



Rosewell Primary School Friday Feedback 9 February 2018

Nursery News

1. This week we have been looking at colour in our environment, we have been mixing our own colours and using colour to create and continue patterns.
2. We explored simple symmetry by making butterfly pictures.
3. We have been lucky enough to have 3 'magical' visitors this week Juno, Venus and Octavia. We have created a fairy garden for them and have been enjoying the stories of fairy tales.
4. We visited the library and collected books to read back in the library.
5. Our gym session focused on throwing and catching.

First Minister's Reading Challenge – Certificates awarded this week :

For reading 25 texts – Isaac P1/2 , Matthew and Sophie P2/3 , Lucy V P3/4

For reading 75 texts – Adam P3/4

ParentPay

You should have all received the information on ParentPay and how to sign up for this. Catherine and Una are working hard to set up the system for the launch on the 19th of February. If you have any queries , and they are not on the FAQ sheet, then please do check the ParentPay website as there is support available through that.

Pupil Parliament

We held a whole school Pupil Parliament on Thursday and it was good to see pupil voice being used in such a positive way for the good of the school. The children were encouraged to be solution focused and think creatively to solve problems . Topics discussed were longer breaks, outdoor classroom, golden time , a school pet and a healthy tuck shop. Thank you to our young Ambassador , Neve in P7 , who took the minutes for the whole meeting and typed them up as we went along .

Parent Council

Natalie Gibb from Barnardos was unfortunately unable to attend the Parent Council meeting on Tuesday. She sends her apologies and is available to come along to the next meeting on the 25th April.

On another note , I have heard from Lesley Robertson and Amanda Tait that they are both intending to 'step down' from their duties on the Parent Council at the end of this session. Both Amanda and Lesley carry out an amazing job and are responsible for a variety of events in school including much needed fundraising . The school would not be in the position it is in without the work of the Parent Council. The AGM is coming up in June and I would urge you to consider becoming an active part of the school community. We would be delighted to welcome new members. On a personal note, I have valued the support of Lesley and Amanda since my arrival last April and they will be a huge loss.

School Choir

Thank you to everyone who turned up for school choir on Wednesday . There are still places available if anyone would like to come along. The more , the merrier!

Dates	Week beginning 12th February 2018
Monday	P3/4 school trip to Hirsell Estate We welcome a new P2/3 pupil to the school
Tuesday	P7 Leavers Parents' Meeting 6-7pm
Wednesday	
Thursday	Inservice Day – Staff ONLY (NO pupils)
Friday	Holiday – pupils and staff