

RUSHWICK SCHOOL NEWS

22nd March 2019

Our Stars of the Week

Mercury - Oscar S, India

Mars - Gethin, Dawson

Venus - Bronwen, Anabelle

Neptune - Ben W, Amari

Saturn - Ashley, Leo

Jupiter - Neve, Millie

Little Stars - Thomas M, Ellie B

Congratulations - we are very proud of you all!

Comic Relief Day

We raised a fantastic £217.08 for Comic Relief. Thank you all for your generous support.

After-School Clubs Cancelled

Please note that after school clubs will not run next week due to the parent/carer consultation evenings. This includes the Year 1 and 2 AJB Football Club. Clubs will restart the following week.

Parking by School

Please park considerately when dropping off and picking up your child and avoid leaving gaps so as to maximize the limited space that is available. Please do not park on the zig-zags or staff car-park. We have received some complaints from local residents about instances where access to their drives have been blocked, so please ensure that these spaces are left free at all times. If you are able to walk to school wherever possible it would greatly help to relieve the congestion issues. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Contacting School

If you need to contact school urgently please ring the school office. If there is no-one available to take your call please leave a message as the answerphone

If your child is about to turn 5 and wishes to continue to have milk, please remember to register with Cool Milk before their birthday at www.coolmilk.com

P.T.O. Message re Little Stars Invoicing

is checked regularly throughout the day. Emails are checked more intermittently and should not be used to convey urgent messages. Thank you.

P.T.A. Mother's Day Sale

The Mother's Day Sale will take place in school on Friday 29th March. The gifts cost £2 each (maximum 2 gifts per child.) Please send money in a **named envelope** to the **school office** by **9am Friday morning** if you would like your child to take part please. Thank you.

Letters Sent Home This Week

- Year 6 SATS Enrichment
- Year 5 Netball at The Chase (Selected team)
- Year 6 Netball at Hanley Castle (Selected team)
- Bikeability - Year 6
- KS2 Easter Service Church Visit

Dates for your diary

27/03/19 - Parent/Carer consultation evening 4.00pm - 7.00pm

28/03/19 - Parent/Carer consultation evening 3.30pm - 6.00pm

29/03/19 - PTA Mother's Day Sale

03/04/19 - Class Saturn Assembly 9am

09/04/19 - **12/09/19** - Bikeability Training - Year 6

09/04/19 - PTA Meeting 6.00pm - 7.00pm

10/04/19 - Class Neptune Assembly 9am

12/04/19 - Last Day Spring Term

16/04/19 - Parents/Carers Notified of Primary School Offers

29/04/19 - First day Summer Term

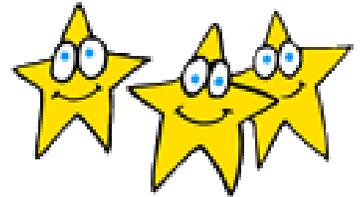
06/05/19 - Bank Holiday

27/05/19 - **31/05/19** - Summer Half Term

19/07/19 - Last day Summer Term

22/07/19 - Teacher Training Day





Rushwick Little Stars Rushwick Primary School Wrap Around Care

Invoicing

We have now received our final payments from parents and carers for our first run of invoices. We would like to thank everyone for their patience with this new system.

Most of you have made payments that have been passed on to us promptly from Worcestershire County Council. However in a few cases the payments have taken longer to show on our system and we may have contacted you to ask about the invoice. Please accept our apologies if you have been contacted when you had already made a payment.

Please can we ask that you always **state your invoice number** on any payment so that it is credited straight to your account. This is especially important for any payment made with tax free child care vouchers or through the BACS system. (Without an invoice number being quoted the money seems to sit in the Local Authority "slush fund" until we contact them to track it down and allocate it to your invoice.) Please can we also ask that a separate payment is made per invoice. The system does not appear to be able to cope with multiple invoices paid together and this has meant that some of our parents/carers have been chased for payments they have already been made.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you ever require any help with making payments. We would prefer to send invoices to an email account to ensure they reach you on the day they are issued, allowing you the full 30 days to make payment. If you have not already done so and would like us to send your invoices to you electronically, please send us an email at office@rushwick.worcs.sch.uk to register.

Our next invoices will be issued on, or just after, 1st April 2019 and will cover usage of the club from 4th - 29th March 2019.

Thank you.