



Robert Miles Junior School Newsletter – 23rd June 2023



Dear Parents,


Sports Day really is one of the highlights of the primary school calendar and I hope you all enjoyed the brilliant day we had on Wednesday. It was my first Robert Miles Sports Day and I was very impressed at the scale, organisation and the number of events covered in just two and a half hours. The sun shone and the staff team were all very grateful that we held it on Wednesday rather than the day before which would have been a washout!

Huge thank you to Mrs Moseley who did a superb job organising everything – everything ran so smoothly and this was off the back of a lot of planning and organising led by her.

Lots more happening in school – read further down to hear more about the Roman and Viking Days which have also taken place this week.

Have a great weekend.

Best Wishes



James Evelyn
Headteacher, Robert Miles Junior School

Open Evening

Open Evening is coming up on Wednesday 12th July. Parents are warmly invited in to see their child's work along with an opportunity for informal conversations with their class teacher. No appointment necessary. Open Evening runs from 3.30pm to 5.30pm.

Dates for the Diary

29 th June	Y6 Mayan Day
7 th July	Non-Uniform Day
10 th July	Y6 French Breakfast
10 th July	School Disco
12 th July	Open Evening
14 th July	Barbeque
19 th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly (PM)
21 st July	Last Day of Term

Click [here](#) for 2023/24 Term Dates.

School Attendance

Excellent attendance is vital to success at school. We track attendance closely and celebrate excellent attendance. Our target is for each child to have an attendance figure of at least 95%.

3B	96.8%
3J	95.6%
4CM	97.2%
4G	94.3%
5AR	95.2%
5M	95.2%
6L	94.9%
6M	94.2%
All	95.4%

Congratulations to
Class 4CM for
having the top
attendance this



Robert Miles Junior School BBQ

A reminder that the annual BBQ is coming up on Friday 14th July. Please remember to put your burger/hot dog orders in before 30th June.

Sports Day



Homelessness in Nottingham

This week's Monday assembly focussed on Homelessness. Shortly before half term, Summer (5M) and Daisy-Bo (5AR) went with Mr Evelyn into the city to meet representatives of the homeless charity, Framework and to find out more about the important work they do. After the visit, they created an assembly to share their learning with the rest of the school.

If you see a rough sleeper in the city or across the county, please contact Framework on 0800 066 80800.

Rough Sleeper Figures

Most of the people Framework helps are men aged between 18 and 35. They do help women but there are a significantly fewer women who are rough sleeping?

Did you know, there are 6 homeless men to every 1 homeless woman.

On two occasions they have helped children who have ended up homeless.

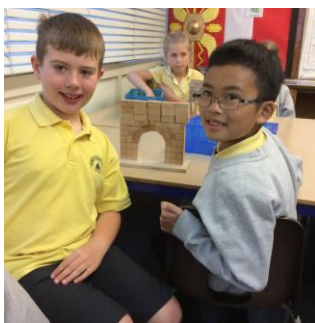
Why do you think people end up homeless?

There are lots of reasons why people end up homeless.

The main ones are:

- Relationships break down
- People are kicked out of home
- People lose their jobs and therefore their income

Year 3 Roman Day



On Tuesday, Year 3 had a fabulous full day of history workshops, learning about the Romans, led by Partake. The children:

- Became engineers by building an arch, tried writing on wax tablets, created a mosaic for the bath house and played Roman games
- Discovered Roman dress, armour and weaponry.
- Learned how to use shields while under attack, in the 'tortoise' formation.
- Handled and investigated extraordinary artefacts and inventions, all with a link to health and hygiene.

Year 4 Viking Day

The Year 4 Viking Day was great fun with the children all arriving at school dressed in character and ready to go on a Viking raid. A big thank you to all the parents who supported the event with their wonderful costume designs.

The children had the opportunity to handle replica artefacts, practise some of the skills a Viking settler needed to survive, plan a Viking settlement and then take part in a drama activity recreating a journey over to England to raid an Anglo-Saxon village. The children were brilliant throughout and have learnt lots about different aspects of Viking life during a very busy day!



We are happy to publicise local events and activities for children in the newsletter particularly ahead of holiday periods. (Please note the school is not endorsing these events as they are run separately.) Any enquiries should be made through the website address shown on the leaflet below.



West Bridgford

Summer Holiday Workshop

5-day performance workshop
31 Jul 2023

Age: 6 - 18
Time: Mon - Fri 10:00 - 16:00 **Performance:** Fri 16:00
Cost: £175 (Sibling £150)
Venue: Rushcliffe School, NG2 7BW
West Bridgford

www.stagecoach.co.uk/westbridgford 0115 981 1415

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CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED

Menu w/c 23rd June

Monday

- Pizza with roast new potatoes.
- Flapjack.

Tuesday

- Chicken fajitas, diced potatoes with salad.
- Jacket potato with choice of fillings.
- Ice cream tubs.

Wednesday

- Spaghetti Bolognese with garlic bread.
- Vanilla muffin.

Thursday

- Nottinghamshire sausage, mash potato, vegetables, Yorkshire pudding and gravy.
- Jelly

Friday

- Fish, potato noisettes and vegetables.
- Jacket potato with choice of fillings.
- Ginger cookie.

Weekly Post

Monday 26th June 2023

- Film club 3.30 - 5.15pm. The film showing this week is the nut job 2 – Nutty by nature. £2 charge for this club. Please pay for this using the School Money app. Soft drink and biscuit provided. No sweets or chocolate please.

Tuesday 27th June 2023

- Handball club 8.15-8.55am. All children have been informed if they are attending.
- Running club 3.30-4.30pm. All children have been informed if they are attending.
- Rounders club 3.30-4.30pm. All children have been informed if they are attending.

Wednesday 28th June 2023

- Honours assembly
- Bible explorers at lunch time.
- Year 6 watching Toot hill performance of 'We will rock you'

Thursday 29th June 2023

- Year 3 swimming. Please ensure you remember your swimming kit and any inhalers required.
- Year 6 Mayan Day.
- Football skills 3.30-4.30pm. Children who have got a place, have been informed.
- Cricket club 3.30-4.30pm. All children have been informed if they are attending.

Friday 30th June 2023

- Girls and Boys football league match at Heymann Primary school. Boys start at 4pm and girls 4.40pm. Everyone welcome to watch.