

Rockliffe Manor News

Friday 10th June 2022



The first week back after half term has been a busy one with lots of opportunities for the children to enjoy outdoor spaces as the sun is shining. Some Year 4 children this week loved joining their Woodhill peers to play a spot of cricket. The children had the opportunity to show off their cricket skills learnt this year and had great fun doing so and meeting new friends.

On Monday, red, white, blue and smiles filled the playground as we celebrated the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. This historic event marked 70 years of Queen Elizabeth II on the throne and the children loved

learning some facts about her reign. They also enjoyed a 'street party' on the playground and it was lovely to see the whole school celebrating together, doing fun activities, decorating biscuits, singing and eating cake. Please see our photos page later on in the newsletter and don't forget to check our Twitter page [@rockliffemanor](https://twitter.com/rockliffemanor) for lots more.

We hope the sunshine will continue into this weekend as Rockliffe Manor will be at Plumstead Make Merry on Saturday! Rockliffe Manor children will be singing at 12pm on the stage and we will have a craft stall. We hope that lots of families will come along!

This week, Year 3 have been linking their multiplication skills further across maths, when learning to tell the time. They have been very resilient in applying their times tables knowledge to help them tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes. Miss Basi also challenged them to tell the time as much as possible to help the class stay on schedule!

Year 3 and 4 did an exciting shared PE lesson this week. The Year 4 children did some multiplication coaching using star jumps, and the Year 3 children were leading groups of Year 4s to complete a self-led warm up!

"Telling the time on an analogue clock has been a big learning challenge for me this year, but I went home and did as much practise as possible" Liya

"I enjoyed doing the self-led warm up my group because I could use my leadership skills" Taye



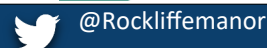
Year 6 are preparing for those end of year celebrations, transitions to secondary school and thinking about their end of year reports. This was the first time they have collated their ideas collectively through using Google Jamboard, this was brilliant as it meant all children could generate ideas on the same board at the same time; saving paper and each child then was able to refer to it when they typed up their end of year reflections on Google docs. They also got the opportunity to visit Plumstead Gardens this week and celebrate their clay sculptures that have become a permanent feature in this beautiful public space. There has also been a very helpful workshop from CAHMS which has helped prepare the children for their transition into secondary school.

Auditions for Matilda – their end of year performance – have now taken place and, as a truly enriching activity, they have the privilege to go and watch the West End musical of Matilda!

"I liked writing our thoughts on Jamboard because we could all do it at the same time on our Chrome-books, so if I got stuck for an idea, I could magpie someone else's." Rayan

"The transition workshop was really good because it taught me some things that I can do to feel less anxious when I go to secondary school." Cohen

"I'm really looking forward to seeing Matilda next week because I love the book and I love big musicals." Harsimar



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The Nursery class have enjoyed their first week back, welcoming a new friend in their class. They have been reflecting on the year and remembering all the fun activities they have done together. The children looked at pictures to help them remember. 'I liked building a campervan', said Freya. 'I liked seeing the chicks, they were all yellow and fluffy!' said Ethan. 'I liked riding the bikes outside and I like riding my bike at home,' said Kairo. 'I liked making cakes in the mud kitchen,' said Ellee.

In maths, the children recapped their knowledge of shapes. They cut out 2D shape jewels to make jubilee crowns and played Guess the Shape, identifying 3D shapes under a blanket. Emile won the game, remembering 'cylinder!' The children enjoyed showing their new friend the Nursery garden and used water and brushes to write their names and repaint it!



Finally, don't forget that we will be holding a Father's day stall on Thursday 16th and Friday 17th June. Children will have the chance to purchase a little something special for their loved ones. This can be for any male relative that they would like to celebrate on this day. Gifts will range from 50p—£2 so please send children to school with money on this days if you would like them to take part.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend ahead

From Mrs Vdovin, Mrs Cook and the Rockliffe Manor team

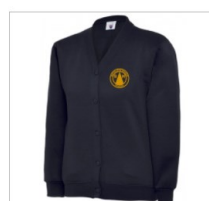
We are pleased to advise that all Rockliffe Manor branded school uniform is now exclusively available to purchase at JK Clothing.

You can visit them in store at 14 Wellington Parade, Sidcup, DA15 9NB

Or by visiting our dedicated page on their website:



<https://www.jkclothing.net/product-category/schools/blackfen-store/rockliffe/>



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Attendance This Week	
Reception	93.5%
Year 1	90.0%
Year 2	91.8%
Year 3	83.5%
Year 4	93.9%
Year 5	92.6%
Year 6	88.8%
Whole School	90.4%

Merits

Reception	Samuel
Year 1	Akoma
Year 2	Benjamin
Year 3	Julie
Year 4	Charlie R
Year 5	Joseph
Year 6	Sarah

We are eagerly awaiting the Plumstead Make Merry festival tomorrow at Plumstead Common.

The choir are performing at 12noon and we have invited all children from years 1 to 6 to join the choir on stage if they wish to sing along too. Please may we ask that children wear their school uniform for this performance. We will be meeting at 11.45am near the stage to prepare.

Don't forget to also stop by the Rockliffe Manor School Stall where we will be doing some fun arts and crafts.

It looking likely to be a sunny day— so don't forget to wear your sunscreen and bring lots of water with you.



Happy Birthday to:

*until 17th June 2022

Emily	Year 2
Chloe	Year 5
Ivanna	Year 5
Ezra	Year 6
Ikechukwu	Reception
Ikenna	Reception



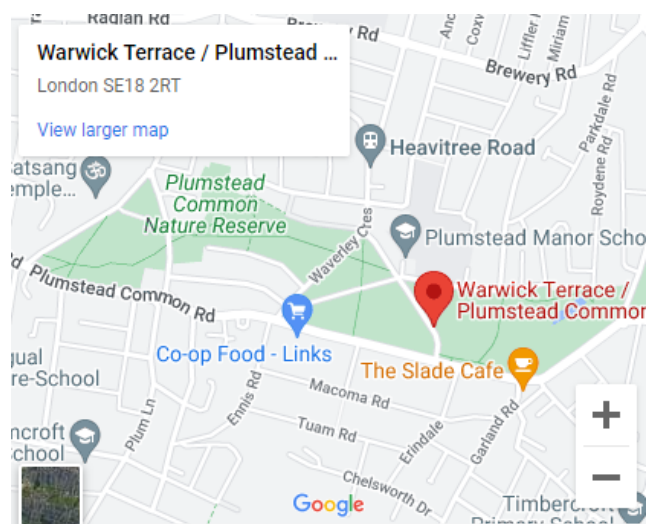
Dates for your diary

- Saturday 11th June 2022—Plumstead Make Merry
- Thursday 16th June 2022—Fathers Day Stall
- Friday 17th June 2022—Fathers Day Stall
- Friday 24th June 2022 - INSET Day
- Saturday 2nd July 2022—Summer Fair 11—2pm
- Monday 4th July—Friday 8th July 2022 School Journey
- Wednesday 13th July 2022—Sports Day



Plumstead Make Merry

Community festival based in Plumstead, London, UK.



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Donations needed can you help??

As you will see from our flyer we are excitedly preparing for our Rockliffe Manor Summer Fair on Saturday 2nd July.

Please may we ask for donations of:

- Empty Food Tins - (wash, take off labels).
- Outgrown Uniform - shoes, jumpers, cardigans, dresses, trousers, skirts etc. (Washed)
- Raffle prize donations for Summer Fete.
- Plants & seedlings for School Plant stall.

We will set up a donation point at school gates on Mondays and Tuesdays until 21st June.

Thank you in advance for everything you can donate.



A flyer for the Rockliffe Manor Summer Fair. At the top, there are two strings of colorful triangular bunting in shades of red, yellow, blue, and green. Below the bunting, the words "Summer Fair" are written in a large, light blue, rounded font. A horizontal line of small black diamonds separates the title from the date. The date "Saturday 2nd July 2022" is written in a bold, dark blue font. Below the date, the location "Rockliffe Manor School - SE18 2NP" is written in a bold, dark blue font. Another horizontal line of small black diamonds follows. The entry information "50p ENTRY: 11am - 2pm" is written in a bold, dark blue font. Below this, a grid of activities is listed in various colors: "Stalls" (black), "Games for All" (green), "Raffle" (red), "Competitions" (blue), "Plants" (green), "Crafts" (green), "Renew-uniform sales" (purple), and "Tombola" (purple). At the bottom left, there is a drawing of a hand with fingers spread, with the text "FRIENDS OF ROCKLIFFE" written on the palm. To the right of the hand, the text "Delicious homemade refreshments and more!" is written in a dark blue font. Below this, it says "All proceeds go directly to School." At the bottom right, there is a circular logo for Rockliffe Manor School, featuring a yellow triangle with the letters "R" and "M" inside, and the words "ROCKLIFFE MANOR SCHOOL" around the border. Below the logo, the text "ROCKLIFFE MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL" is written in a dark blue font.

Summer Fair

Saturday 2nd July 2022

Rockliffe Manor School - SE18 2NP

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Stalls Games for All Raffle
Competitions Plants Crafts
Renew-uniform sales Tombola

Delicious homemade refreshments and more!

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ROCKLIFFE MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL



You may have noticed something a bit special about our website if you have visited it today..... We are very excited to announce that we have relaunched a fabulous new look and feel.

You will find all the usual wonderful information as usual, such as local community information under the "About Us" tab, curriculum information for each subject, help with supporting your child with behavior under our "Safeguarding" tab and we are delighted to have expanded our Parent and Carer section to include so much more useful information including a new "Helping your child" section.

Breakfast	Children's sleep times	Family Time
Healthy Eating	Helping your child get the best out of school	Transition to secondary school
TV, Internet and video game use	Writing	

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Pupil leadership

Are you worried about something?

Home Learning

Going for Gold Reading Challenge

Online Safety

Year Group Pages

Online Platforms

We are also really excited to be developing a whole section for children on the new look website.

Children will have a chance to email the school direct with any worries or concerns they have, and keep up to date on all their year group progress in the blogs.

The website is still work in progress and we welcome any and all feedback from you, our wonderful community, on what we can do to improve it, as well as any information you would like to see included. Please email us at info@rockliffemanor.greenwich.sch.uk

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We all had such a wonderful afternoon on Monday celebrating The Queen's Platinum Jubilee with a street party style afternoon of crafting, singing, dancing and cakes.

Thank you to everyone for putting so much effort into making this momentous occasion so much fun to commemorate together.



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RENEW-NIFORM

Quality,
Pre-loved,
Freshly washed,
School Uniform



Has your child grown out of their school uniform already?

Are holes appearing in trouser knees and jumper sleeves fraying?

If so, why not come to our **Renew-niform Shop!**

Pay as you feel. Open the last Friday of every half term.

Donations Always Welcome: Your uniform that is too small, will be someone else's just right! Please bring any donations of quality school uniform items to the office and then come along to our sale for replacements!



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