



The Rookeries
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Rooks News

October 2018

Notices

Parents' Consultation Evenings

Please, if you have not already done so, book an appointment for Tuesday and Wednesday evening if your child is in Reception to Year 5. Year 6 appointments are available throughout the day on Wednesday and Thursday.

Robinwood

Robinwood visit is on the 7th – 9th November.
 The Robinwood parents meeting will be on Wednesday 24th October at 5:30pm.



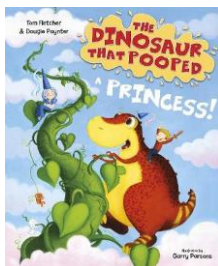
Events at The Rookeries

Tuesday 16th and 17th October - Parents' Consultation evening
Wednesday 17th October - Choices starts
 Thursday 18th October – Year 1 Assembly 9:15am
 Tuesday 23rd October - School Photographs
 Wednesday 24th October - Harvest Festival at 9:15am
 Friday 26th October – school closes for half term

Reading at The Rookeries - Book Recommendations



The Last Chance Hotel
 By Nicki Thornton



The Dinosaur that Pooped - Princess
 By Tom Fletcher and Dougie Pointer

Attendance Matters

Weekly Attendance



Week beginning 1st October

Reception 98.32%
 Year 1 98.10%
 Year 2 98.24%
 Year 3 95.94%
 Year 4 99.31%
 Year 5 94.85%
 Year 6 92.06%



Overall school attendance for the week 94.68%

**Well done Year 4, you had the best
 attendance last week – 99.31%!**

School Target 96%

We have a meeting with the PAT Attendance Officer every week to discuss children whose attendance has dropped below 92%. It is now our procedure to send a letter to inform parents/carers that we are concerned about their child's attendance and invite you into school for an informal meeting to discuss how school can support you in raising attendance.

More events at The Rookeries

CALENDAR 2018/19

NOVEMBER	Monday 5 th	- PROFESSIONAL DAY CLOSURE – staff training
	Tuesday 6 th	- School opens for half term
	Wednesday 7 th – 9 th	- Robinwood, Todmorden Visit
DECEMBER	Thursday 6 th	- Christmas Fair
	Monday 10 th	- EYFS Production – a.m.
	Monday 10 th	- Key Stage 1 Production - p.m.
	Tuesday 11 th	- Key Stage 1 Production - a.m.
	Thursday 13 th	- Key Stage 2 Concert – p.m. and evening
	Friday 21 st	- <i>School closes for Christmas</i>
JANUARY	Monday 7 th	- School opens for Spring term
FEBRUARY	Friday 15 th	- <i>School closes for half term</i>
	Monday 25 th	- <i>School opens</i>
MARCH	Tuesday 5 th	- Parents' Consultation evening
	Wednesday 6 th	- Parents' Consultation evening
APRIL	Friday 5 th	- Easter Bonnet and Egg competition
	Friday 5 th	- <i>School closes for Easter</i>
	Tuesday 23 rd	- <i>School opens for Summer Term</i>
MAY	Thursday 2 nd	- Election Day – Nursery closed
	Monday 6 th	- School closed – May Day Bank Holiday
	13 th – 16 th	- KS2 SATs
	13 th – 24 th	- KS1 SATs
	Friday 24 th	- <i>School closes for half term</i>
JUNE	Monday 3 rd	- <i>School opens</i>
	Mon 10 th – Fri 14 th	- KS1 phonics screening check week
	tbc	- New Intake Parents' Meeting
	tbc	- Sports Day
	tbc	- Summer Fair and BBQ
JULY	Monday 1 st	- PROFESSIONAL DAY CLOSURE – staff training
	Friday 19 th	- School closes for Summer
	Monday 22 nd	- PROFESSIONAL DAY CLOSURE – staff training
	Tuesday 23 rd	- PROFESSIONAL DAY CLOSURE – staff training

The internet is amazing. Children can play, learn, create and connect - opening up a whole world of exciting possibilities. But with the digital world changing all the time, how can you make sure your child's staying safe?

The NSPCC website has some fantastic advice
www.nspcc.org.uk/children-safe/share-aware



Chartwells Menu - Week Commencing Monday 15th October

Monday

Red- Mac and Cheese Macaroni
 Blue- Mild Potato & Chick Pea Curry
 Green- Jacket
 Purple- Sandwiches



Tuesday

Red- Turkey Burger with Jacket Wedges
 Blue- Creamy Broccoli & Sweetcorn Pasta
 Green- Jacket
 Purple- Sandwiches

Wednesday

Red- Roast Turkey Dinner
 Blue- Sweet Potato & Chickpea Roast
 Green- Jacket
 Purple- Sandwiches



Thursday

Red- BBQ Chicken with Rice
 Blue- Vegetable & Cream Cheese Crumble
 Green- Jacket
 Purple- Sandwiches

Friday

Red- Crispy Fish & Chips
 Blue- Quorn Dippers
 Green- Jacket
 Purple- Sandwiches

