

Newsletter

Redfield Edge Primary School

'Striving to be the best version of ourselves'



Photo of the week – Tag Rugby Team 😊

Learning in Oak Class

This week, Year 6 explored the Kindertransport and how Jewish children were brought over to Britain by various trains via Belgium, the Netherlands and France by boat. They looked at primary sources and real accounts of people who were affected to give themselves an accurate historical account of the event.



Our School Values

*compassion thankfulness respect
mindfulness curiosity
resilience ambition honesty*

Learning in Holly Class

Our mark making exploration

This week the children in Holly Class were using a variety of methods to explore representation and giving meaning to marks.



We were also talking about our families and then we used charcoal to create our family portraits.

Learning in Pine Class

At the end of last week, Year 2 designed their very own dragons. This week the children then wrote their descriptions in English focusing on using adjectives and interesting vocabulary to describe their dragons.

Finally, the children published them using their best handwriting. All the children's writing has now been published into a book and Miss Kelly has posted it to the Dragonologist Society. The class cannot wait to get a reply from them!



In Science we have been looking at materials. On Friday we tested which material would be waterproof to make an umbrella for the King! We absolutely loved our practical science lesson and working in small groups.



Wanted: Chair!

Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances, our newly elected chair of the FoRE is unable to fulfil the role.

The role includes:

- Meeting organisation
- Delegating tasks, planning and organising events
- Liaising with volunteers and exec

If this sounds like something you have the skills to do, please contact us at friendsofredfieldedge@gmail.com

The friends cannot continue to run, and provide great experiences for our children, if this role is not filled, so please give it some thought! (Please note, this could also be a shared role)

GENERAL MEETING MONDAY 6TH NOVEMBER

More info on Parentmail

Learning in Beech Class

Beech Class have been getting to know the world we live in by developing their map skills and locating countries and landmarks in relation to the equator and Prime Meridian.



They particularly enjoyed using Google Earth to help them understand how lines of latitude and longitude can be used to give co-ordinates for any location on the globe. They found the exact location of famous world landmarks such as the Eiffel Tower, the Hollywood sign, and Wembley Stadium.



Well done Beech Class 😊

Learning in Oak Class

The children in Year 6 have been learning about an artist called Shepard Fairey this week. The children are trying hard to take inspiration from a range of artists and work with freedom and choice – expressing what they want to in their own way.



The sketchbooks in Year 6 are looking great and the children are really enjoying their sessions with Mrs Luton on a Monday afternoon. 😊

Learning in Maple Class

Year 5 have been exploring mixed-media artwork and learned about an artist called Saoirse Morgan. Through analysing her artwork, they made visual notes about the way she explores working with watercolour, templates, and different textures to show natural landscapes.



Class Assemblies

Thursday 19 th October	Year 6 Class Assembly
Thursday 9 th November	Year 5 Class Assembly
11 th & 12 th December	KS1 Nativity
Thursday 25 th January	Year 2 Mini Production
Thursday 14 th March	Year 4 Class Assembly
Thursday 28 th March	Year 1 Class Assembly
Thursday 25 th April	Year 3 Class Assembly
Thursday 2 nd May	Year 5 Mini Production
Thursday 23 rd May	Year 1 Mini Production
Thursday 27 th June	Year 2 Class Assembly
Tuesday 16 th July	Y6 Production
Thursday 18 th July	EYFS Class Assembly
Monday 22 nd July	Y6 Leavers Assembly

Emergency food for
local people in crisis

Please donate an item
or two from the list or
scan the QR code for
our most needed items

Thank you!



SHOPPING LIST

- Milk (UHT or powdered)
- Fruit juice (long life)
- Tinned Fruit
- Pasta sauces
- Tinned Potatoes
- Tinned vegetables
- Cereals
- Tinned rice pudding
- Tea bags
- Instant coffee
- Instant mash potato
- Tinned meat/fish
- Jam
- Tinned Vegetarian meals
- Biscuits or snack bars
- Toiletries



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Save the Date – Parents Evening

Thursday 2nd November –
SEND parents evening



Tues 14th / Wed 15th November – Parents
evening

Save the Date – Parent coffee mornings / afternoons

15th November 9.15 – 10.15am – Coffee Morning with
South Glos Parents and Carers

Learning in Willow Class

This has been an exciting week for Willow class with their first swimming lesson at Longwell Green. The children enjoyed their lesson very much and are looking forward to next week already!

In Jigsaw this week, Willow class have been making 'mood boards' for their perfect school. They have worked in teams ensuring each person had a role to play. 😊



House points

Forest of Dean = 117

Savernake = 99

100 Acre Wood = 92

Sherwood = 105

WELL DONE 😊

Nature Explorers

Mrs Stone and Mrs Sheppard were so impressed with the children in Year 6 this week as they took on their orienteering challenge during Nature Explorers. The weather at times was horrible but the children were all geared up and did a great job!



The children were developing a number of skills including map reading using grid references, problem solving and teamwork. It was great to see them out and active and really enjoying their learning. 😊

Parent Coffee Morning

A huge thank you to Sara Tanner (Inclusion Support) for leading our first parent coffee morning of the school year. The session was well attended and the feedback from parents very positive.



Mosaic Partnership Trust

Many of you would now have had the opportunity to read the information pack regarding the proposed joining of the Mosaic Partnership Trust. I understand that there is a lot of information to look through and so strongly encourage parents to attend one of the online information evenings.

Tuesday 10 October at 6pm [Click here to join the meeting](#)

Wednesday 18 October at 5pm [Click here to join the meeting](#)

I am also more than happy for you to catch me on the playground (beginning/end of the day) if you have questions about the proposed changes.

Art Club

We are getting on well with our sunflower paintings in Art Club. One more week this term and we will be finished, I am excited to see the end product! 😊



Party Peeps

Thank you to Party Peeps for coming to school on Tuesday and giving the children a fantastic playground foam party. The smiles on their faces say it all! 😊



Learning in Hazel Class

Year 1 have been focusing on Supertato, a fiction superhero story. The villain in these stories is called the Evil Pea! Look how the children created the Evil Pea using paper plates!



Tag Rugby Tournament

On Tuesday, boys and girls from Y5 and Y6 took part in a local Tag Rugby tournament against a number of other schools. The children did so well representing our school, Mr Cadden was very pleased with them. Great job! 😊



We came 2nd Place!

Well done to all of our keen gardeners and Mrs Sheppard for our 2nd place position in this year's Bitton in Bloom competition.



We have some parents coming into school next week to help with a little bit of weeding to help keep the grounds tidy and under control. Anyone else interested in helping?

Just let us know.

Thank you 😊

Order your
Christmas Cards
today!

Children have been busy making their Christmas designs, and cards are ready for ordering! Order information is on the picture proof.

Deadline: 14th October

The Friends of Redfield Edge

Dates for the Diary

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Monday 9th October	Pine Class Nature Explorers-Group A	On your child's Nature Explorers Day, please hang their outdoor clothes on the pegs in the outside classroom (there will be name labels).
Tuesday 10th October	Pine Class Nature Explorers-Group B	On your child's Nature Explorers Day, please hang their outdoor clothes on the pegs in the outside classroom (there will be name labels).
	Oak Class Bike ability – Group C	The Bike ability team will be in school today for Group C. Please ensure your child has their bike in school
	Football (girls) Away Barrs Court	School girls football team away to Barrs Court.
Wednesday 11th October	Oak Class Bike ability – Group C	The Bike ability team will be in school today for Group C. Please ensure your child has their bike in school
Thursday 12th October	Beech Class Ukulele lessons	Ukulele lessons continue for Beech Class.
	Willow Class swimming	Willow Class swimming lessons continue this week, please ensure your child has their swimming kit in school
	Pine Class Cake Sale	Please come along and support the Pine class cake sale, all profits go to the class.
	Girls Football Game	School Girls football team away to Almondsbury GF
	School Disco	School Disco EYFS, Y1 and Y2 – 6 -7 pm Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 – 7.15 – 8.15 pm