

# The Rednal Rag



**REDNAL HILL INFANT SCHOOL**  
**Number 14– 17th December 2021**

**A special visitor in school.... it was 'elftastic'!**

**Santa** managed to find time in his busy schedule to pop in and say hello. He brought with him two vaguely familiar elves and a bag of presents. The children gave him a fantastic welcome and promised him they had been 'the very best they could be' all year!



**DIARY DATES**

**Friday 17th December**—Break up for Christmas  
**Tuesday 4th January 2022**—Teacher Training Day  
**Wednesday 5th January 2022**— Children back to school  
 Spring Term



**Reading Challenge**

Well done to the children who have completed the challenge on Tapestry. If you haven't already had a go, check Tapestry for details- the challenge is to read in a variety of places, to a range of audiences. Maybe start with sharing a festive story, cosied up under the tree.



**Christmas Raffle**

Thank you to everyone who has bought a ticket for our Christmas raffle. The draw took place during assembly this morning and the winners are:

1st Prize of a bike goes to **Imogen-Paige** in Elm Class  
 Hamper from Asda goes to **Nicholas** in Palm Class  
 Hamper donated from Iceland goes to **Amiah** in Chestnut  
 Hamper donated by Morrisons goes to **Evelyn** in Hawthorn




**Christmas Jumper Day Fundraiser for Leukaemia UK**

Thank you to everyone who donated to our Christmas Jumper Day last week. We raised £240 for our chosen charity in recognition of one of our children in Year One who is currently undergoing treatment. Thank you very much.



**A big thank you to Mary, our school cook, and all of the kitchen staff who provided us all with a proper Christmas dinner today. It felt very festive and there were lots of clean plates!**



**Support at Christmas time**

**EAT IN OR TAKE AWAY FREE CHRISTMAS DAY MEALS**

'Hot Christmas Day Meals' Available in the South Birmingham Area.

Don't be alone this Christmas Day. Come and join us for a FREE sit down full Christmas Dinner or collect a Hot Christmas Day Meal. We'll bring a hot sandwich, sweet potatoes, apple in Guinness, and gravy!

30 dinner and drinks at £25pm and collect second meals from Spens at the Wesley Centre Community Centre, Bartsford Road, Wesley Centre, B27 5TE.

Bookings essential. To book: Call us on 0121 427 4654 Email us at [food@rednalhillinfantschool.org.uk](mailto:food@rednalhillinfantschool.org.uk)

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Emergency food & support for local families in crisis

0121 427 4654

**NSPCC HELPLINE**

0808 800 5000  
[talk@nspcc.org.uk](mailto:talk@nspcc.org.uk)

"It's alright to ask for help"

**SAMARITANS**

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*Merry Christmas*

**See you all on Wednesday, January 5th 2022**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**  
**17th December 2021 to 6th January 2022**

Alexa-May and Leo in Little Acorns will be 4      Lily and Avaylah in Oak will be 5  
 Lydia-Rae in Elm will be 5      George in Ash will be 5      Poppy, Elsie, Harry and Vidhyuth in Palm will be 6  
 Kian in Hawthorn will be 7      Evie in Chestnut will be 7



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