



Rolph C of E Primary School and Nursery Family Newsletter



Friday 12th November 2021

Dates for your Diary

Friday 3rd December

Thorpe Festival

Tuesday 7th (AM) & Thursday 9th December (PM)

EYFS/KS1 Nativity

Friday 10th December

Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 13th December

Nursery—Christmas Party

Reception—Year 6 Trip to the Pantomime

Tuesday 14th December

Christmas Dinner Day

Thursday 16th December

KS2 Carol Service at St Michaels 6pm

Friday 17th December

Last Day of Term

Wednesday 5th January

Children return to school

W/C 22nd November Dinner Menu Week 2

Marvellous Me Badges

Reception—139

Year 1 – 3

Year 2—111

Year 3 – 58

Year 4 – 22

Year 5—18

Year 6 – 27

Well done to Reception for earning the most badges this week.

Dear Parents and Carers,

This half term is whizzing by and rehearsals have begun for our EYFS & KS1 Nativity. All children should have received letters giving details about their parts in the performance, costumes and tickets. We are also delighted to share with you that the performance on Thursday 9th December will be professionally recorded by Magic Productions and parents/carers will be able to order videos of this performance to enjoy for years to come!

It was lovely to see the children supporting BBC Children in Need today and looking spectacular in their spots to support this appeal. Thank you to everyone that brought in a donation and took part.

We are looking forward to the RSA disco this afternoon as it has been such a long time since the children were able to enjoy a school disco. I look forward to seeing the children (and adults) busting some shapes on the dancefloor later!

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Jones

Thorpe Festival

Friday 3rd December 2021

Come and join us from 6.30pm

Carols sung by the children at Rolph Church of England Primary School and Nursery
Father Christmas in his sleigh delivering presents along the high street

Plus

A range of stalls inside St Michael's Church, Rolph School, The Crown and Thorpe Baptist Church and plenty more outside in the village for you to enjoy, from a range of local businesses.

Hot food and drinks available

Face-painting

Tendring Brass Band

Gingerbread decorating

Christmas gifts and crafts

Book stall

Children's rides

AND MUCH MORE!

All ending with a spectacular

fireworks display at 8.15pm

Public parking available at TTC and Nanny Jo's

Admissions—Reception 2022

Admission applications for children starting school in September 2022, opened on Monday 8th November.

If you have a child starting school or know someone who does, please direct them to the school office to

make an appointment for a personalised tour. At Rolph we are so proud of our school that every day is an open day and therefore we are happy to show around prospective parents at a time that suits them.

Applications should then be made via Essex County Council at <https://www.essex.gov.uk/apply-for-a-primary-school-place>.

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Street Tag

Wow, another great week for Street Tag. Welcome if you have just joined us and thank you for helping us keep second spot. Together we have earned over a million points and are closing in on first place. Although you are all putting in a great effort, no one has managed to top-ple Mrs Sweeney from first place!

Over the next few days you may receive a message on Marvellous Me with a PE code to earn some extra points. To activate this, please go to the playground tab and click on PE code. If you are actively taking part and do not receive one, please speak to the school office as it could mean we could not identify you from your tag name.

Have a good week and remember, the more active you are the more money we can hopefully raise for our school and children.



RSA News

Christmas Raffle—Keep a look out, the tickets will be coming home on Monday 22nd November! This will be our biggest Christmas raffle so far, we have received so many amazing vouchers and prizes from parents and local businesses plus the fantastic hampers that have been made up from the non-uniform day donations. You have to be in it to win it!

Thorpe Christmas Festival Evening - Friday 3rd December—The RSA will be at the festival with a games and sweet stall at the front of the school. We look forward to seeing all of you there.

Fundraising—Please continue to use the links below when purchasing everyday items to help raise funds for the RSA:

<https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1105878-0>

and

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=19601>

Rolph Recyclers—SAVE YOUR CRISP PACKETS – RECYCLE & EARN POINTS FOR ROPLH. A wheelie bin has been placed at the front of the school, just inside the wall by the pedestrian gate. Could all parents please save their empty crisp nut and popcorn packets and place them in the wheelie bin. Please make sure the packets are completely empty and flattened before placing them in the bin, it is a good idea to store them in the multi-pack outer bags for convenience, twice the recycling!

Celebration Certificates

Congratulations to the following children who received certificates this week for demonstrating excellence in the curriculum or our school values.

Nursery

Ameera and Harry

Reception

Grayson and Daniel

Year 1

Ezmae and Charlie

Year 2

Annabelle and Frederick

Year 3

Amr and Hector

Year 4

Billy and Phoebe

Year 5

Marcus and Aileah

Year 6

Lewis and Joe



Children In Need

Thank you to everyone who donated to support BBC Children in Need. We raised a grand total of £206.75.



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