

Rumboldswyke Newsletter 11th March 2022

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Dear Rumboldswyke families,

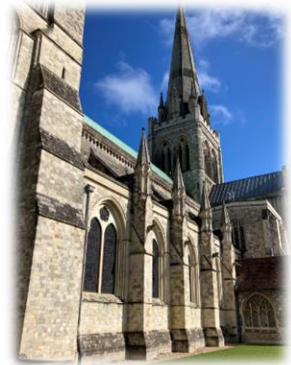
It has been an exciting couple of weeks back at Rumboldswyke. Last week we celebrated World Book Day with lots of book themed activities which were enjoyed by all. The outdoor silhouette hunt was a great success and the children were thrilled to be able to choose their end of day story which culminated in a demonstration from Mrs Armitage on wheels (Mrs Toy on her roller-skates - what a talent!)



It was lovely to see such imagination as the children brought in props and clues to their favourite books. Thank you so much for your creative support.



This week, Red class have been on two school visits: one to St Georges' Church and the other to Chichester Cathedral. On both visits Fr. Angus, rector at St. Georges', met the children and took them on a symbol pilgrimage. We were so proud of the children, they demonstrated our core values perfectly. Throughout both visits they asked thoughtful questions and demonstrated their curiosity and spirituality. We would like to extend a huge thank you to Fr. Angus who was fabulous: calm, passionate and engaging.



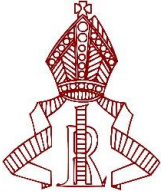
Library Sessions

The wonderful library team at Bishop Luffa have completed the cataloguing of our library books. This means we are now able to issue books out on loan (like a real library). We would like to give parents the opportunity to come along to choose a book with their child to take home and enjoy. Please try and join us for the following sessions.



Blue Class: 3-4pm Wednesday 23rd March

Red Class: 3-4pm Wednesday 6th April



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School Uniform

A few polite reminders regarding school uniform.



If your child has long loose hair, they need to keep it tied up in a small hair band or clip. Whilst some of the larger bows look beautiful they are often a distraction so please keep them for the weekends. In line with the school uniform policy, children with large hair clips or bows will be asked to remove them.

Girls: Grey knee length tunic, skirt or grey tailored trousers (not leggings)

Red sweatshirt, cardigan or jumper

White blouse or polo shirt

Red and white summer dresses

Please make sure all clothing be clearly marked with your child's name.

Boys: Grey shorts

Grey long trousers

Red sweatshirt or jumper

White shirt or polo shirt

Footwear: Black comfortable shoes. **Not** trainers or boots *Open toed and slip on sandals or shoes with heels are not appropriate footwear for school*

Pop-Up Pantry

I have been contacted by Councillor Sarah Sharp who is keen to set up a Pop-Up Pantry in the Chichester South area. A series of pop-up pantries have been set up in Chichester by UK Harvest but there isn't anything particularly close to Chichester South (especially for those people who live south of the railway). Do we have any parents who would like to get involved? If so, please come and see me or drop me an email so I can put you in touch with Sarah.

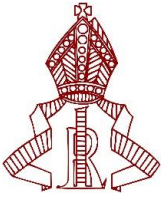


You can find out more here: <https://www.ukharvest.org.uk/event/pop-up-pantries>

AFRS Coffee Morning

Please come along to our AFRS meeting between 9-10 on Wednesday 23rd March. All parents of children at Rumboldswyke automatically become a member of the AFRS so everyone is encouraged and welcome to attend. We are keen to start planning our Summer Fair.





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Cake Sale

After the success of our last fundraising cake sale, we would like to hold another on Thursday 31st March at 3pm. We would like to split the money raised between UNICEF, who are raising money to support children caught up in the conflict in Ukraine, and Mr Blewitt's charity, Leukaemia Care. As many of you will know Mr Blewitt has recently shaved off his hair as a fundraising event in support of this charity.

Please bring cake donations to the school office when you drop the children off in the morning. It would be great if you could label any cakes which are gluten, dairy or nut free.

Parents' Evening

We will be holding our spring term Parents' Evening on Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd March between 3:15 – 6pm. This is a good opportunity to come and find out how your child is progressing, take a look at their work and have a 10-minute chat with their teacher(s). We have decided to run our parents' meetings face to face but will be holding them outside, under the canopy so please wrap up warm! Please sign up when you come to collect your child at the end of the day. There will be an A-frame board near the gate where you collect your children with the slots available. This will be left out until next Friday. Alternatively, telephone or email the office@rumboldswyke.org.uk to make an appointment.

School Photographs

Your child will be bringing home their school photograph in their book bag today. Please be aware that the **closing date** for orders is the **22nd March 2022**. You may order and pay online or return the order form to school, full instructions are with the photographs. **Please note if ordering through school, change cannot be given.** Large copies of the class photographs are available in school should you wish to look at them before ordering.

Value of the Month

Humility is our value of the month for March

Humility is not considering oneself more important than others. It is to think that the needs of others are also important. It is admitting one's own mistakes and learning from them. A person who is humble will make the effort to listen to and accept others. The more you accept others, the more you will hold those people in high esteem and the more you will listen. A word said with humility means the same as a thousand words.

With warmest wishes,

Lisa Harris

Humility
is not thinking less of yourself
but thinking of yourself less