



Dear Parents / Carers, Governors and Friends,

This week we were delighted to receive notification that Raglan has become a Music Mark School member. This is in recognition of the work we do to ensure that pupils here at Raglan are able to access and engage with a high-quality music education and that our curriculum is broad and balanced. We thank Bromley Music Trust who nominated us because of the value that we place on music. Thank you to Suzanne Davis, our Music Lead, to Derick Kane our music teacher and to all of the peripatetic teachers here at Raglan.

This week in assembly, the children were treated to a fantastic display of Bollywood dancing by Niljo Roy. They also had the opportunity to try out some of the dance moves. After half term, Mrs Roy will be running a Bollywood Dance Class here on Wednesday lunch time. This class is open to all children. A separate letter has been sent home about this. Please email Mrs Roy directly if your child would like to join.

Miss Wood, this week, explained the Safer School App to the children during Assembly time. KS2 children have been given their own password to access their part of the App. Remember the deadline for downloading is today, so please do not miss out.

Thank you to everyone who donated food for our Harvest Festival Celebration on Monday. Once again we were collecting for Bromley Food Bank who were extremely grateful for our contribution. All donations will go to support local families in need.

At our MacMillan coffee morning last week, we raised an incredible £350. Thank you to everyone who supported by donating cakes, helping or just coming to eat!!

Churches Together in Central Bromley, in partnership with the Royal British Legion, are planning a central Bromley programme of events to commemorate the 100th year anniversary of the ending of the First World War entitled 'Bromley Remembers'. They are running an art and poetry competition for children of primary age. The theme is 'Peace'. The winning art work will be on display in the Central library and the winning poem will be read out at the remembrance Service. If your child would like to take part, entries need to be returned to school by Thursday 11th October. Art work should be 2 Dimensional and A4 size. Poems should be no longer than 16 lines. Please put name, date of birth and class on back and return to your class teacher.

The Junior Travel Ambassadors are also launching a competition -asking children to design a fun, new and inventive cycle bell – details will follow separately.

This week's class assembly from Penguin Class was based on the story of 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears'. The children told and performed the story beautifully. They also sang a song and read out letters they had written as Goldilocks to the Three Bears apologising for their terrible behaviour. Well done Penguin Class, a very professional performance.

In the morning, to keep our site secure until 8:30am, the pedestrian gate in Jaffray road will be closed. For breakfast club, parents will need to buzz the studio button and the staff in the club will open the gate. Otherwise, Gates will be opened at 8:30am, children will need to be supervised by an adult until the doors open for soft start as there are no staff on duty until then. We have had many children, who are walking by themselves, left in the playground very early. Please can you talk to your children about setting off so that they arrive for soft start opening.



Mrs Dumper has asked me to remind any Year 5 or 6 child who would like to take part in the Cross Country event to collect an application form from her or from the office and return it ASAP. The closing date for entries is October 12th. This is a great event and children who take part have a real sense of achievement.

A last reminder that nominations for our Parent Governor position closes on Friday 12th October. Please do consider applying. If you want to know more about the role, please do email the office, pop in or phone for a chat about it.

Year 1 were extremely excited this week, when a space ship crash landed on the playground. The children have been writing about Beegu, a tiny alien, who has been lost this week in school. The children have been making rockets to help send her back to her parents.



We hope you have a lovely weekend,

Kath Margetts and Staff



SOCCER SCHOOLS

**CROYDON, BROMLEY
SUTTON & TANDRIDGE**

**FOR BOYS & GIRLS
AGE 5-12**

9AM-4PM



- MIXTURE OF PRACTICAL SESSIONS AND INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS
- WORKBOOKS TO TRACK LEARNING*
- INDIVIDUAL PLAYER FEEDBACK*
- PACKED LUNCH PROVIDED

BOOK ONLINE AT WWW.PALACEFORLIFE.ORG

*feedback and workbook for participants attending three or more days

Important Dates Coming Up

8th October – FOR AGM

9th October – Penguins' trip to Sainsbury's

10th October – Frogs' and Sharks' Family Assembly.

9th and 15th October – Year 6 Bikeability.

12th October – Giraffes' Family Assembly and Spooky Disco.

16th October – Puffins' trip Sainsbury's

16th October - Year 4 Young Inventor Workshop

16th October - Reception phonic meetings

18th October – Year 1 Reading meetings

19th October – Puffins' Family Assembly

31st October - Closing date for secondary school applications

Attendance and Punctuality!

Overview

This week the overall attendance is 97% Well done! The same as last week!

Two classes had 100% attendance this week! Sharks and Dolphins! Well done!



Please make sure that your child is only absent for authorised reasons. Please try to make appointments for Doctors and Dentist before or after school.

Attendance for each class this week:

| Group | % Attend | L |
|---------------|----------|---|
| Sharks | 100 | 0 |
| Dolphins | 100 | 2 |
| Penguins | 99 | 0 |
| Leopards | 99 | 1 |
| Monkeys | 98 | 2 |
| Tigers | 98 | 2 |
| Golden Eagles | 98 | 6 |
| Giraffes | 97 | 0 |
| Panther | 97 | 0 |
| Frogs | 97 | 4 |
| Pandas | 96 | 1 |
| Elephants | 96 | 1 |
| Lions | 95 | 2 |
| Puffins | 94 | 1 |
| Rhinos | 93 | 4 |
| Wolves | 92 | 5 |

Lates

Four classes had no lates this week. Sharks, Penguins, Giraffes and Panthers. Congratulations!

This week children were late for school a total of 31 times! – This is too high! Please make an extra effort to arrive to school on time next week.



Don't be late through the gate! Please make sure your child arrives in time for school!

Children must be at school each morning by 8.55 a.m. for KS1 children and 8.50 a.m. for the KS2.

Gold: Excellent. These classes are meeting our target of 96.5% attendance.

Green: These classes are doing very well with average attendance.

Amber: These classes are below average attendance at 92-95%.

Red: Attendance in this class is below 92% and of concern.