

## A Message From Miss Reed

Dear Parents and Carers,

Today the school was a sea of colour as the children arrived in all the colours of the rainbow to express themselves and celebrate everyone's individuality and diversity. As you may know, June is Pride month; the aim of which is to serve as a reminder of the importance of acceptance, diversity and love. As a school, we want to teach the children that it is ok to be who you are and love who you love. Thank you to everyone for supporting this event and helping us all to celebrate who we are—we raised £177.60!

I know that I keep addressing this but it is, sadly, an ongoing issue that is causing us a problem in school.....PE kits! Please, please ensure that your children have their PE kits in school throughout the week so that they are able to participate in their lessons—we don't want any of them to miss out on valuable learning opportunities.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Kate and the Ryelands Team



**PLEASE MAKE SURE TO READ DATES FOR YOUR DIARY TO STAY UPDATED ON ANY CHANGES, UPCOMING EVENTS, TRIPS, MEETINGS AND INSET DAYS!**



### Rainbow Bake Sale

We also had our Rainbow Bake Sale at the end of the day, run by some of our staff and members of our Mini SLT. A big thank you to everyone who baked and donated cakes and biscuits.

Thank you also to everyone who supported the sale by buying some of the baked goods—the crowds wanting to buy took over the concourse! Money raised from the sale will go to the Stonewall charity.



### Rainbow Fun Run

Friends of Ryelands are organising another fun run for our school community. On Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June, FoR will be at South Norwood Country Park for the Rainbow Fun Run. Put on your brightest colours and join them for a morning run in the park. Tickets for this event to raise funds for the school are available via EventBrite:

[Rainbow Fun Run Tickets, Sun, Jun 9, 2024 at 9:30 AM | Eventbrite](#)



# YEAR 6 TRIP TO THE BUDDHIST TEMPLE

Year 6 had a fantastic time visiting the Buddhapadipa Temple, in Wimbledon, this week. One of the teachers spoke to us about the story of Buddha; the teachings of Buddha; and explained all the beautiful murals on walls to us. She also introduced us to some of the traditions Buddhists have and the way they celebrate Mother's day, Father's Day and Teacher's Day (teachers include anyone who has taught us anything including our parents) Then one of the monks came to talk to us about his life and answered any questions we had. He also showed us different ways that he meditates. He told us the 3 main things for a Buddhist are: do good; don't do bad; purify the heart and the key to this is looking at life with an eye of love and kindness to everyone.

It was fun. I liked it when we did the sitting meditation. I am not cleaning my dad's feet on Father's Day though!  
*Georgia*

It was fancy and we learnt a lot of facts.  
*Kaishana*

The shrine was really pretty.  
*Evie*



I enjoyed meditating and looking at people with love and kindness.  
*Kuba, Tim and Jaydan*



Sitting in the gardens eating lunch was very peaceful.  
*Marco*

It was beautiful and I liked the sitting meditation.  
*Daria and Alice*



I liked the bit where they said you have to bow down to your parents as a sign of respect.  
*Hazel*

It was interesting to learn about the murals on the walls. The temple was very pretty. Learning about Buddhism in Thailand was also very interesting.  
*Rufus*



# Attendance

Over a school year, we are open for 190 days which equates to 380 sessions. This includes soft starts from 8.40am, registration in the morning and again after lunch in the afternoon. Attendance is affected if a pupil is not present at school for any whole session including registration.



## Weekly Attendance Award

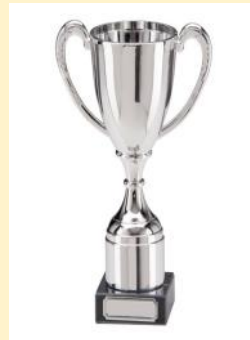
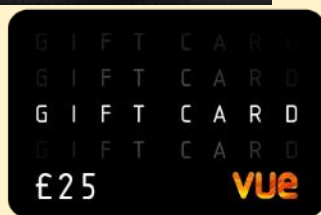
98.62% Year 2 Goldfinch won the Attendance Penguin

96.67% Year 4 Magpie Class won the Attendance Cup

Attendance Target: 97%    Attendance This Week: 94.8%

Attendance This Year: 95.9%

Pupils Late This Week: 31pupils



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.

**Winner for this week is:**

**CALDER in Starling Class**

Summer Term Positive playtime weekly

winners!!

Winners - Y2 Chaffinch  
and Y4 Magpie - Well  
Done!



Oasis Ryelands - Craze of the week!

**SUMMER 2 W1/2**



MUGA		Junior playground		Infant playground	
"CRAZE"	DATE	"CRAZE"	DATE	"CRAZE"	DATE
Footballs, Balance boards Plus tennis	WB 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Table tennis, basketballs And Hula hoops	WB 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Hula Hooping, parachute and ball games	WB 3 <sup>rd</sup> June

Positive Behaviour Points

WINNING CLASS - Y2 Goldfinch

271 POINTS

WELL DONE!!!

TOTAL SCHOOL POINTS 1213



# Stars of the Week



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

Robin	TYLER - PATIENT
Wren	IONA - HOPEFUL
Sparrow	KING - PATIENT
Starling	ARROUSH - PATIENT
Chaffinch	HIROKA - CONSIDERATE
Goldfinch	ELINA - HOPEFUL
Kingfisher	IDA - PATIENT
Woodpecker	TYHLA - SELF CONTROLLED
Magpie	ELODIE - PATIENT
Owl	BORIS - COMPASSIONATE
Heron	DESHAUN - SELF CONTROLLED
Raven	SHANIQUA - HUMBLE
Eagle	TIM - COMPASSIONATE
HAWK	RANIA - JOYFUL
PUPIL CHOICE	ALBI CHOSE LOGAN FOR BEING JOYFUL LILLY CHOSE JOSIAH FOR BEING JOYFUL

SUMDOG	Class
1ST	HERON 475 POINTS
2ND	SPARROW 350 POINTS
3RD	WOODPECKER 250 POINTS

Compassionate	Patient	Humble
Joyful	Honest	Hopeful
Considerate	Forgiving	Self-controlled

Maths Shed	Class	Child
1st	GOLDFINCH	RASSIAH (GOLDFINCH)
2nd	RAVEN	ALPHA (GOLDFINCH)
3rd	HAWK	KING (GOLDFINCH)

Spelling Shed	Class	Child
1st	KINGFISHER	ELSIE (KINGFISHER)
2nd	HERON	GLORIA (KINGFISHER)
3rd	GOLDFINCH	CRISTIAN (HERON)





# Dates for your Diary 2024

Date	Event
Mon 10th June	09:00 Introduction to 11+ Information meeting for parents (Year 4 & 5)
Thurs 13th June	9.05am Rec. Robin Class Assembly
Fri 14th June	Year 6 Chessington <b>2pm Nursery Sports Day @ School</b>
Wed 19th June	KS1 & 2 Sports Day @ CROYDON ARENA PARENTS CAN WALK DOWN WITH CHILDREN LEAVING @ 9.30
Thurs 20th June	<b>9.30am Reception Sports Day @ School</b> Clean Air Day
Fri 21st June	<b>NO SCHOOL - INSET DAY</b>
Tues 25th June	Year 2 Chaffinch Bromley Reform Synagogue
Wed 26th June	Year 6 The National Archives, Kew
Thurs 27th June	9.05am Reception Wren Class Assembly Year 6 Coping with Challenge Workshop (In school)
Fri 28th June	Meet The New Teacher Day Reception Teddys Bears' Picnic - Transition into Year 1
Mon 1st July	9.15am Dance Festival On Muga—parents invited!
Wed 3rd July	Year 4 Frylands Residential
Wed 3rd July	Year 6 First Aid Course (In School)
Thurs 4th July	Year 6 First Aid Course (In School) <b>Year 4 Frylands Residential return</b>
Fri 5th July	Nursery Leavers Assembly
Mon 8th July	Reception Graduation
Wed 10th July	6pm Year 6 Production
Fri 12th July	Year 6 Science Museum
Tues 16th July	Year 6 Canal and Rivers Limehouse Basin Trip
Wed 17th July	Year 6 Leavers Prom 5.00 - 6.30pm
Thurs 18th July	1.15pm Year 6 Leavers' Picnic lunch 2.15PM Year 6 Leavers Assembly
Thurs 18th July	<b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>



# Rainbow

## FUN RUN

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

**9:30am**

**in**

**South Norwood Country Park**



Join us for our RAINBOW FUN RUN on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June in South Norwood Country Park.

Wear your brightest colours to run together and help raise money for Friends of Ryelands. We are raising money for our wellness fund for the children at Oasis Academy Ryelands.

For a ticket and more details, visit the following site:

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# ONLINE PARENT/CARER WORKSHOPS

Jointly run by Off The Record and Croydon Drop In

Join us online for the following workshops. Sign up via Eventbrite by scanning the QR code below. Cameras and microphones can be turned off.



## Transition to Secondary School

Wed 22nd May 1pm

## Helping your Child's Behaviour (Primary age)

Wed 5th June 1pm

## Helping your Child with Anxiety and Worries

Wed 12th June 1pm

## Looking After Yourself for Parents

Wed 19th June 1pm

## Introduction to Autism

Wed 26th June 1pm

## Introduction to ADHD

Wed 3rd July 1pm



Off The Record also run workshops for parents for support with **Self Harm** and **Emotionally Based School Avoidance** scan the QR code to the left to find out dates, times and how to sign up.



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### FUN FACT

The ocean covers 71% of the Earth's surace

HEY!  
I'm BILLY Barracudal  
Celebrating and  
learning about our  
Oceans is a great way  
to enrich our  
knowledge!

HELP THE CRAB FIND LUNCH!  
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### DO YOU KNOW YOUR OCEAN ANIMALS???



### ANSWERS

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2. STINGRAY  
3. SQUID  
4. DOLPHIN

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