# The Rednal Rag

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REDNAL HILL INFANT SCHOOL Number 20 – 8th February 2019

### Thank you to everyone who supported the CarFest this week.

It was a fantastic way to launch Year One's project to design and make their own vehicles. The whole school enjoyed looking at and learning about the many



different vehicles that descended on the playground on Monday morning. We were very fortunate to have several cars from the MG Owners Club, an original Mini and a 4X4 with a snow plough as well as a sports car and even a fire engine complete with firefighters.

The children's models will be exhibited, in school, on

Thursday 28th February from 3pm until 3.45pm in the
school hall. Year One children are looking forward to
guiding parents around their "Model Rednal" as a finale
to their work on our local area.

#### Fresentation Fower

Children have been working extremely hard to improve the presentation of their work as well as the content. The display in the Hall showcases the first

seven children from a wowed us with how and shows the 'before work. The display improvement, such as smaller and a regular neatly on the line. their own smaller



range of classes who have much they have improved and after' results of hard recognises real making handwriting size, as well as writing Each classroom also has version of the

Presentation Power display. The children are very proud to be chosen and to receive a special certificate, book and pen from Mrs Drinkwater to say well done for the monster effort! Look out for new additions to the display.

There have been lots of stories in the news this week about the importance of ensuring children have alternatives to ipads and laptops to play on and the benefits of sitting down as a family to share a meal and chat around the table. Look out for the **Reading Challenge leaflet** being sent home today—reading is a great way for families to reconnect and spend quality time together. The leaflet was designed and written by Mrs Summerfield's Reading Club children.

## We would be grateful for any donations of newspapers in school. The children will be making pots to plant seeds in. Each child will make a pot and grow their own micro greens in class for our salad bar at lunchtime. Please pass to your class teacher or the school office.



#### Doors open 8.45am, School Day Ends 3.20pm

#### **Diary Dates**

Palm Class Assembly—Tuesday 12th February 9.00am

Break up for half term—Friday 15th February

Back to school- Monday 25th February 8.45am

Reception Farm Trip—Wednesday 27th February

Year 1 Car Fest exhibition—Thursday 28th February 3pm

Hazel Class Assembly—Tuesday 5th March 9.00am

#### ATTENDANCE LEAGUE TABLE

| Class    | This<br>week's<br>Attendance | Total<br>lates<br>this<br>week | This<br>week's<br>points | Total<br>Points | Well done<br>Chestnut<br>Class |
|----------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| SYCAMORE | 96.1%                        | 2                              | 6                        | 29              | 98%<br>this week!              |
| HAWTHORN | 90.07                        | 0                              | 1+1                      | 29              | This week!                     |
| ELM      | 95.1%                        | 0                              | 4 + 1                    | 29              |                                |
| CHESTNUT | 98.0%                        | 1                              | 9                        | 23              | 1                              |
| HAZEL    | 97.3%                        | 3                              | 8                        | 23              |                                |
| ASH      | 96.8%                        | 3                              | 7                        | 23              |                                |
| WILLOW   | 96.0%                        | 3                              | 5                        | 17              |                                |
| OAK      | 92.1%                        | 4                              | 2                        | 13              |                                |
| PALM     | 93.0%                        | 9                              | 3                        | 8               |                                |

#### **WHOLE SCHOOL TARGET - 96%**

This week's attendance – 95% We have **not** met our target this week.



#### NAG ON THE RAG

Please ensure your child is in school every day, on time. Thank you to all the families who keep school informed of reasons for absence.

High levels of attendance have been proven to improve children's learning and therefore life chances

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Friday 8th February to Thursday 14th February 2019

Alfie in Oak will be 5 Freya in Oak will be 5 Aimee in Palm will be 6 Mia in Willow will be 6
Lily-Mae in Hawthorn will be 7 Liam in Chestnut will be 7 Jack in Sycamore will be 7 Ava in Chestnut will be 7







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