

# Raysfield Federation News



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## Thank you PTA/RHSA

The PTA and RHSA have been busy fundraising and have kindly started to purchase some well-needed resources for both schools.

The juniors wet play games have been replenished with some great new board games that will encourage team work, turn taking and how to lose well!

The infants are having brand new painting aprons for all classes.

Larger amounts of money will be spent on two new outdoor classrooms to improve opportunities for teaching and learning in the summer months. Both PTA and RHSA are always looking for new help and ideas. If you think you can spare time to help please contact the school office.

## Class Dojo

The new behaviour system is working well and creating enthusiasm and motivation amongst pupils and staff. The children have been keeping to school values, showing good manners and working as a team to earn Dojo points.

The pupils will start to receive certificates

Bronze – 40

Silver – 100

Gold – 200

These will be given out in Friday assemblies.

## School Money

With online payments on the rise, Eduspot (as providers of SchoolMoney) would like to remind you to be extra vigilant when making payments.

Recently, there have been a small number of reports of attempts to defraud parents whilst using SchoolMoney. We thoroughly investigate all reports of attempts to defraud parents using our system (including separate, independent checks) and can confirm that we found that no fraud, data breach or malicious attack has occurred.

We believe however, that it important to remind parents to be extra vigilant when making payments online. NEVER give out your ATM pin to anyone – no system or person should ever require this to complete an online transaction. If something looks suspicious, do not complete the payment, close down your browser and start again making sure you are using a genuine website.

You should also ensure all system and app updates are applied to your PC or mobile devices and that they have reliable, up-to-date anti-virus software installed. Increasingly, mobile devices are the targets of malicious software so it's important that these also have adequate protection.

Eduspot remains committed to protecting your online security and providing you with an easy to use solution to securely make payments to your schools. If you cannot access your account or spot something that doesn't look right relating to SchoolMoney, please contact us at [support@schoolmoney.co.uk](mailto:support@schoolmoney.co.uk).

The Eduspot Team [0207 237 8456](tel:02072378456)

[enquiry@eduspot.co.uk](mailto:enquiry@eduspot.co.uk)

## Travel Plan Update

Please note the “Three strikes” parking is still in force. Slips are available in both school offices to note the registration of any unsafe parking. The local PCSO’s will be contacted with this information and will follow it up sometimes with a home visit.

School are happy to pass on any photographs or details of unsafe parking to the police.

Several incidents have been witnessed in the last couple of weeks that have put children’s lives at risk and caused great distress.

Please drive and park responsibly at all times.

## Park and Stride

The park and stride project is still in force and pupils can still earn their monthly badges for walking or taking part in Park and Stride.



**Please remember that the Federation school site is a no pet zone, this includes dogs in carry cases and under the arm!**



## PE uniform and policy reminder

The PE uniform is detailed on the school website and should be complied with at all times.

For junior pupils navy blue joggers and tops with white t-shirts are to be worn on PE days. Pupils should not be wearing any other colour leggings, bottoms or tops.

Infants PE uniform should be a white t-shirt and shorts.

Safe practice in PE states that “Personal effects, such as jewellery, religious artefacts, watches, hair slides etc should be removed by pupils before participating in physical activity”

“If they cannot be removed they should be made safe with tape, padding or a wristband.”

## Healthy Snacks

Both schools remain “nut free zones” as we have children with severe allergies. Please ensure children are not bringing snacks or food to school that contains nuts.

We are also still hold Healthy Schools status and would encourage only healthy snacks that are low in sugar, fat and salt. Fruit and vegetables are always the best option!

## Lost Property

The Junior school does not have a designated lost property area. Please ensure all items of clothing are clearly marked and pupils are responsible for their own belongings.

Once a term any items will be placed outside the front entrance for collection. Any items not collected will be given to charity.

# Raysfield Celebrates

## Celebrations!

### Achievements outside of school

Thomas F – Tae Kwon Do and 2 swimming badges

### Golden Book

Elvia H	Noah L
Thomas F	Max T
Alana R	Hudson T
Annalie C	Rosa B
Olivia-Rose S	Millie B
Jack B	Isla B
Edwin C-G	Harvey H
Harry S	Sam R
Rafael RS	James M
Jamie O	Alfie P
Max P	Lily W
Robyn J	Georgina B
Imogen S	Sophia L

### Rays of Sunshine

Lincoln  
Alana  
James  
Ruby  
Lacie  
Bobby  
Oscar  
Mia-Rose  
Henry  
Molly  
Damjan  
Poppy

## Go For It awards

### Finch Class

Isla, Jack, Leo, Abbie, Charlie, Evie

### Robin Class

Jaydon, Laila, Esme, Imani, Keegan, Phoebe

### Kestrel Class

Akar, Sammi, Oliver, Callum, Grace, Evan

### Kingfisher Class

Logan, Carson, Reuben, Ava, George, Jack

### Heron Class

Sienna, Logan, Riley, Lewis, Lilly

### Mallard Class

Sean, Jemma, Jayden, Peyton, Luke

### Goldcrest Class

Eve, Leon, Alex, Abigail, Matthew, Hope

### Merlin Class

Isaac, Brooke, Marli, Sam, Kacie, Macenzie

### GOLDEN BOOK

Corin	Sam
Jake	Callum
Joseph	Riley
Oliver	Brooke
Chloe	Pippa
Jackson	Daisy
Aimee	Lily
Jayden	Isaac
Talissa	Erin
Owen & Jemma	Isaac
Peyton	Chloe
Daniela	Charlotte
Aimee	Keegan
Leila	Natalie
Harvey x 2	Jake
George	Krzysztof
Russell	Jamie-Lee
River	Daisy and Callum
Dexter, Joel and Amelia	Sammi
Russell	Jayden
Riley, Sasha, Hayden, Michal	
Mia x 2, Daisy and Joseph	
George and Sam	Sergio
Harvey, George, Stanley, Taylor and Logan	
Daniel	Mica
Jayden and Jasmine	Riley

# Dates for your diary

## Infant Calendar

### February

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Y1 and Y2 Valentines Disco

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Y2 assessment Meeting 5.30 – 6pm

### March

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> World Book Day

### Inset days for 2018-2019 Raysfield Schools

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2018,

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019

### Important Dates

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May Y1 Phonics Evening 5.15-6pm

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May Sports Day (pm) and family picnic

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May Joint Dad's Day

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June Joint Mum's Day

## Junior Calendar

### February

Wed 6<sup>th</sup> 3.30pm

Year 5 Parents SRE DVD

Fri 8<sup>th</sup> 5.30-6.45

Y3/Y4 PTA Disco

7.00-8.15

Y5/Y6 PTA Disco

Fri 15<sup>th</sup>

Last day of term

Mon 25<sup>th</sup>

Inset Day

### March

Thurs 7<sup>th</sup>

World Book Day

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> – Fri 15<sup>th</sup>

Science Week

Fri 22<sup>nd</sup>

Class Photos

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### Important Dates

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May SATs Week

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May Sports Day (AM) and family picnic

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May Joint Dad's Day

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June Joint Mum's Day

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 6.30pm Year 6 Leavers Disco

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2pm Leavers Assembly

## Infants - Celebrating Sporting Achievements!

We would like to celebrate children's out of school sporting achievements. Please fill in, cut out and return this slip with details.

Mrs Brailsford

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Sporting achievement: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note: we do not necessarily endorse outside sports activities/clubs

## Lunchbreak Supervisor vacancies

We are looking for lunchbreak supervisors to join our team starting as soon as possible, who will be based in our junior school.

We have vacancies on  
**Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday**  
**11.50am – 1.10pm**  
**Term Time Only**

Applications will be considered from applicants who cannot work all three days. Please state which days you would be prepared to work on your application form.

Duties to include supervising pupils in designated areas of the school (including playground or other external spaces) during the lunchtime break and to ensure their safety, welfare and general conduct through appropriate application of the school's policies and procedures.

If you feel this role is for you please either contact the school office at [office@raysfieldjuniorschool.org.uk](mailto:office@raysfieldjuniorschool.org.uk), or pop in for an application form, and more information.

*The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the safety and welfare of children and young people. All staff and volunteers are expected to share this commitment and all appointments will be subject to appropriate vetting, including an enhanced DBS disclosure check.*

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