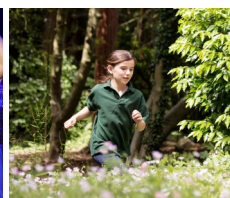




RYDES HILL

PREPARATORY SCHOOL & NURSERY

NEWSLETTER: Fri 2nd October 2020



Dear Parents

GRANDPARENTS WEEK

Thank you to the many grandparents who Zoomed in to see their grandchildren in class this week. Despite a few technical difficulties, I think everyone managed very well. It was so lovely to be able to welcome visitors from around the world into our classes, even if it was only virtually!



HARVEST GIVING

We would like to welcome all families to donate long life food items to the Number 5 Project. We have been supporting this Guildford based initiative for a number of years and would normally hold a Harvest Assembly and invite a representative into School to speak to the children. Unfortunately, we are not able to do that this year, but we are still very keen to support our local homeless charity. We will be collecting on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th October. Particular items they are need in need of include; long life milk, sugar, eggs, butter, custard, mayonnaise and ketchup or any cupboard staples. Please can your child bring the item to School in their bag and leave it in the collection box in their classroom. Donated items will have a quarantine period before being delivered to the charity.

ODD SOCKS / FUNKY TIGHTS DAY

This year, as usual, we will be supporting Anti Bullying Week's Odd Socks / Funky Tights day. This year it falls on Monday 16th November, so please put the date in your calendars. For those new to the School, children are invited to wear their school uniform with odd socks or funky tights (the odder and funkier the better!) to show that we are not only all different, but that this is something to be celebrated.

PARENT PRAYER GROUP

Parent Prayer Group resumes this Tuesday at 9am. This will be on Zoom to begin with. All parents are welcome – you don't have to be Catholic. This is a time for quiet prayer and reflection in our very busy lives. Prayer group will take place on the first Tuesday of the month. The Zoom code is Meeting ID: 831 3349 7596 and the Passcode is RydesHill.

Mrs Norville

Happy Birthday!

30th September	Ruby B
5th October	Honor H
8th October	Harriet Mc

House Points for this week

CAMPION	GERALD	PATRICIA	PETER
113	113	110	101



Raise money for a great cause, when you shop online. If you sign up to #easyfundraising as a supporter of Friends of Rydes Hill Preparatory School, we could win a potential £250 donation. It won't cost you anything extra. Use the unique link to sign up: https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/frhps/?invite=cuv4du&referral-campaign=c2s&utm_source=refmailshare

The link to this week's 'The Wednesday Word' is below:



<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/messenger?pid=MTA101634&v=5.5>



Silver Awards this week

YEAR GROUP	EXCELLENT WORK	EXCELLENT CONDUCT
Nursery	Emily T	Amelie-Hope N
Kindergarten	Tia A	Frances N
Lower Trans	Alex W	Mia Z
Upper Trans	Grace M	Harri S
Lower Prep	Alana W	Freya B
Middle Prep	Aurelia P	Ching Yee C
Higher Prep	Bridget K	Cara McC
Form One	Ava B	Katie B

Special Awards this week

Music Award: Violet-Mae N (UT) for trying really hard in music and Viva Violins.

Ballet Award: Emilia H (HP) for her outstanding motivation.

French Award: Evie W (LT) for her excellent participation and fantastic knowledge of vocabulary previously learnt.

Science Award: Mahika M (MP) for her informative and beautifully presented poster on how to care for her teeth.

RE Award: Miru O (LT) for her super words and ideas in all of our collective worship gatherings.

PE Award: Sophia J (MP) for her extra work and research on netball positions at home.

Special Award: Leah Y (KG) for greeting Mrs Norville so beautifully at the gate.

Kindness Award: Katie and Lizzie B (F1) for bringing in the milk from outside the gates to be helpful.

Netball coaching with Sam Houghton, Surrey Storm Pathway Coach

On Tuesday 29th September we welcomed Sam Houghton to Rydes Hill, Sam is Director of Netball at Cranleigh School and Surrey Storm Pathway Coach. We had arranged for Sam to come in and do the Form One and HP girls during their sports afternoon and we were blessed with beautiful weather for the afternoon!

The girls worked hard on passing drills, attacking and defending drills. They practised movement off the ball which progressed onto second movement and this is where the girls had to really use their heads! The afternoon went so quickly and it culminated in some match play where the girls could transfer what they had learnt into a games situation – not always an easy task!

We are hoping to have another visit from Sam in the new year for some further training sessions.

PE Department



A coaching session with the Surrey Storm Pathway Coach



Kindergarten decorating their playground with chalk drawings



The Upper Transition chicks visit the outside world!



The Upper Transition chicks visit the outside world!



Story telling with their hand made puppets in Lower Transition



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