



FEDERATION NEWS



Friday 6th January 2017

Federation Headteacher: Ms Mandy Stewart

Head of School/Deputy Head: Mr Mike Walton and Mrs Carol Wallis

Message from the Headteacher



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to Term 3, I hope you all had an enjoyable holiday and time to relax and spend time together with your families.

We have begun the term with some exciting learning opportunities already and are looking forward to many more to come over the next few weeks.

Menu Change across the Federation

The meals on the 19th and 20th January will swap. Fish Goujons and Veggie Burger in a bun is now on Thursday 19th and Chinese Noodles and Macaroni cheese will now be on Friday 20th.

E-safety Workshop for Parents – Last chance to sign up

Wednesday 11 January 2017 at either 9.15-12.15 or 5.00-8.00pm.

We understand that technology and social media is developing at a fast and furious pace. It is hard for parents to keep up to date with these changes and we want to help you keep your child or children safe. I strongly recommend this course to you all, whatever your child's age.



Please contact me via e mail staffordsenco@roselands-stafford.org if you are interested. You can also contact me on 01323 733434. Mrs Bateman

Arriving to school on time.

Just a reminder Children attending Stafford should be in their class by 8:35 a.m. and those attending Roselands should be in class by 8:40 a.m. If you have any concerns that you feel may be affecting your child's attendance or behaviour whilst at school, please keep us informed.

Lunch Bands at Roselands

Do you have any lunch bands at home? Sometimes the children forget to take them off and they may have come home in pockets. Can you return any please as we are running low?

Book Bags and Water Bottles

We have noticed that some of the children's water bottles leak when they are put into bookbags. Can we ask that water bottles are carried separately as books, reading records and letters get very soggy when this happens! Thank you.

After School Clubs

Clubs at Roselands and Stafford start next week. Please speak to Mrs Springett at Roselands and Mrs Reed at Stafford if you need confirmation on any of these.

Warm Clothes

Winter is definitely here! Please can you make sure that the children have warm coats, gloves and hats for playtimes. They will also need their warm clothes for outdoor PE sessions.

Team Winners

Red Team were the winners at Roselands and have chosen to go to the park as their reward. At Stafford, it was Blue team who triumphed and they enjoyed a session on the playground playing with the playtime and PE equipment.

Foundation Stage Parents

We have logged you on to Tapestry so you will have been sent an activation e-mail. This may have gone into your junk box so check that as well. You will be able view your child's observations and you are able to comment on these so please do. If you have any problems, see your class teacher.

Our new topic is 'Here comes the Bears'. Please can your child bring in a teddy bear from home? Thank you



Year 2 Space

Roselands were greeted by astronauts on our first day of term when Year 2 launched their new topic on space! The children worked very hard over the holiday to produce imaginative, detailed and accurate astronaut costumes and we were blown away by how amazing everyone looked! Children enjoyed sharing their costumes and accessories and they learnt about the famous Neil Armstrong and how he followed his dream to be the first man to walk on the moon. Year 2 are looking forward to learning more about space this term!



Year 1 Polar Explorers

On Wednesday, Ms Fowle came to talk to Year 1 about her experience in Antarctica. She showed the children her warm coat and her special boots and shared her photographs from her adventures. The children had written some super questions to ask Ms Fowle as a letter had arrived from a famous explorer! They wanted to know how the penguins survive and we all found out that the lowest temperature it gets to in Antarctica is -89 degrees.








Have a lovely weekend – See you all on Monday.

ROSELANDS SUCCESS

Congratulations to all the children who received awards this week. We are all proud of your achievements and success.

Keep it up! 😊

	Golden Book 	Star of the week 	Golden Table 	Cloakroom 	Reading Raffle Winners 
Whales		James B	Beowulf	Well done!	
Dolphins		Theo	Sophie		Kaitlin
Sealions		Jayda	Harry		
Flamingos		Hugo	Dillon		
Parrots		Branden	Tilly	Well done!	Bella
Penguins	Leon	Joseph	Maria		
Panthers	Phoebe	Sophie	Evie		
Tigers	Taeya	Jamie	Dylan		Annabel
Leopards	Isabelle	Alberto	Logan	Well done!	

Birthday Assembly Rota



Here is the rota for your class Birthday Assembly for Term 3 2017. Every third week at Roselands, your child's class will celebrate any Birthdays celebrated during this time. Parents are welcome to join their child's class to celebrate too. Children can bring a few of their Birthday cards to share and have the opportunity to tell the class about their presents and how they celebrated their special day. 😊 The Birthday assembly for your class will start at 9:00 am. Please sign in at the office and the class TA will walk you to the classroom. If your child has a Birthday in one of the holidays, you are welcome to join us on the first Birthday assembly for your class. The children enjoy these assemblies, sharing and listening to their friends. If you would like any further information, please speak to your class teacher. Thank you.

11 th January	Dolphins	Flamingos	Leopards
18 th January	Whales	Parrots	Tigers
25 th January	Sealions	Penguins	Panthers
1 st February	Dolphins	Flamingos	Leopards
8 th February	Whales	Parrots	Tigers

Team Points – Well done Green Team!

89

93

124

83

Attendance Challenge

The class with the best attendance for the week beginning 19th December was Parrots and Penguins with **100%** Well done!

Pen Licence

Well done to Maja in Panthers for being the first pupil to earn a Pen Licence!

STAFFORD SUCCESS

Celebration Assembly

There wasn't a Celebration Assembly at Stafford today. The first Celebration Assembly of 2017 will take place next Friday 13th January.

Attendance Challenge

The class with the best attendance for the week beginning 19th December was 5 Sycamore with **97.8 %** Well done!

DIARY DATES

Diary Dates – Blue dates are Roselands / Red dates are Stafford

Monday 9th January 3:30pm – RSE Parent Meeting to watch videos

Tuesday 10th January 9:00am – RSE Parent Meeting to watch videos

Wednesday 11th January 2017 9.15-12.15 or 5.00-8.00pm – e-Safety Workshop for Parents at Stafford

Wednesday 18th January 2017 5:30pm – Year 6 SATs Parent Information Meeting

Thursday 19th January – Year 6 Local Study Visit