



Newsletter 24th January 2025

Dear Rumboldswyke families,

I hope this letter finds you well. As we hear news surrounding Storm Eowyn, we feel relieved that the south coast was spared from the worst of its impact. Our thoughts and prayers remain with those in the northern regions of England, Northern Ireland, and Scotland, who are experiencing challenging conditions.

I am excited to share some wonderful opportunities we have planned in the coming weeks. On Monday, Green Class will be visiting Bishop Luffa to experience first hand a 'TED Talk'. This opportunity has arisen through collaboration of staff in the Bishop Luffa Learning Partnership. Students across the trust: Lavant, Fishbourne, Rumboldswyke and Bishop Luffa, will take part. This learning experience will culminate in the children performing their own TED Talks to an audience. This is a fantastic opportunity that encourages our students to express their ideas confidently.

In addition, Red class will take part in a African Extravaganza, which promises to be a vibrant celebration of culture, music, and dance.

For Blue & Yellow Classes, we are looking forward to their upcoming trips. Although to where, is still a surprise for the children! 😊 These outings provide our students with hands-on learning experiences and are always met with enthusiasm. Further details will be sent in due course.

Other upcoming events:

Don't forget we have our next **INSET day this Thursday 30th January.**



The following week, **3rd – 7th February** our year 6 children will be participating in the Bikeability Programme. **Please ensure all paper consent forms have been return.**

Our next Parent's Evenings are coming up on the Thursday, 13th February and Wednesday 26th February. Please keep an eye on your emails for further information and details on how to sign up and book a place to meet with your child's class teacher.



As mentioned already, Red Class will be taking part in an African Activities Day on Wednesday 12th February. This is an exciting opportunity for the children to participate in various African workshops such as Adinkra printing, storytelling, drumming and dance. Please keep an eye on your emails next week for further information if your child is in Red Class.

Advanced notice: Early next week you will receive an email regarding school lunch orders for after half term. Once received, please ensure you have ordered your child's meal choices for the 'Spring Term 2' by **Monday 3rd February.**



Reminders:

Stay connected: Please ensure you check your emails regularly. All information regarding upcoming events and other information is sent to parents via email. Please can we ask that any forms, payments and consents are completed by the requested dates.





School lunches: Just a reminder to parents that if you do not order your child a school lunch every day, please ensure you check you Arbor meals account regularly and send your child into school with a packed lunch on the required days.

With warmest wishes,
Lisa Harris



January 2025

27 th Jan	Yr 3 Swimming Green Class trip to Bishop Luffa (TED Talk)
28 th Jan	Dance Club
29 th Jan	Football Club (Yrs 4 – 6)
30 th Jan	INSET Day

February 2025

3 rd - 7 th Feb	Bikeability (Yr 6 only)
3 rd Feb	Yr 3 Swimming Deadline for lunch orders for after half term
4 th Feb	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
5 th Feb	Football Club (Yr 4-6)
6 th Feb	Football Club (Yr 1-3)
10 th Feb	Yr 3 Swimming Blue & Yellow Class Gallery event (3:15pm)
11 th Feb	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
12 th Feb	Red Class African Activities Day (more details to follow via email) Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club
13 th Feb	Football Club (Yr 1-3) Parents Evening (more details to follow)
17 th – 21 st Feb	Half Term Break

25 th Feb	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
26 th Feb	Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club Parents Evening (more details to follow)
27 th Feb	Football Club (Yr 1-3)

March 2025

3 rd March	Yr 3 Swimming
4 th March	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
5 th March	Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club
6 th March	Football Club (Yr 1-3)
10 th March	Yellow Class Trip (more details to follow) Yr 3 Swimming
11 th March	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
12 th March	Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club
13 th March	Football Club (Yr 1-3)
17 th March	Yr 3 Swimming
18 th March	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
19 th March	Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club
20 th March	Football Club (Yr 1-3)
24 th March	Yr 3 Swimming
25 th March	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
26 th March	Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club
26 th – 29 th March	Year 5&6 Residential @ Cobnor Activity Centre
27 th March	Football Club (Yr 1-3)
31 st March	Blue Class Trip (more details to follow) Yr 3 Swimming

April 2025

1 st April	Multisports Club (Yrs 1-3)
2 nd April	Football Club (Yr 4-6) Dance Club
3 rd April	Football Club (Yr 1-3)
7 th – 18 th April	Easter Holidays
21 st April	Easter Monday (School closed)
22 nd April	1 st Day back for Summer Term



Term Dates

Autumn Term 2024

Monday 2nd September – Friday 20th December
Half Term - Monday 28th – Friday 1st November

INSET Day Monday 2nd September – children not in school

Children's first day of school will be Tuesday 3rd September

INSET Day Monday 21st October – children not in school

Spring Term 2025

Monday 6th January – Friday 4th April
Half Term – Monday 17th – Friday 21st February

INSET Day Monday 6th January – children not in school
INSET Day Thursday 30th January – children not in school

Summer Term 2025

Tuesday 22nd April – Tuesday 22nd July
Half Term – Monday 26th – Friday 30th May

Please note we are still in the process of organising the remaining INSET day for this academic year and will share this date with you as soon as we can.