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Roseberry Academy News

Enjoy Believe Achieve Inspiring Lifelong Learning

Pupils of the week

- Thomas Weighell
- Nevaeh Jack
- Abigail Fisher
- Harry Lindo
- Martha Reynolds
- Amelie Jack
- Ella Pearson
- Joseph Wilson
- Tom Speight
- Mia Wheldon

One of the many things I love about our Roseberry family is that everyone is a learner! This week, Mrs Charlton has been learning about physical computing and Mr Moore has worked with professionals within our Trust and the Local Authority, looking at maths mastery. Staff across the school are using research into metacognition and retrieval to trial a variety of methods designed to enable children to remember what they have learned, making links between prior and current learning. It's all very interesting, indeed! Mrs Channing 😊

Bringing history to life

This week, Harry Fox's Granny visited to speak with Years 5 and 6 about her experiences as a child growing up during World War Two. The children were amazed to hear about how schools had to close at the start of the war, until Anderson shelters had been built in order to keep children and teachers safe during an air raid. Harry's Granny spoke about how it felt to find out that places close to home had been bombed and what it was like to have food items rationed. Children and staff were surprised to hear that, during the war, teachers had to be on fire watch, and that they could be called upon to help if the school was on fire! What an interesting morning! It's great that we are able to call upon the memories of our wider school family to help us with our learning!

Act of Kindness

This week, our award goes to James McLuckie, Holly Dunn and Matthew Johnston.



Lunchtime Award

This week, our lunchtime award goes to Adelaide Moon for lovely manners and superb behaviour!



What's Toby seen this week?

Toby peeped through the window of Mrs Channing's door on Monday to watch our Learning Council in action. He heard children talking about what the role of the Learning Council will be in school this year. Their first task is to think about what learning is like in their classrooms and how teachers help them to learn and remember more.



REALtime update

We began our Roseberry Enrichment Activities and Learning programme at the start of this academic year and, so far, children are thoroughly enjoying the activities planned for them. Throughout the year children from Y1 to Y6 will access:

- British Sign Language
- Ukulele
- First Aid
- Drama
- Wildlife Warriors
- Boogie Bounce
- Community links and enterprise (including links with Fry Court and St Joseph's Infant School in Jamaica)
- E-Safety

What an exciting year we'll have!

Home discussion question Stan asked...

What have you done this week to make someone feel good about themselves?



Parents' Evenings

Our online booking system for Parents' Evening appointments are live on MCAS! Please book your appointment for either 13th or 17th October. Bookings will close at the end of today.

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Extra Curricular Clubs

Please note that these are in addition to our whole school, timetabled, enrichment curriculum.

Choir (free) Y2-6	Monday Lunch time (12.15-12.45)
Netball (free) Y5/6	Tuesday 3.10pm – 4.10pm Mrs Sellers
Cross Country (free) Y3/4/5/6	Wednesday Lunch time Mrs Davis
Football team (free) Y5/6	Wednesday 3.20pm - 4.20pm Mark Shimwell
Chess (free) Y3/4	Thursday 3.10pm – 4.10pm Mrs Barker
Miss Tucker's Gardening (£3 per session, payable on MCAS)	Thursday 3.10pm - 4.30pm Miss Tucker
Multi sports (not football) (Charge applies) Y1-6	Friday 3.00pm - 4.10pm Mark Shimwell
Karate (Charge applies) Y1-6	Friday 3.00pm – 4.15pm Sensei James Scanlon

VACANCY

Required as soon as possible

MIDDAY SUPERVISORY ASSISTANT

5 hours per week (1 per day)
Monday - Friday
(11.45am – 12.45pm or 12.00 – 1.00pm)

Are you patient, understanding, caring and interested in helping children?

Do you wish to work as part of a happy, friendly, team in attractive surroundings?

We currently have a vacancy for a dedicated and committed Midday Supervisory Assistant with the ability to foster excellent working relationships with children and adults. The successful applicant will work as a member of a team to ensure that children are safe and secure during the lunch time break, both in the dining hall and outside.

Experience in working with children is desirable but not essential, as appropriate training will be provided.

Applicants are welcome to visit the school by appointment for an informal discussion with the Principal, Mrs Helen Channing.

If you are interested in applying for the position, which is subject to an enhanced DBS check and suitable references, please visit our website at www.roseberryacademy.org to access a person specification and application form, or contact the school office on 01642 722883.

Applications may be sent by post or via email to office@roseberryacademy.org for the attention of the Principal.



During assembly today, we congratulated Isla Bonner for her achievement in football and Nilah Galloway for her horse riding success!

Fabulous cycling!

Well done to Bikeability Group 3 for completing their Bikeability course this week!



Boat Race Reminder!

If you would like to build a boat to take part in the village annual boat race, please complete an entry form (available from class teachers) and return to the school office by Monday 17th October.

Global Council Top Tip

Try to keep your uniforms clean throughout the week, children, so that grown ups don't have to use the washing machine so often. This will save money and our planet!



Important dates!

Please remember that our diary dates may be found on our website:
www.roseberryacademy.org



Used Uniform shop

If you would like to buy high quality, washed and ironed second hand uniform, please email v.maylard@roseberryacademy.org
Buying used uniform is great for both your purse and our planet!

Please note: Items of lost property that aren't claimed at the end of each half term will be sold along with donated items if they are not labelled with a child's name!

