

Roseburn Weekly

Head Teacher update from Natalie Borrowman.

Week beginning 25 February 2019



Model United Nations (MUN) Event

Thank you to all the p7 children who volunteered to take part in the MUN. To support their selection, they debated the pros and cons of 'mobile phones in school', in our outdoor classroom. It was very difficult decision, they argued their points well. Fraser, Mark, Matthew, Mia, Sarah, Suvi, Katie and Tharun were chosen, with Liam and Lei Lei as reserves.



MUN is an activity that simulates the proceedings of the United Nations. Delegates will represent another country's views, choose a topic area that they care about, engage in research and work with others, to come to a solution, aimed at solving a current problem. The topic to be discussed on the day is single use plastics.

The children will have the opportunity to present the resolution to their Committees and attempt to convince these bodies to adopt the resolutions.

Maths Market Place



Thank you so much to the parents who made some time to pop in to our Maths Market Place. The children enjoyed sharing their strategies and



approaches to support their multiplication and division.



Successes and Achievements

Well done to Leo, who won a medal in a gymnastics competition.

Congratulations to Anish. He entered the 'Primary Times' magazine's kids corner drawings and his drawing won. It has been published in the magazine. You can find his drawing in the February 2019 Primary times issue.



Please share any successes and achievements emailing information and a photo to admin@roseburn.edin.sch.uk Keep up to date by checking our website

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Parent and Carer Survey

Next week the p3-p7 children will complete the Pupil Wellbeing survey. This is completed every two years in all Edinburgh schools. The results are collated and available to us. We use this information to support school self evaluation and improvement planning.

Please take some time - about ten minutes to complete the Parent and Carer Survey. This will gather your views and inform our next steps. School staff will also complete a survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YFTTEV3>

Mental Health and Wellbeing Conference



The Pupil Council were part of a Mental Health and Wellbeing Consultation- to gather the views of young people, in order to create a Top Tips for Parents and Carers. To promote the completed leaflets the Pupil Council made a video to share the 15 Top Tips. The children were very good, as you will see. The leaflets will be shared soon, there is also a display in school sharing the Top Tips. You can see the video here.

<https://videopress.com/v/zWU47IKC>

World Book Day



Do you have a 'pre loved' book at home? If so please send it in with your child for our 'Ditch and Switch' a book stall on WBD. We are also planning a 'breakfast read' in the morning and are hoping for donations from some shops.

Hot Chocolate Friday



This week the children who were above and beyond and role modelled our Roseburn Values were, Archie p1, Coral p7, Katie p7, Dillan p7, and Tharun p7, they joined me for Hot Chocolate Friday. I very much enjoyed their chat- they even got heart shaped marshmallows.



Shout Outs

'Shout Outs' this week were awarded to: Max K p5F, Grace p4, Stuart p6, Aroon, Aanish,

Josh p7B, Jamie p7B, Gene, Cameron, and Michael p5M. . Well done!

Stars of the Week



The Pupil Council helped to design the Stars of the Week Certificates. They will be used from next week. A child from each class who demonstrates the values and responsibilities of Confident Individuals, Successful Learners, Responsible Citizens and Effective Contributors will be awarded a certificate. The children will be photographed, and these will be displayed in the film strip frames in school. Look out for the Stars of the Week coming home.

Citizenship Week Challenge: Scots Assembly

We had a richt braw assembly. Oor bairns wur richt guid. I was very pleased indeed- wonderful reciting, and a sea of tartan! Well done everyone. We sang Three Crows, A Red Yoyo and The Jeely Peece song. Our class winners were p1 Emma, p1/2 Logan, p2 Jax, p3 , Freya p3/4, Rory p3 Samuel p4, Robin p 5 Daisy p5, Harris p6, Lucy p7 and Tharun p7. Well done! The children will be presented with a small 'prize' and their certificate at assembly on Monday.

Nursery News

The weather was so lovely this week the children thought it was summer. They thoroughly enjoyed their play in the garden. They painted, planted and watered daffodils. They also enjoyed drawing hearts and writing numbers, with coloured chalks on the ground they have ben building different types of robots built with junk. At the shops this morning they picked carrots, strawberries, blueberries, oranges, apples, cheese, crackers, rice cakes and a mop head- for snack next week. I wonder what they will do with the mop head?.

Diary Dates

Monday 4 March: Learning Journey Jotters, Euro Quiz

Thursday 7 March: World Book Day.

Wednesday 20 , Friday 22 March: Parent Consultations.

Monday 25 March: MUM at City Chambers