

# RL Roundup

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are well and enjoyed the long weekend and Coronation celebrations. I must start this edition of the newsletter by telling you all how AMAZING our Year 6 pupils are. After a long weekend they have come into school this week focused and ready to give it their all in their SATS. They have been truly amazing! Myself and the teachers have been so impressed by their attitude and how hard they have worked. We are so proud of them all. They have celebrated this afternoon and are all looking forward to the weekend. I am sure you will join me in giving them a very big 'Well Done.' A very big thank you and well done also to all the staff in Year 6 who have worked with tireless dedication throughout the year to support each and every child.



You will see in the newsletter that Year 5 have also been working hard and have been busy this week. We have also had some fantastic sports results that you will be able to see too. As we approach the next half term I would like to remind parents that school closes on Thursday 25th May at 3.30.

I hope you all enjoy the weekend.

Mrs Driver



## KEY DATES

Thursday 18th May - Rec'd  
class assembly @ 3pm

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Thursday 25th May - 3C  
class assembly @ 9am

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Monday 22nd - Wednesday  
24th May year 6  
Robinwood

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Thursday 25th May  
school closes for May  
half term

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Monday 5th June school  
reopens

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Thursday 15th June - 3P  
class assembly @ 9am

## REMINDER - SAFEGUARDING - OPERATION ENCOMPASS

Our school is part of a project that runs in partnership with Bolton Safeguarding Children Partnership and Greater Manchester Police. The project, Bolton Encompass, has been designed to provide early reporting to schools of any domestic abuse incidents that occur outside of school but which might have an impact on a child attending school the following day.

A nominated member of school staff, known as a Key Adult, is appointed to liaise with the police. The school's Key Adult will be able to use information that has been shared, in confidence, to ensure that the school is able to support children and their families.

## Whats going on in year 5

Summer term is quite an exciting one for us here in Year 5!

This week the children have begun their swimming lessons and everything is going swimmingly! From setting off on the coach to arriving back at school, the children are upholding the Red Lane Way and are making the members of staff in Year 5 very proud. The children have also shown lots of the Red Lane core values such as resilience, perseverance and enthusiasm. Each day, more and more children are rising to the challenges presented to them resulting in more and more children swimming confidently without the use of floatation devices.

The children are also thoroughly immersed in their new enrichment groups, where they are gardening and exploring the wildlife around school, acting, exploring how to be more eco friendly and rambling!



## Eco Councils Eco Tip:

'Wildflowers are a vital source of food for insects, including bees and butterflies. Consider scattering seeds in your garden - it will add colour and help improve biodiversity.'



Attendance	Grade indicator
Above 96%	Expected
95 – 95.9%	Average
94 – 94.9%	Below Average
Below 94%	Poor



## Attendance Matters



# Panathlon



At the initial event, children took part in eight different sporting activities and had a guided tour of the University of Bolton Stadium. The Red Lane team were superb, at the end the eight events we finished second and Bolton Wanderers star MJ Williams presented the children with their medals.

Having performed so well, the team were invited back to represent Bolton at the North West Area Finals: schools from Blackpool, Oldham, Warrington and Salford were also in attendance. With one of the youngest mixed age teams, the children yet again performed brilliantly, finishing fifth overall. Medals were presented by Paralympian Nathan Maguire and one of our Year 6 students, Dylan, even had the opportunity to race against him - and Dylan won!



# Football



On Thursday 5th May we participated in the Bolton School's 6 a-side football tournament. With 40 schools taking part, it was a huge event. We were drawn in group F alongside : Devonshire Road, Brownlow Fold, SS Peter and Paul and Markland Hill.

We won all our group games scoring at least 4 in every game and only conceding 1 goal in the 5 matches. The children were amazing. In the knockouts we beat St Johns of Bromley Cross and faced St Andrews OH in the quarters. It was a tough game and their keeper (and the frame of the goal!!) kept the score to 1-1. There was no extra time: it went straight to sudden death penalties which we lost 4-3. The children played brilliantly and represented Red Lane magnificently. A huge well done to them all!



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