

# Reinwood I&N Spring Newsletter



Many Thanks for your kind donations on Red Nose Day a total of **£293.46** was raised for the charity.



**The SCIENCE learning morning organised by Mrs Born for the whole school proved very popular amongst children, staff and parents. Many thanks to all who were able to attend.**

## World Book Day



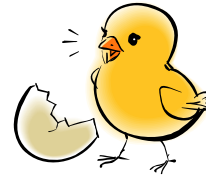
Children and staff celebrated World book day again by coming to school dressed in their pyjamas with their favourite bedtime story. Children spent the day enjoying activities centred upon a variety of stories. Some of the junior children came downstairs and read stories to the infants. We also held a special book day assembly where Mrs Butler shared some of her favourite stories.

## Performances

Hand to Mouth Puppets came to perform for the children in assembly this term. The theme for their performance was 'Making good choices'.



Children really enjoyed the performance of 'Alice in Wonderland' by a visiting theatre company in February.



Just to remind you that the Easter concert for Reception and KS1 classes is on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April in the school hall at 9.15am and 2.30pm. For safety reasons tickets are limited for these performances.



There will be a café in the junior dining room following the morning performance only. Please send any donations of cakes and biscuits to the office from the morning of the 1<sup>st</sup> – thank you.



## Easter Bonnet Competition

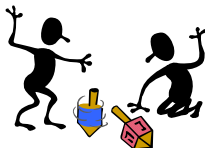
As is tradition we will also be holding an Easter bonnet/ Egg competition on the 1<sup>st</sup> April there will be a prize for each class for the most original designs!

## Easter Egg Bingo



Don't forget to get your Easter Egg Bingo tickets from the office for an evening of fun and chocolate! **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 6-8pm.** All the family are welcome.

### Extra Curricular activities



School Clubs will begin again the second week back after the holidays. Please check what day & time they will be held. If you have not yet returned your request form then please see Mrs Edge as soon as possible as there may be still a few places left. The clubs are part of our enrichment programme and an excellent opportunity for children to learn new skills, meet new friends and above all have lots of fun!

### ICT Morning



Thanks to all who were able to attend our recent ICT morning. Mrs E Butler shared some of our new ICT resources with parents and talked about E-Safety. Please call to see Mrs Butler (Class 7) if you missed receiving a copy of the E-Safety leaflet and would like any advice on how to keep your children safe whilst using the internet.

### Attendance

Attendance is currently 94%. I am confident, that with your continued support, this will improve again next term. We are aiming for 96.5%

**Please can I urge you to consider carefully when planning summer holidays and avoid booking during term-time.**

### REMINDERS FROM THE OFFICE



Please let Mrs Barrett know **before next Friday** if you would like to make a change to lunch requirements

### Fantastic Fridays

If your child currently has a packed lunch but would like to have a school dinner each Friday please let Mrs Barrett know before Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April at the latest.



All blue milk envelopes should already have been returned to the school office. The milk has to be ordered next week for next half term. Please return any outstanding envelopes – with either £7.50 enclosed, or stating ‘free’ or ‘not required’ - Thank you.



### School Trips

A big THANK YOU to all who have returned permission slips and contributions. If you are using the savings scheme, please ensure you make regular payments. The office can tell you your balance at any stage

### Events for next half term

#### SUMMER TERM

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April-School Opens**

**w/c 20<sup>th</sup> April-Outdoor Week** (Outdoor Morning 22<sup>nd</sup> April\*)

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April-Parents Evening**

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April-Parents Evening**

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May -School Closed for May Day Bank Holiday**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May-Sports Day EYFS –9.30am / KS1 –1.30pm\***

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May-School Closes for Half Term**

Finally school closes on **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April** and reopens on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April**, on behalf of all the staff at Reinwood I would like to wish you all a very Happy & Peaceful Easter.

