

# The Rednal Rag



REDNAL HILL INFANT SCHOOL  
Number 9– 12th November 2021

## Covid Update

Please continue to follow the Covid 19 guidance. If your child is unwell, please perform a lateral flow test. If the LFT is negative and they are well enough to be in school, then they should return. If the LFT is positive then they should have a PCR test and remain at home, at least until the result is known. If negative, the child can end self-isolation; if positive, the child should isolate until at least 10 days after their symptoms appeared. School is continuing to keep high use areas cleaned frequently, regular hand washing and hand sanitiser is used along with keeping classrooms ventilated.

## DIARY DATES

**Friday 12th November**—Year 1 & 2 visit to St Stephen's Church for Remembrance Service  
**Monday 15th November**—Anti Bullying Week/ Odd Sock Day  
**Tuesday 16th November**—Reception trip to Lickey Hills  
**Friday 19th November**—Children in Need (own clothes)  
**Monday 29th November**—Singing Club performance 4pm  
**Wednesday 1st December**—Sycamore Class recorders performance to parents 2.30pm  
**Thursday 2nd December**—Sign Language Club performance 4pm— details to follow  
**Tuesday 7th & Wednesday 8th December**—Early Years Nativities (see below for times)

## Sharing our favourite books

As well as all our other reading opportunities, each class has a basket of 11 story books chosen specifically to engage children and prompt discussions. Some stories are returned to time, and time, again.



**Ask your child which shared book is their favourite at the moment.** A firm favourite in Nursery is **Ravi's Roar**, Reception love **Rainbow Fish**, Year One are hooked on **The Story of the Little Mole** and Year Two like to chose **No-Bot, the Robot with no Bottom**.

**A copy of one of these would make an ideal Christmas present for your child!**

## Anti-Bullying Week 15th to 19th November Odd Sock Day Monday 15th November

To begin the week we are asking children to wear odd socks along with their school uniform. **This is a symbol that we know each of us is unique and that we celebrate the things that make us special.**



## Children in Need—Friday 19th November

Children can come into school in their **own clothes for a donation** for this worthy cause. You can add something spotty or stripy if you like.

## School Crossing Patrol Warden Vacancy -needed on Edgewood Road

**Pro Rate** £18,562 - £20,493 (Part time £9.75 per hour) 8hrs per week



You will assist at places where children/adults cross roads on their way to and from school (or on their way from one part of a school to another) during the prescribed hours, ensuring their safe passage, and will also be responsible for reporting any problems encountered to supervisors. You will need to be caring, reliable and must have good verbal communication skills to enable you to communicate effectively with a range of people in differing situations.

**Application Forms can be completed online: <https://www.wmjobs.co.uk/job/87909/school-crossings-patrol-warden/>**

## Reception and Early Years Nativity

Children in Early Years are beginning to learn the story of the nativity. We are very much hoping that we can invite limited parents into school to enjoy their individual class nativities.

### Dates are:

**Ash Class and Full Time Nursery**

Tuesday 7th December 2.00pm

**Elm Class and Morning Nursery**

Wednesday 8th December 9.30am

**Oak Class and Afternoon Nursery**

Wednesday 8th December 2.00pm

**Tickets will be issued, further details to follow.**



## This Week's Congratulations go to:

**Palm Class — Olivia** for your amazing map that you created after our visit to the Lickey Hills. You have included all of journey around the Lickey Hills and represented each part. Well done. **Elsie** for your fabulous recount about our Lickey Hills trip. You had some super ideas and were able to write your own independent sentences. Well done.

**Hazel Class—Kaceson** for being enthusiastic towards all of your learning this week. It has been lovely to see how proud you are of your work. Well done. **Grace** for being our 'always' girl. You are always kind, helpful and a wonderful friend. Thank you.

**Willow Class—Danny** you were super sensible on our Lickey Hills trip. You enjoyed talking to your friends and exploring.

**Obie** you are a phonics star! You have been working on pronouncing the 'c' and 'g' sounds correctly. Fantastic.

**Chestnut Class—Miya** has been a mathematician this week. She has been using number lines to add and subtract. **Jacob** used scientific vocabulary to reason about the properties of different materials.

**Hawthorn Class— Lily-Mae** always tries her best and even when work is tricky, she keeps going with a smile and

**Lumi** for always coming into school everyday without a fuss. She has been my super helper.

**Sycamore Class—Aubree** for some fantastic maths this week. She has tried hard with presentation and showed great understanding of fact families. **Lindsey** for using the tens frames to subtract independently, well done.

**Well done to you all!**

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**12th November 2021 to 18th November 2021**

Jessica in Ash will be 5

Zaybun-Zirah in Elm will be 5

Achanio in Sycamore will be 7



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