# Ronald Ross Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

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**Dear Parents/Carers,**

We have had a wonderful and busy week full of engaging learning opportunities across the school!

**Reception Class and Year 1** enjoyed a very informative **Road Safety talk**, where they learned essential skills about staying safe on the roads and inside vehicles. Meanwhile, our **Year 5** pupils had a fantastic trip to Burntwood School to hear from the brilliant **authors Paul Stewart and Chris Riddell**.

Looking ahead, we are all eagerly anticipating the **Ronald Ross Bake Off** on Monday! If your child is taking part, please ensure that no nuts are included in their bake and that a copy of the ingredients is provided alongside their entry.

We are also very pleased to share that our **ESOL classes** will be continuing. If you would like to improve your English or build your story-reading skills to support your child at home, please speak to the staff in the main school office for more details. Please join us for our **Parent Time Breakfast on Friday 25th September** from 9am in the hall. This will be a great opportunity for new parents to meet our parents who are a key part of our school community.

On a practical note, we unfortunately already have a high volume of unclaimed new school jumpers in lost property. May we please ask parents and carers to use a permanent marker, such as a Sharpie, to clearly write your child's name on all uniform labels so we can return misplaced items promptly.

Finally, we are always delighted to see so many of our pupils actively travelling to school by riding their bikes and scooters. However, for the safety of everyone during drop-off and pick-up, may we kindly ask you to remind your child that **they are not to ride these inside the playground**, nor should they play with them on school grounds before or after the bell.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support.

Mrs Brady and Ms Bains

# Dates for your Diary

| Event | Date |
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| PTA fundraiser -Baking Competition | 21st September |
| Year 6 trip to Imperial War Museum | 22nd September |
| Fulham Palace – Year 3 trip | 24th September |
| New Wimbledon Theatre – Year 4 trip | 25th September |

## B' Buddies Award

**Amira, Y2** for bring kind to other children and a being a very good friend and **Aamirah, Y6,** for being a kind friend.

## Weekly Support Staff Pupil Awards

Each week, staff members can nominate up to two pupils who has gone above and beyond, demonstrated our school values, or made a positive difference to others.

🌟 **Each nominee will receive 5 tokens to spend in the Token Shop.**

This award has been specifically created as part of **SMILE**, which stands for:

S – **Supporting** every classmate with kindness and respect
M – **Making** sure all voices are heard with equity in mind
I – **Including** everyone so no one feels left out
L – **Learning** to treat each other as equals every day
E – **Encouraging** our friends to be the best they can be.

## SMILE Award

**Year 1: Rashae,** for always being kind and for becoming more confident in the playground. Well done!

**Year 2: Annie-Mae and Marnie,** for always behaving beautifully and treating everyone with kindness and respect. They are always ready to help other children in the playground. Well done.

**Year 3: Bella and Chris,** for always being polite and kind to everyone and for being respectful of the school's Golden Rules.

**Year 4: Wynter and Ismaila,** for being polite and caring towards their peers and friends.

**Year 5: Rosie and Evie,** for always treating everyone with kindness and respect, and for helping their friends when they are upset. They are all-round kind and caring pupils.

**Year 6: Diaz,** for being polite, kind and helpful with a new starter in Year 6.

# Weekly Achievement Assembly Awards

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| Year 1 | Thomas L | We have been so impressed with how well Thomas has settled into Year 1. You are a brilliant role model, following the school's Carpet and Golden Rules, and you have tried your very best in every task that has come your way. Well done, Thomas. |
| Year 2 | Maanav | Maanav has had a fantastic start to the year! He is working hard to improve his learning behaviour and is making some really positive choices in the classroom. It has been lovely to see him showing greater focus and trying his best. Keep it up, Maanav! |
| Year 3 | Reiya | The Year 3 team have chosen Reiya for her confidence in facing challenges at school. She is trying so hard to be the best she can be and always gives her best. Well done, Reiya! |
| Year 4 | Evelyn | For showing excellent learning behaviour, always making the right choices and making fantastic contributions to class discussions. A brilliant start to Year 4! Well done! |
| Year 5 | Husna | Husna has had a fabulous start to the year, thanks to her wonderful determination and resilience. Her Maths and reading are improving all the time, and she is a great role model to others. Well done, Husna! Keep up the fantastic work! |
| Year 6 | Faisal | The Year 6 team are really impressed with the way Faisal is always engaged in his learning and willing to share his thoughts and opinions. Keep it up, Faisal |
| Office | Evelyn, Y4 | For being kind and helpful to the office team. Your efforts are greatly appreciated. Well done! |
| Mrs Brady | Marnie, Y2 | Marnie has started to become a great role model for our school value of Achievement. Her learning behaviour is focused and she is always keen to succeed in her learning activities. Well done, Marnie! Keep up the fantastic work! |

## Golden Ticket Winner
## Raphael, Year 3

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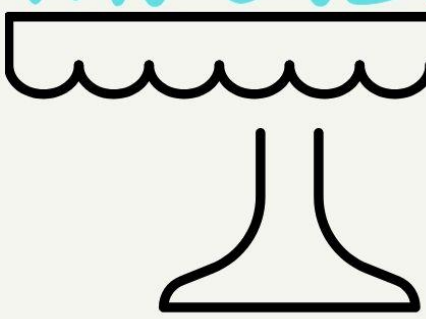
# BAKING COMPETITION



## MONDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

## £1 ENTRY FOR ALL BAKES

There will be prizes for:

**Best bake by an adult**

**Best bake by a child**

**Best healthy bake**

**Best decoration**

Sweet or Savoury, any cakes, pastries, biscuits

email ronaldrosspta@gmail.com for an entry form or ask in the school office

**All profits are for the school PTA fund.**

**PATHS/SEL at Home Online Parent Sessions**

There will be 6 sessions in total. Fridays at 9.30am from October 9th, excluding half term.

Link: **Microsoft Teams meeting:**

https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/399877285563955?p=DtcMhK3NYlg89zopyh

Meeting ID: 399 877 285 563 955

Passcode: Fn7q4qw2

🎓 **Free 11+ Support for Pupil Premium Pupils**

Atom Learning is offering **free 11+ preparation support** for eligible Pupil Premium pupils in **Years 3–6**. Pupils can access personalised practice in **English, Maths, Science and reasoning**, as well as 11+ mock tests, at no cost to families or the school.

This is a great opportunity for pupils to access high-quality preparation and build their confidence ahead of secondary school admissions.

Please click on this link to access Atom Access

**Gentle reminder**: There will be no after-school clubs or Wraparound care on **30th September**, with the exception of Football Club, due to staff **safeguarding training**. Thank you for your understanding.

**Online Workshop for Parents: Understanding and Improving Your Child's Sleep**

We are pleased to share an online workshop for parents on **"Understanding and Improving Your Child's Sleep"**, delivered by one of our clinical psychologists.

The workshop will provide helpful information and practical advice to support your child's sleep.

Please use the **link below** to access this workshop, as well as information about other webinars taking place throughout the year.

Link to Primary Webinars: Primary Parents - NHS Wellbeing Workshops | Eventbrite

Link to Early Years Webinars: Early Years Parents - NHS Wellbeing Workshops | Eventbrite

Looking for free activities, stay-and-play groups, or family support in the area this term? Check out the Roehampton Autumn 2026 Timetable from Wandsworth's local Children's Centres and Family Hubs to see what's on offer for you and your children.

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# Coffee Morning

## You're warmly invited!

This coffee morning is especially for our **new parents** who joined us this year.

However, we would love to see our **existing parents** as well!

Come along and say hello!

### Meet other parents

A chance to chat, share experiences and make new connections.

### School governors will be attending

A great opportunity to meet them and find out more about their role.

### Light breakfast will be served

Enjoy a relaxed start to the day with tea, coffee and light refreshments.

**Date:** 25th September

**Where:** School Hall

**Time:** Straight after drop off (9:00 am)

We look forward to seeing you there!