



Weekly Newsletter



Friday 8th March 2019

HAPPY WORLD BOOK DAY



It was lovely seeing the children have fun dressed up in book character costumes on **Thursday 7th March**. What a creative bunch you all are. We will be sharing some of the photo's we have taken on the school's website and also on twitter so please have a look <http://rotherhitheprimary.co.uk/>



We hope you all had a chance to spend your world book day voucher at the book fair, but don't worry if you haven't had a chance yet the book fair will be held after school in the junior library on Friday 8th, Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th of March of next week.

Thanks to Jennifer O'cofaigh for organising the world book day events.

Local author Chissie Gittins visits RPS

Local author Chissie Gittins visited RPS today (Friday 8th March) as part of World Book Day. She led two assemblies reading some of her poems to the children. Musab Ahmed said she was inspiring and the poems made him giggle.

Chissie led poetry writing workshops for year 1, 4 and year 5. We hope to share some of the poems with you soon. Look out for Chissie's poetry as the children found them very entertaining.

Author's galore!

On World Book day the children had special assemblies led by the author and historian Pat Kingwell, who has written books about the local area.



Pat is currently working on a book about Southwark Park. He has challenged our children to draw pictures and write about their memories of Southwark park. He will then include some of these into his new book. The book is to mark the 150 anniversary of Southwark park. On the 28th April 1864 the Victorian government agreed for the creation of the park. Children's whose work is chosen for the book will receive a free copy of it. the deadline for entries is the 15th March 2019.

Thanks to Lisa Salkeld for organising this event.



Dates for your Diaries!

Week starting 11 th March	British Science Week
14 th March	Urban debate mate round 2
15 th March	Red Nose Day
22 nd March	Athletics competition day
1 st April	KS1 Achievement Awards at 11:15 Year 1 -6 Parent's Evening 3:15- 4:30
2 nd April	KS2 Achievement Awards at 11:30 Nursery Parent's Evening 3:15- 4:30
3 rd April	Reception Parent's Evening 3:15 4:30
5 th Apr	Attendance Awards Last day of term finish at 2pm
23rd April	Children return to school



Year 6 star Writer is



Favour Emasealu from Belfast Class who has written an amazing world war II diary entry.

'Without warning, cutting through the peace like a knife, the relentless sound of the siren blared – a whale's mournful cry. My heart pounded like a drum as terror embraced me like an old friend. Just then, I quickly scanned the garden for Skyler, who is apprehensive of loud noises. Appearing calm, Mother who's panic-ridden eyes betrayed her, ushered us to the entrance of our shetlers. She tried to calm us down by saying,

"Don't you worry darlings, everything will be alright!" As my eyes began to adjust to the dim light, I saw Skyler cowering in a corner and my sister shaking crying loudly.

Fantastic writing Favour – keep it up!



You are warmly invited to attend your child's class performance.

Key Stage 2 Assemblies Time 11:30 am

Wednesday 13 th March	Endurance
Wednesday 27 th March	Pearl
Wednesday 3 rd April	Kingfisher

Safeguarding at Rotherhithe

Keeping children safe is of utmost importance to us at Rotherhithe. We have recently updated our safeguarding policy. Please read it at <http://rotherhitheprimary.co.uk/>

Phonics Workshop

We ran a second phonics workshop today. If parents would like copies of the slides or information given out, please ask at the school office.



Respectful to all



Look after our school!

Attendance

The classes with the best attendance for this week are:

KS1: Seal Class 97.6%

KS2: Cutty Sark Class 99.5%



Amazing! keep up the good work everyone!!

Please **do not** book holidays during term time. This negatively affects your children's education.





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CRAFTY BEASTS

Arts & Crafts for seniors, families and kids!




Every Friday
at T&T2
4 - 5:30pm

Our free drop-in classes bring together people of all ages in a fun, friendly group - grandparents, parents and kids are all welcome to get crafty together!



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FREE!

**Every Tuesday
1-3pm**



An informal community group
featuring fascinating local
voluntary speakers!
No creche facility - parents are
responsible for their children
during the group.

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Got any ideas to bring to the group?

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TINY TALENTS 2 PLAY CLUB!

Thursdays

10.30am-12pm - FREE!



A play club for 0-5s and their grown-ups, with loads of toys for kids & coffee, tea & chat for grown ups!

FOLLOWED BY...

THE PARENT BREAK

Thursdays


12pm-1pm - FREE!



Take a break! A supervised play session for kids - and time for you to relax.

At T&T2, Opposite
TESCO, Surrey
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Centre, SE16 7LL

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