



NEWSLETTER

Friday 8th November 2019

Dear Parents/ carers,

Welcome back to Term 2. I hope you all enjoyed the break.

On our return, the Friends put on a spectacular fireworks evening. Thank you to everyone involved in this event which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

It was great to welcome so many of you to parents' evening on Wednesday. We hope that you found your meeting informative and you have a good understanding of your child's achievement and progress. There are further appointments next week. Please contact the school office if you are yet to sign up for an appointment. For those children with SEND, separate meetings are being arranged.

Open Mornings

We are holding our open mornings on Wednesday 13th and Wednesday 27th November, 9:30 – 11:30. Please spread the word!

Children In Need

The School Council have chosen to support Children in Need on Friday 15th November. They have asked that everyone comes to school dressed in colourful clothes for a suggested £2 donation.

School Photographer

The school photographer will now be visiting us on Wednesday 13th November to photograph individual pupils and siblings. Please remember your hairbrushes!

Head Lice

We are having a recurring issue with these little visitors. Please check your child's hair and treat and re-treat as necessary.

Lifting Our Learning



No short cuts! If you really want to be good at something – Resilience

It's not something everyone wants to hear but it's true that learning takes **hard work!**

Think of someone who is really good at something – how do you think they became so good? It's all about practising.

Successful people don't try to avoid work and they don't make fun of working hard. Successful people know that hard work leads to success.

Have you got a good attitude to work? Do you expect everything to be easy? Do you try to avoid working hard?

When we work hard and are successful we often find learning new things fun. We also feel good about ourselves.

Can you think of a time when you have worked hard and been proud of yourself?



Well Done Charlie!

Congratulations to Charlie who recently competed at Gloucester Dance Festival. She completed in 3 solos: in her 1st ballet performance, she achieved 80; in her 2nd lyrical performance, she achieved 3rd Place and a bronze medal with 81 points; and in her character dance, she was placed 1st achieving a gold medal!

It was a challenging day for her with all dances in the morning so a lot of concentration was required. Well done Charlie for doing so brilliantly!



Congratulations Lottie!

Lottie has just found out that she has been selected on to the British Gymnastics Tumbling Team.

This is a super achievement, very well done Lottie! We can't wait to hear about you forthcoming competitions.

Menu for next week

	A	B	C
Monday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Quorn Sausage with potato wedges	Jacket potato with Beans
Tuesday	Sausages with Mash & Gravy	Five Bean Chilli with rice	Tomato soup with baguette
Wednesday	Roast Chicken with roast potatoes and gravy	Mixed vegetable roast with roast potatoes and gravy	Jacket potato with tuna
Thursday	Chicken pasta bake	Vegetable cottage pie with gravy	Vegetable soup with baguette
Friday	Fish fingers and chips	Spinach and tomato quiche with chips	Jacket potato with cheese



Fantastic Fireworks!!

The Friends would like to thank everyone who stayed after school on Tuesday to support The Friends' fireworks, hot chocolate and cookies event. We hope you all enjoyed it.

Huge thanks must also go to Philly Herbert and Wendy Taylor for organising and coordinating the fireworks display which was brilliant! Thank you ladies!

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Pupils' Christmas Cards

Once again, our thanks go to Rachel Brennen who has spent time with every pupil in the school for them to create their own personalised Christmas Card. She even managed to get the card designs to the company before the half term break which means The Friends receives an additional 2.5% back from the card company. Thank you Rachel.

As soon as the card samples are delivered into school, your child's card will be sent home in their book bag with details of how to order them. Please make sure you order them before the deadline which will be on the order details.

The Rodmarton School Mug

Back by popular demand, the Rodmarton School mug has once again been designed and made by local designer Jo Edwards.

Each mug is presented in its own cardboard box making it a smart present for someone you love this Christmas.

Similar in shape to Emma Bridgewater mugs, which sell for around £20 each, the Rodmarton School mug is priced at just £10.00 and they are available now from Penny Norrie (07890 023594).

Payment for mugs can be made directly into The Friends of Rodmarton School bank account. Please use **'Xmas Mugs'** as the reference.

Details are:

Name: Lloyds Bank

Account: 01666558

Sort Code: 30-92-06



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CHRISTMAS CRAFT WEEK: Rodmarton Christmas Fair and Lantern Parade(Sat 30th Nov)

During the week commencing Monday 25th November, Rachel Brennen will be working with the children to create crafts, many of which will be sold at the Rodmarton Christmas Fair on Saturday 30th November.

Parents are also invited into school to help during Craft Week. If you would like to help please contact Bryher Grimes on 07785 542185.

At the end of the Christmas Fair (5pm) there will be a lantern procession to the village green to watch the lighting of the Christmas Tree. We have a limited number of lanterns for sale for £2 each. Please contact Lisa Peill on 07901 543269 if you would like to buy one and she will organise for your lantern to be available for collection at the Fair.

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