
RGS Newsletter

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Headteacher's Message:

Once again we have had a busy return to the new half term, beginning with Hop Tu Naa discussions in Key Stage Assembly as part of talks about our roles of Responsibility in the Community. Thank you to Mr Wood for leading these.



We have the wonderful opportunity, once again, to celebrate our Headteachers Award winners this week for a wide variety of reasons. This week we have had students awarded for their excellent classroom work, fantastic dedication to extra-curricular activities, positive approach and attitude to learning, constant enthusiasm for learning, adaptability, positivity and resilience, and for applying oneself across all areas of school life. We are incredibly proud of them all.



- **Year 7** – George Pearce
- **Year 8** – Alexa Appleby
- **Year 9** – Martha Blencoe
- **Year 10** – Lily Gell
- **Year 11** – Lydia Jones
- **Year 12** – Drystan Sewell
- **Year 13** – Catherine Perry

As we move further into the term, the staff are all starting to think forward to our first celebration assemblies and are collating information and names for these events. We have three special Celebration Assembly Events per year for each individual Year group across the school. In these events we celebrate achievement, effort, embodying our ways of being, house points and special prize-giving awards. Parents of all students receiving awards are invited to the celebration assembly for the year group their child is in. Invitations are sent out from our Events Administrator prior to the events. We look forward to celebrating with you all.

We were delighted to receive a letter of thanks from Guide Dogs this week as a result of our fundraising efforts last year with Dress Down Days which resulted in being able to give them a cheque for £681.80. It is especially important now more than ever that we continue to support initiatives in our community that in turn support others during their time of need.

We also received a letter from MSPCA thanking us for our fundraising efforts as a school. We raised and donated £575.00 from our Dress Down Day at the end of last term. Our donation helped with the care of these two lovely kittens. Our Student Council carefully pick the charities each year that we donate to across the school and we so enjoy sharing the funds raised with our chosen charities as we know the positive impact this money has on a cause in need.



As we head into a weekend with Bonfire Night and fireworks we would ask our student community to reflect back to Mr Wood's assembly on our responsibility in the community and consider others at what can be an occasion full of fun and excitement for some, but anxiety and distress for others. We are one community have have a duty to care for and be mindful of all who are a part of it. We are excited to share that our school Pep Band will be playing at the bandstand in Mooragh Park on fireworks night. If you have not seen them in action they are well worth popping down to see.

Kind regards

Sarah Findlater
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Quote of the week:

“Smooth seas don’t make skillful sailors”

Key Dates

Monday 10th – World Science Day

Friday 11th – Armistice Day

Sunday 13th – Ramsey Service of Remembrance, Ramsey War Memorial 10.35am

Monday 14th - Anti-Bullying Week

Friday 18th – Children In Need