

Monday 17 th October	Music lessons: keyboard, guitar School nurse Drop in from 8.30am-9.30am After School Activities: Year 4, 5 and 6 football, choir Governor's meeting at 6.30pm
Tuesday 18 th October	European Start a Heart Day (see below)
Wednesday 19 th October	After School Activities: Orchestra
Thursday 20 th October	Music lessons: guitar After School Activities: Year 1, 2 and 3 football
Friday 21 st October	Music lessons: brass, woodwind School closes at 3.10pm until Tuesday 1 st November



Stars of the Week



Emma Cooper, Joey Cleghorn, Millie Halliday, Kacey Wynn, Megan Williams, Corey Whatmough, Toby Reynolds, Isabelle Lloyd, Theo Thompson, Fynn Whatmough, Arron Hunter, Robyn Matthews and Hannah Williams



Class Attendance Award

This week's winner is class 3 with 99.35% attendance. Well done.



Money owed to school

There are still some outstanding music lesson payments and dinner money payments. Please clear all debts to school by Friday 21st October. Failure to do so will result in children not being able to have lessons or a school dinner after the half term holiday.

Achievements Outside of School

Adam Sanderson – Swimming Certificate

Staff Car Park

Members of staff have been unable to get onto the staff carpark to legitimately park their car before starting work. Unfortunately, there is an increasing number of occasions when staff cannot use the car park because of parents blocking the entrance. This is a polite request to those responsible to not use the staff car park and certainly not to block the entrance to the car park. As it is the car park is not big enough for all of the staff to use. The car park is rented for the sole purpose of allowing staff to park their cars without causing disruption to the people who live around the school. Thank you.

School Crossing Patrol

Some of you may have read in the local press that school crossing patrols are no longer being funded by the local council and that schools should pay for this service. The implications for school will be discussed at the Governor's meeting on Monday. Additionally, I am meeting with the head of facilities management to discuss this matter early next week.

European Start-a Heart Day

All children will be taking part in first aid workshops on Tuesday 18th October. The older children will be being taught CPR. This has been organised by a group of parents who work in the health profession.

School Nurse Drop-ins

The school health team are offering a new outreach service to parents. Once per half term, the school nurse will be offering a drop in service for parents to discuss the health needs of their children. The first session is Monday 17th October from 8.30am. There will be no appointments offered. People will be seen on a first come- first served basis. The consultations will take place in the Headteacher's office.

Primary School Applications

If your child is due to start school in September 2017, an application must be made via the Rochdale Council website. The closing date for this is January 15th 2017. **We will be holding an open afternoon on Wednesday 2 November between 2.00pm and 3.00pm.**

Secondary School Application

The closing date is Monday 31st October – please be aware that school will be closed the week leading up to this. If you haven't made up your mind – then please visit the schools before the autumn half term holiday. Late applications will be processed after all on-time applications.

