (or children) from their		
	classroom to see their learning 3:00 – 3:30		
3 rd February **	Spanish day – Children invited to wear red or yellow. No charge		
	for this event.		
10 th February	Break up for half term – Creative day (messy clothes needed)		
20 th February	Return to school		
1 st March	Parents' Evening (remote option available on another date)		
3 rd March	World Book Day Celebration – Wear pyjamas		
6 th March	INSET Day – Children not in school		
10 th – 17 th March	Science Week		
31 st March	Break up for Easter – Non-Uniform Day		
	Easter Break		
17 th March	Back to school after Easter		
28 th April	Bacon Butty Morning		
1 st May	May day – School closed		
8 th May	King's Coronation bank holiday		
9 th – 12th May	Y6 SATS week		
26 th May	Break up for Spring bank holiday		
5 th June	INSET day		
6 th June	e Return to school		
16 th June	Bacon Butty Morning		
23 rd June	Sports day		
30 th June	Y6 Leaving Assembly – parents/carers of Y6 pupils invited to		
	watch		
3- 7 th July	Y6 residential (over 3 different days in two classes)		
10 th July	10 th July Y6 children begin Winterhill/ Wingfield		