



The Rookeries
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Rooks News

October 2018

Notices

Robinwood

Robinwood visit is on the 7th – 9th November.

The Robinwood parents meeting will be on Wednesday 24th October at 5:30pm.

Year 1 Assembly



The Year 1 class celebrated the beautiful work they have completed at home and school and then confidently acted out their favourite story – Elmer.

School Council Meeting

The School Council had their first official meeting on Wednesday. Mrs Smith was so impressed by the responses given by the new councillors and is looking forward to working with them this year.



Events at The Rookeries

Tuesday 23rd October - School Photographs

Wednesday 24th October - Harvest Festival at 9:15am

Wednesday 24th October at 5:30pm Robinwood Parents Meeting

Friday 26th October – school closes for half term

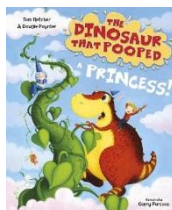
Tuesday 6th November - School reopens

Tuesday 13th November - Year 5 and 6 visit to Temple Newsam

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 8th October

Reception 99.39%

Year 1 93.57%

Year 2 90.29%

Year 3 96.88%

Year 4 94.66%

Year 5 93.01%

Year 6 98.82%



Overall school attendance for the week 95.17%

Well done Year Reception, you had the best

attendance last week – 99.39%!

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	- School closes for Christmas
JANUARY	Monday 7 th	- School opens for Spring term
FEBRUARY	Friday 15 th	- School closes for half term
	Monday 25 th	- School opens
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	- School closes for Easter
	Tuesday 23 rd	- School opens for Summer Term
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	- School closes for half term
JUNE	Monday 3 rd	- School opens
	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 22nd October

Monday

Red- Mozzarella and Tomato Pizza

Blue- Vegetable Biryani

Green- Jacket

Purple- Sandwiches

Tuesday

Red- Pork sausage

Blue- Vegetable Sausage

Green- Jacket

Purple- Sandwiches

Wednesday

Red- Roast Chicken

Blue- Cauliflower and Broccoli Bake

Green- Jacket

Purple- Sandwiches

Thursday

Red- Chicken and Tomato Lasagne

Blue- Vegetarian Tagine with Rice

Green- Jacket

Purple- Sandwiches

Friday

Red- Golden Fish Fingers

Blue- Quorn Burger and Chips

Green- Jacket

Purple- Sandwiches

