

## A Message From Miss Reed and Mr Lillo

Dear Parents and Carers,

We've come to the end of another academic year at Ryelands and what a year it's been.....we've had so many wonderful experiences throughout the year with workshops in school, trips out into the local area and beyond, sports matches, residential, musical concerts, a dance festival and even Ofsted! And all this on top of the incredible learning that goes on in school every day. To say that I am proud of the children and staff in this school in an understatement. I continue to be amazed every day by the progress that they make, the resilience they show and the way that they are so proud to be who they are. I really do hope that they continue to demonstrate the Oasis 9 Habits in all that they do.

We say a sad farewell to Year 6 this week who have worked incredibly hard this year to produce an excellent set of SATs results as well as showing what fantastic people they are with a truly phenomenal end of year production that they performed to the school community last Friday. They have so much talent that I am sure we will see in the future. We also say goodbye and good luck to some members of staff this week. Miss Crone is relocating to teach near Manchester, Miss Man is moving on to become Head of Year 7 at Coombe Wood School and Miss Cacaj in Nursery is leaving to have her baby. I would like to thank all of them for their dedication and hard work with the children and wish them all the best for the future.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your incredible support this year, I really do appreciate it.

Have a wonderful summer break and I look forward to welcoming the children (and you) back in September.

Kate, Glenn and the Ryelands Team

## Meet The Teacher Meetings in September

Here are the dates for our 'Meet The Teacher' meetings that will be held in the first week back in September. Please put these in your diary ready for the next academic year.

Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 3:30pm	Meet the Teacher Year 6 Year 6 SATs and Secondary Transfer Meeting Information Meeting for Year 6 Residential Trip to Kingswood
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 3:30pm	Meet the Teacher Year 5
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 3:30pm	Meet the Teacher Year 4
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 3:30pm	Meet the Teacher Year 3
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 at 3:30pm	Meet the Teacher Years 1 and 2



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The winning HOUSE for the 2023 'Football Festival' is:

**Usain Bolt House**

Well done to everyone who took part!

Well done to all our PE Leaders for running the event and well done everyone at Ryelands who showed us their skills and effort.

*Mrs Lula*

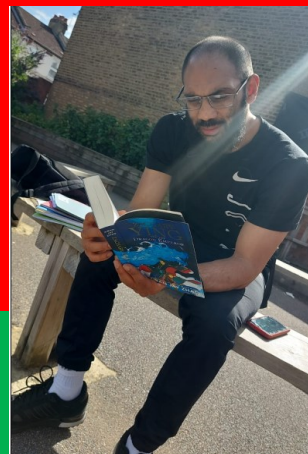
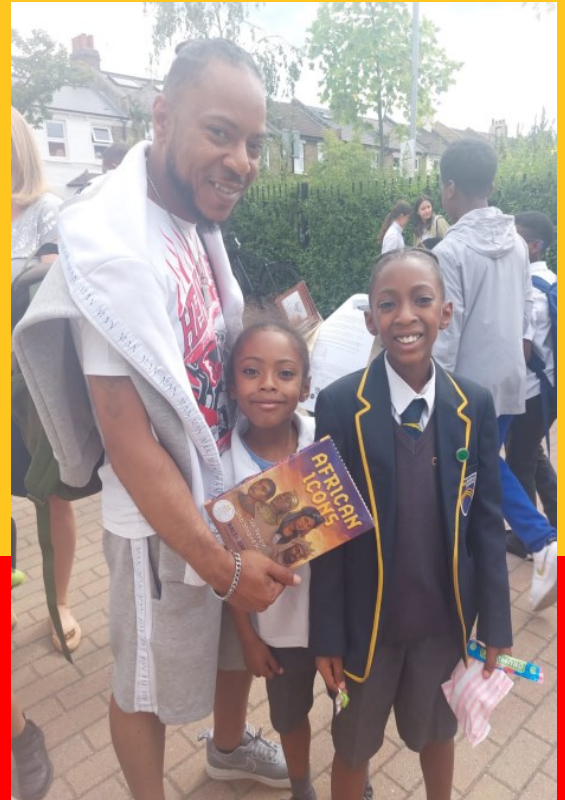


The BookLove Carnival was in school on Monday 17th, Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 20th July after school with a great set of Multicultural books for sale.

The raffle to win a £25 book voucher was held on Thursday raised £28 for the Charity 'BookLove&Beyond'.

Thank you to everyone that bought a raffle ticket, the lucky winner was Lucy from (FOR).

Please check out their website ([www.thisisbooklove.com](http://www.thisisbooklove.com)) and email them with your requests [weare@thisisbooklove.com](mailto:weare@thisisbooklove.com)



**Enrichment Clubs - 10-week afterschool program starting week beginning 18<sup>th</sup> September 2023. You will receive an e-mail/text informing you of the date that these clubs will go live and when you will be able to book. Please ensure you book early to avoid any disappoint. All bookings and payment are made via your MCAS account.**

<b><i>Day</i></b>	<b><i>Year</i></b>	<b><i>Start</i></b>	<b><i>End</i></b>	<b><i>Type</i></b>	<b><i>Cost</i></b>	<b><i>Spaces</i></b>
<b><i>Monday</i></b>	Y2 to Y6	3.30	4.30	Homework Club	£32	20 spaces
	Y3 to Y6	3:30	4:30	Movie Club KS2	£32	20 spaces
	Y6	3.30	4.30	Creative Club with Reach Higher	£0	20 spaces
	Y4 to Y6	3.30	4.30	Girl's Football Club	£32	20 spaces
	Y5 & Y6	3.30	4.30	Basketball Club	£32	20 spaces
<b><i>Tuesday</i></b>	Y3 & Y4	3:30	4:30	Basketball Club Y3 & Y4	£32	20 spaces
	Y1 & Y2	3:30	4:30	Movie Club KS1	£32	20 spaces
	Y5 & Y6	3.30	4.30	Football Club Y5 & Y6	£32	20 spaces
<b><i>Wednesday</i></b>	Y1 & Y2	3.30	4.30	Basketball Club Y1&Y2	£32	20 spaces
	Y6	3.30	4.30	Reach Higher Y6 Football Club (Open to Y6 girls and boys)	£25	20 spaces
	Y3 to Y 6	3.30	4.30	Guitar Club (10 lessons)	£100	10 spaces
	Y3 to Y4	3.30	4.30	Football Club Y3 to Y4	£32	20 spaces
<b><i>Thursday</i></b>	Y6	3.30	4.30	Football Team (Selected by coach/ invitation only)	£32	20 spaces
	Y1 to Y2	3.30	4.30	Art attack Club	£32	20 spaces
	Y1 to Y3	3.30	4.30	Multi-sport (football, basketball and athletics)	£32	20 spaces
	Y3 to Y6	3.30	4.30	Sewing Club Y3 to Y6	£32	15 spaces
<b><i>Friday</i></b>	Y3 to Y6	3.30	4.30	Chess Club	£32	20 spaces
	Y2 to Y6	3.30	4.30	Singing Club	£32	15 spaces
	Y1 & Y2	3.30	4.30	Football Club Y1 & 2	£32	20 spaces

### This Week's Adventures

**Nursery:** This week in Nursery we have been talking about all the new, exciting things happening in September. Some of us can't wait to go up to Wren and Robin class, and some of us are starting Reception classes in new schools, while some of the Ducklings will be returning to nursery as the big children! We have talked about how thrilling it will be to make new friends, play with new toys and learn new things. We celebrated our wonderful year together with a morning and afternoon party when we played lots of party games and ate lots of treats! We will be sad to say goodbye, but feel so lucky to have had so much fun learning together this year. Ducklings wish everyone a very happy summer!

**Reception:** This week's topic has been "Transition - moving on, up!". On Monday, Reception children officially graduated in a special ceremony, proudly watched by their parents, grandparents, carers and siblings. The children impressed us, all with their maturity when talking about their aspirations and plans for the future and proved to be ready for the new stage in their school life. Throughout the week, they enjoyed a great variety of indoor and outdoor activities, in preparation for Year 1.

**Year 1:** We have had a lovely last week in Year 1. In Maths, we have been finishing off our topic on time. We have learnt how to tell the time to half past the hour, compare time and write time in hours, minutes and seconds. In DT this week, we baked Malva pudding – a South African cake... it was delicious! In History we learnt about Tudor houses, music and clothing and in Science we learnt about animals who hibernate and why they do this. We have had such a great year with the Year 1 children and wish them the best of luck as they transition into Year 2.

**Year 2:** What an end to a fantastic year! This week, Year 2 have cumulated all of their knowledge of habitats from our science lessons and their independent research and written reports in English to design and build their own habitat in a shoebox. We started by designing it, then painted the box and drew the animals. Next, we used a range of different resources to build 3D elements into their habitats. We had so much fun! It has been interesting to look through our books and compare our work now to how it was at the start of the year. We have learnt a lot and made great progress. We have enjoyed our class parties and are really looking forward to joining the Juniors in September!

**Year 3:** In Year 3 this week, we completed our maths unit on 'measure'. We had great fun finding out the different temperatures within our school and classrooms by reading the scales on the thermometers correctly. In English, we completed some nature-based reading comprehensions, while in writing, we wrote a balanced argument and then edited and published this in our best handwriting. In science, we completed our last lesson on 'light' – we learnt about how shadows are created and how to change their shape. Our Year 3 journey seems to have passed in a flash and we are now looking forward to Year 4...but after a well-deserved break!

**Year 4:** We would like to thank the parents and carers of Year 4 for all of your support this year. We have felt immensely privileged to have been able to teach your amazing little people, and we wish you all a restful summer break.

**Year 5:** This week we have been very busy baking Belgian Buns for our cooking element of DT. As we did this, we also wrote instructions about how to make them so if you would like to know then please make sure you ask us. In Maths, we learnt to convert between different units of time, read timetables, we also continued our learning about coordinates and translations. We also finally finished Kensuke's Kingdom and lots of us are looking forward to trying to watch the movie when it comes out later in the year. Well done Year 5 for a brilliant final week- you are really starting to show us what we would expect from the eldest children in the school. We hope you have a great summer and can't wait to see you in September, ready and raring to go, to make sure you do as well as you possibly can in your final year of primary school.

**Year 6:** Year 6 have been on a whirlwind this week. We started the week with a trip to the country park searching for creatures in different habits and considering why they liked those habits. We have been very busy painting and then printing in the style of Andy Warhol. We had an amazing prom where we came in our finery and looked sensational. We danced, ate and slid the evening away. Thank you to our DJ, ice cream man and all the adults that donated towards (or helped at) this event. We had a blast!

## 21ST JULY 2023

Positive Playtime Weekly Winners!!

Summer 2 Week 6

**1st WREN - WINNER OF THE BISCUIT AND JUICE**

2nd ROBIN

3rd GOLDFINCH



Well done all the children and adults who have been playing the 'Craze and Game of the week.' Mrs Lula

# OLD SCHOOL UNIFORMS



**Bin**  
Throw out  
**Dont ! = Out grown ?**  
Store away  
Recycle

'Why not donate your old uniforms'  
'And HELP others'



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As we have reached the end of term, and your children have undoubtedly grown out of much of their school uniform, can we take this opportunity to ask that you donate any items that you no longer need to the school. This will help to replenish our supply of 'nearly new' uniform that we have available.

Many thanks in advance for your donations!

## 21ST JULY 2023

### Stars of the Week

Each week, a child in each class is chosen for portraying one of the Oasis 9 Habits.

Robin	Miss Venus - Joyful
Wren	Miss Muhunthan - Joyful
Sparrow	Raul - Joyful
Starling	Pragati - Joyful
Chaffinch	Lochlan - Honest
Goldfinch	Gloria - Joyful
Kingfisher	Shae-Lynn - Compassionate Psalm - Honest
Woodpecker	Farley - Considerate
Magpie	Keegan - Joyful
Owl	Dorothy - Compassionate
Heron	Marco - Joyful
Raven	Amalia - Humble
Eagle	Mia - Honest
Hawk	Archer - Compassionate
Children's Choice	Silver chose Rita for being Considerate Alex chose Romero for being Considerate



Compassionate	Patient	Humble
Joyful	Honest	Hopeful
Considerate	Forgiving	Self-controlled



This initiative is part of our Friday Celebration Assembly. Every child who has had 100% attendance for the previous 5 days (Fri-Thurs) has their name entered into a prize draw. We spin the wheel (a child is chosen to do so) and whoever the wheel lands on, wins a £5 Amazon voucher. This is NOT cumulative so every week children have a fresh chance at having their names added to the draw.

**Calder in Wren and Dylan In Eagle**

Over a school year, we are due to be open for 190 days which equates to 380 sessions with registration in the morning at 09:00 and after lunch in the afternoon. Attendance is affected if a pupil is not present at school for any whole session including registration.

Attendance Target: 96.4%    Attendance This Week: 91.1%    Attendance This Year: 93.3%

#### Weekly Attendance Awards:

**Attendance Awards £25 Vue Gift Card**

**Zion - Eagle**

**Jamie - Starling**

School starts at 8:50 It is important that the children are at school on time every day to prevent disruption and upset to their day and for the rest of their class. If your child arrives after 8.50 then your child is late and will need to go through to the school office and sign in. Children will be sent back from class to the office if the correct procedure is not followed.

# Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
<b>Mon 4th September</b>	<b>School open to All Year Groups</b> 'Meet the Teacher' meeting Year 6 at 3:30pm Year 6 SATS and Secondary Transfer information meeting Year 6 Information for residential trip to Kingswood Meeting to be held in the Main Hall
<b>Tues 5th September</b>	Year 5 'Meet the Teacher' meeting at 3:30pm (in Classroom)
<b>Wed 6th September</b>	Year 4 'Meet the Teacher' meeting at 3:30pm (in Classrooms)
<b>Thurs 7th September</b>	Year 3 'Meet the Teacher' meeting at 3:30pm (in Classroomss)
<b>Fri 8th September</b>	Year 1 and Year 2 'Meet the Teacher' meetings ats 3:30pm (in Classroom)





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## SUMMER CAMP

### 2023

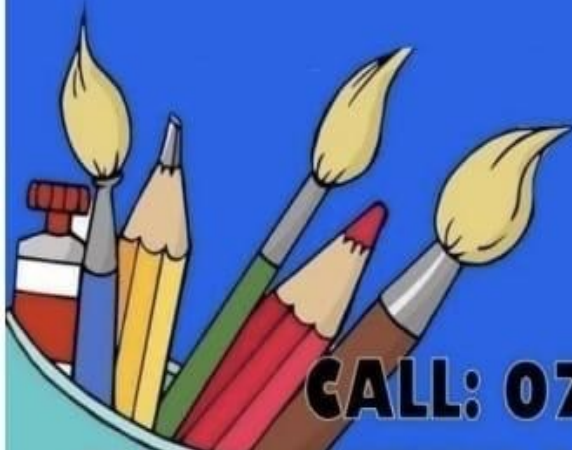
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**10AM - 2PM AGES 7-16**



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# Tollgate/Longheath 'Summer of Fun'

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**24th July - 17th August**  
**(Monday to Thursday)**  
**10am - 2pm**

To register please use the code and link that your child's school have given you and search for us on the HolidayActivities site.

**Limited spaces are available for those who are not eligible fsm.**

Get in touch with us now for more information.

**A summer filled with fun such as arts & craft, music, sports, Playfest trip, games and so much more!**

**8+ years (under 8's with parents)**

**Lunch provided**



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# Large Animal Tours



Come and meet our resident animals during the Summer Holidays

Learn about their care and nutrition and, if you are lucky, you may get the chance to feed them!

Our educational tours are suitable for adults and children aged 5+

Tickets are £10 per person and can be booked online or via reception (pre-booking is essential)

All tours start at 1.30pm and last for approx. 75 minutes

[www.foalfarm.org.uk/events](http://www.foalfarm.org.uk/events)

01959 572386 (option 5)

Tour dates:

Thursday 27th July

Saturday 29th July

Thursday 3rd August

Saturday 12th August

Saturday 19th August

Thursday 24th August

Foal Farm Animal Rescue

Jail Lane, Biggin Hill. TN16 3AX

Registered Charity No. 201654



## COUNTRY FESTIVAL 2023

SUNDAY 16TH JULY 11am to 5pm

JOIN US AT OUR

BIGGEST FUNDRAISING EVENT OF THE YEAR

- Arena acts
- Dog show
- Beer tent
- Live music
- Inflatables
- Children's activities
- Hot Food
- Tea Room
- Variety of stalls

Please bring cash, including small change



Admission:  
**CASH only**  
 £10 per car  
 (up to 4 people)  
 On foot: Family £10  
 (up to 4 people)  
 Adult £4  
 Child £2 (3-17)

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**Start: September 2023**

**Finish: February 2024**

**Time: TBC**

- \*Improve your English**
- \*Practice speaking and listening**
- \*Work towards a reading exam**

**To register interest contact:**

**[Jenny.Aarons@OasisArena.org](mailto:Jenny.Aarons@OasisArena.org)**



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# Summer

## Holidays and Food Programme



4 - 11  
Year  
Olds

Rainforest, Under the Sea, Pirates and Mermaids and Around the World Performing Arts Art and Crafts and Outdoor Activities

Monday 31 July - Thursday 24th August 2023



Plays and Drama Activities | Clay Modelling |  
Arts and Crafts | Singalongs and Dance |  
Nutrition Education Activities |  
Parent Workshops and Families Support



Lunch provided for eligible children  
Free to Free School Meals Children. Siblings Welcome.  
Paying Children Welcome.

10am-2pm

New Valley Primary School, Old Lodge Lane, Purley,  
CR8 4AZ



For more information and to register please visit  
<https://www.skipzproductions.org/skipzhafcroydon>

If you require further assistance please email us at  
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# What's on this summer from HENRY

## Healthy Families: Brighter Future Programme

An online 8-week evidence-based programme that supports families with children aged 0-7 years to develop a healthier lifestyle.

- Beginning 26th July 7pm-8.15pm

"This is the best thing I could possibly have done to help me be a better mum"



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## Eating Well for Less Workshop

Would you like to eat more healthily as a family, but you're not sure where to begin or how to manage it without breaking the bank?

This workshop helps the whole family to eat well for less.

- 2nd August - 2pm-3:15pm online
- 14th August - 7pm-8:15pm online

## Starting Solids workshop

Starting solid foods is the start of a new chapter for you and your baby. Come to a Starting Solids workshop to help you get your baby off to a great start.

- 7th August 1pm-3pm, Kensington Avenue Children's Centre
- 8th August 1pm-3pm at Selhurst Children's Centre

*(Under 6 months non-crawling babies are welcome to attend)*



"Starting solids has been a very fun and messy journey. The workshop really helped me feel confident and enjoy the process."



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