

# **RLI News**

### 18th November 2022

This week we have been working hard with the children to understand the rules of our school.

Ready, Respectful and Safe

This week, we have been thinking about thinking about what **Safe** would look like, sound like and feel like outside of our school. Next week, we will be exploring the rule **safe** inside our school. Children will be exploring what this means inside of the school, working in the classroom and moving around school.

It has been a busy week in school this week with visitors, fun and learning galore! Reception have been exploring Goldilocks and the three bears this week. They made their own porridge and added different toppings. Year 1 have been working super hard on learning their number bonds and how to work systematically. Whilst Year 2 have been exploring the story of The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark. They shared hot chocolate and marshmallows around the camp fire and Mr Lidbetter taught them some songs to sing around the fire.

### Dates for your diary

18th November—Children in Need—Children can
wear something spotty into school
22nd November—Lunch Date with Reception
families

24th November—Open Evening for New Reception
Starters in 2023

2nd December—Health Visitors in Reception 8th December—Christmas Jumper Day 13th December—Christmas Nativity—EYFS Parents will be invited for either 9:30am or 2pm. Information will follow shortly about this. 14th December—KS1 Christmas Service at the church

14th December—Christmas Dinner Day 15th December—EYFS Christmas Service in school

### Children in Need

Today the children came to school dressed in their finest spots and Pudsey attire. They have learnt about why we raise money to support other children and how we can make a difference by doing little things to make others smile.

As a school we raised **£111.21**A huge thank you from all of the
Team at Race Leys Infant School.



### Music of the Week

This week the children have been listening to Eine Kleine Nachtmusik by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.

Children will continue to listen to a different piece of music each week and will be discussing this in assembly.



### Christmas Lunch

This week a letter was sent to families for our school Christmas Lunch day on the 14th December. All children will receive a FREE Christmas Dinner on this day. You are more than welcome to send your child with a packed lunch on this day if you'd prefer. Please can we ask that the responses are back to the school by **Monday 21st November.** This will give our kitchen team enough time to order their food.

### Attendance

Attendance has been wonderful this week



in school and we are all getting used to the earlier starting time of the school day.

**SAM** (School Attendance Matters) is going to the winning class...
Goose Class

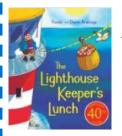


**OTIS** (On Time in School) is spending the week between the winning classes Goose and Cygnet Class.

This week's Whole School Attendance is 94%

### **Book Recommendation**

**Mrs Whitehall's** favourite children's book is The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch by Ronda and David Armitage.



This is a classic story that her children have always read and she loves the unexpected ending.

### Christmas in Need

We are hoping to decorate the school ready for our Christmas celebrations (in December—not just yet) if you have any spare tinsel, garlands or wreaths that you no longer need can we ask you to bring them in to school next week. We will then use these with the children to help decorate our school.



### **Trousers!**

Our Reception Team have asked for any spare trousers or jogging bottoms aged 4—5 or 5—6. If you have any that you can donate to the school we'd be very grateful.



### **Book Shop**

We are lucky in our school to have our very own Book Shop. Children are invited to save money that they can spend towards a book from our book shop. This is open on a Wednesday and the children each have a time to visit this within the day. They should all have their purple saving cards and can bring in as much or as little as you'd like to start saving towards this book. Can we ask that the money comes in to school in either a named envelope or little bag. We will provide small savings pots for the children bringing money in to make this easier to collect.

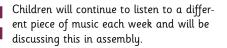
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This afternoon your child will come home with a stocking outline. They are invited to decorate the stocking in anyway they choose.

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### Raffle

Next week children will be sent home with a letter about our school Christmas Raffle. There will be a range of prizes on offer. More information will follow next week.

# Lucky Bags

Our lovely Mrs Hamer-Hodges has been busy fill-ing our lucky bags full of goodies. Children will be able to bring a £1 donation in to choose their own lucky bag. This will be on the last week of term.



### Coming Soon...

We need your help!

We work hard to ensure our children have the best learning experiences within school. We have some ideas for additional

experiences, events or resources that our children would enjoy and benefit from.

The difficulty, as always is funding!

This is where we need your help. We would like to reform our **Friends of Race Leys Group**—with parents and staff working together to raise well needed funds for our school. If this is something you are interested in, please keep an eye out in coming Newsletters about the details. Please do let me know if this is something you would be keen to help support and manage.

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## Celebrating Our Learning

Heron and Moorhen Class enjoyed learning about the toys Mr Peach played with when he was a young boy. He even told them that when he came to this school (a little while ago) they were allowed to play marbles in the big playground using the drain cover holes as targets.



A huge thank you to Mr Peach for giving up his time to share his history with the Year 1 children.

Lego

Gosling class have loved dressing up in their Spotty / Pudsey clothes today.

Year 2 have enjoyed the story The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark









SATURDAY 19TH NOVEMBER 2022



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Tuesday

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(v) Yoghurt, (D.)
or frush fruit as alternative dessert options.

(vg) Homemade Chocolate Cracknel

Every day we offer:

Week 3 Dessert Menu





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(vg) Homemade Fruity Flapjack G. (v) Chocolate or Strawberry Swirl Mousse D.







Roast Beef in Gravy, York Pud D.E.G.

(vg) Quorn Roast G. (v)Yorkshire Pudding D.E.G

Tuna Mayonnaise F.E.

Thursday

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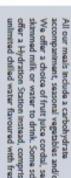
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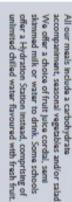
Plant Based "Meat"balls

(v) Chaese D

Noodles contain Gluten (vg) Chinese Style

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Accompaniments may vary to those

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(v) Mac 'n' Cheese G.D.







D-Dairy



PLEASE NOTE some schools serve the cold option in a deli bag with vegetable sticks or salad, a dessert and a drink Key



M = Mustard F-Fish



Egg Mayonnaise G.E.

Breaded Fish Fillet Fingers F.

(vg) Breaded Vegetable Fingers G.