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Rockingham Junior and Infant School Newsletter

Friday 23rd October 2026

Harvest Festival 2026

A huge thank you to Reverend Sami for a beautiful Harvest Festival. It was lovely to have our annual walk to St Mary's Church and showcase our understanding of the process 'farm to fork' with our families. Our children performed with singing, drama, talk for writing and the sharing of readings and prayer. Thank you to all our parents for attending our service and a special thank you to Mrs Waller and Mr Kinmans.







Attendance Breakfast - 3/4P

We celebrated our amazing attendance with our attendance breakfast for families and children. The children had a great time and unsurprisingly it was greatly attended. We are on for 100% for the week so are continuing and finishing strong before our half term.







Unveiling of our artwork

Our Keppel children were given the fabulous opportunity to work with the Artist Dan Jones on a casting project linked to local history. The children produced some fabulous casts that were put together to achieve this fabulous piece of artwork to display in school. We are very proud of the outcome.



Dads and Donuts

We would just like to say a huge thank you to all of our parents /carers, children and staff for joining us this week for our Dad's breakfast event. We loved having so many of you join us and it was lovely to see the children enjoying some quality time with their nearest and dearest. Thank you for the feedback. If you would like to share any further comments, ideas or suggestions, we will be planning more events in the near future. Thank you so much for your continued support, it is greatly appreciated.







Autumn Stay and Play

What a wonderful day we have had in Nursery, we welcomed our families to our Autumn Stay & Play, enjoying forest school, autumn hunts, magic potions and exploring pumpkins. Our autumn hunt included a maths focus with children and their adults counting leaves/sticks, comparing sizes and spotting patterns in nature. We also had an exciting surprise when we found a little frog while exploring!





Y5/6 With Me in Mind Cyber Bullying Workshop

Children in Y5 and 6 have taken part in an informative workshop this week regarding cyber bullying with staff from With Me In Mind. They listened to advice on how to report cyber bullying and the impacts this may have on someone. The children took part in a range of activities, including the opportunity to create a superhero who can stop cyber bullying taking place, or create a poster about cyber bullying and how to report and avoid this.



Crucial Crew 2026

Our Y6 children had an excellent visit to Crucial Crew last week! They explored an array of scenarios, practised emergency safety and learned many ways to keep themselves safe – all whilst having fun along the way. It was a fantastic experience enjoyed by all. Well done to our Y6 children for showing amazing respect and listening skills. The staff at Crucial Crew were blown away at how sensible everyone was on the visit.



Football Finale

We concluded our footballing festival last week with a final trip to Roughwood Primary. Children were once again brilliant and represented the school fantastically. There were some great goals and the teams performed well, in their teams.



The next few weeks:

W/c 26.10.26 - Half term week

W/c 2.11.26

- Children return to school Monday 2nd
- Racism and Respect workshops KS2 - Monday 2nd
- Y1 Phonics workshop - Monday 2nd
- Y4/5 Wonderdome - Wednesday 4th
- KS2 Boccia tournament Thursday 5th
- Flu vaccinations - Friday 6th

W/c 9.11.26

- Y4 Bullying and Kindness workshop - Tuesday 10th
- Reception Count me in parents session - Tuesday 10th
- Curling Tournament - Thursday 12th
- Anti Bullying workshops - Friday 13th



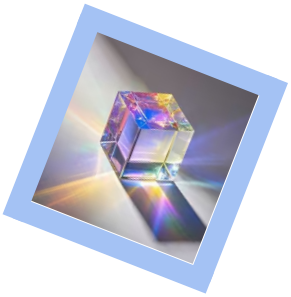


Reminder:

Parents Evening starts the week commencing: 16th November. Arbor will be set up to book appointments after half term. The Travelling Book Fair will also be in attendance as usual.



Our Cube of Excellence Winners are …



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Congratulations this week go to:

REY: Dixie	3M: Sami
Nursery: Ollie	3/4P: Amber
Reception: Aria	Y4/5WH: Rory
1H: Patrick	Y5/6T: Henry and Cole
1/2C: Rosie	6B: Ephraim
2H: Honey and Harriet	Head Teacher Award: Harriet M

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