



Autumn Colours  
Redbridge High

## Redbridge High School

# Autumn Newsletter 2016

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Monday 24th October School  
Closed Half Term.

Monday 31st October School  
Re-opens.

Thursday 3rd November  
Parents and Carers Coffee  
Morning.

Friday 25th November  
School Closed Staff Training.

Thursday 1st December  
Parents and Carers Christmas  
Fayre

Wednesday December 21st  
School Closed Christmas  
Holidays.

Wednesday 4th January 2017  
School Re-opens

Welcome to the first newsletter of the academic year. Everyone has settled back into school life and we have had a very busy half term indeed.



School Receives Asda Cheque !

You will see in the newsletter we have had some fantastic support through fund raising including the £1640 raised by Jordan with his Iron Man challenge and the very kind donation of £200 from ASDA Walton as well the arrival of our new minibus sponsored by the Morgan Foundation. This fundraising is becoming more and more important to maintain activities and resources in school at a time when funding for education is decreasing.

A big thank you to all those parents who supported our Harvest Festival and we have also enjoyed our 'Healthy Schools Week' including our sponsored walk.

Earlier this term I did write to all parents and carers explaining how the current financial situation means we are unable to deliver our after school club programme as we used to. We are looking to re-instate at least the youth club but this would involve paying a weekly amount and also we would be requesting parents to pick up after the club. We will be consulting with you on this in the next half term.

I hope everyone has a good half term break and pupils take note of our 'stay safe', message about Halloween activities.

Paul Cronin 'Head teacher'

Jordan's UK Ironman page  
Fundraising for Redbridge High School

656%  
£1,640.00  
raised of £350 target  
by 59 supporters

Donate  
Share on Facebook

Jordan Clarke  
Event: UK Ironman (Bolton), 17 Jul 2016

Redbridge High School  
Created via charity sign up service.

### Iron Man Challenge

A big thankyou to Jordan Clarke who raised an astonishing £1640 towards the school fund, The staff and students of Redbridge High are very grateful to everyone who donated !

What a Guy !



## Stay Safe! 'This Halloween'

Our Stay safe message to pupils in assembly this week is linked to Halloween activities

- 1 Go out with an adult from your family.
  - 2 Only Knock on the door of people you know.
  - 3 NEVER ! go into someone's house unless a family adult says it is ok.
- Have fun stay safe



Bev Riley 'Deputy Headteacher'

# Morgan Foundation Delivers New School Minibus



We were joined on Friday 7th October by Jane Harris from the Morgan Foundation. Jane came along to a special assembly when Class 14 were joined by the whole school in saying thank you to the Morgan Foundation for the new school minibus. The minibus was donated to the school at the start of this term and the vast majority of pupils have now benefitted from the new bus and love getting out and about in Liverpool.

**Cormac Teacher Class 14**

## Class 11 Helps the Community

As part of Healthy School week, class 11 have been sorting through the Harvest Festival contributions, ready for it all to be packed



up into shoeboxes and then delivered to the local church. The vicar at St. Paul's church will then co-ordinate the delivery of the food parcels to the needy in our community.



**Ben Teacher Class 11**

## Class 4 Enjoying Redbridge High

It has been a very busy first term for Class 4. There are 9 new pupils in the class who were really excited to start at Redbridge. This first term we have been getting to know all our new friends, finding out where our classroom and different rooms are, learning all the school rules and we even had time to make a band! Each technology lesson we made different instruments out of recycled materials and finished the term performing to our class mates!



**Lizzie Teacher Class 4**

There is a great Facebook page called Autism in motion -Liverpool They offer support to parents / carers of children with Autism and also run weekly activities for young people and courses for parents/carers.  
Well worth a look !



## School Council Elections



During the week of the 26<sup>th</sup> September each class nominated students who they thought would make a great student councillor. The nominated students produced their manifestos and displayed posters around school to help them get votes.

We held our elections for School Council representatives on Thursday 29th September and every class took it in turn to vote. At the end of the day all votes were counted and the results remained a secret until they were announced by Paul Headteacher during Fridays assembly.



### Elected Representatives

Base 1 Emily  
Base 2 Maria, Owen and Porsha  
Base 3 Amy, Conner and Sam  
Base 4 Ben and Omotoyosi



Jeanette Pastoral Support



## TRAINING AT SCHOOL

One of our parents-Hayley Smallman helped to deliver training to 8 School Direct students on 29th September. It was a very popular presentation with the students and this picture shows the practical element of the session- the spiders web!

Maire Assistant Headteacher

## Harvest Assembly

Harvest Assembly was a great success again this year! A big thankyou to everybody who donated food and bottled water.



The food has been passed onto Amberleigh House, Woodlands Hospice and St Paul's Church.

Many thanks to students of class 11 who made up all

the hampers ready for distribution.

Cathy Teacher Class 2

## World's Biggest Coffee Morning

On Friday September 30<sup>th</sup> we held our annual MacMillan Coffee Morning in the school gym. Lots of classes attended and donated cakes and biscuits for the event and it was very well supported. Many thanks to all the families and friends who attended and helped us to raise over 200 pounds!



WE ARE  
MACMILLAN.  
CANCER SUPPORT

Cormac Teacher Class 14

## Dates for your Diary

- Parents Carers Coffee Morning Contenance Advisor Thursday 3rd November 2016 10.00am to 11.30am.
- Futures Fair Event on Thursday 24th November 10.30 till 2.30pm
- Christmas Fayre Thursday 1st December 10.00 am



## Bendrigg October 2016 Photo Gallery



I like canoeing.



How brave am I



'I'm a celebrity get me out of here'



This is going to be exciting.



I'm sure I'll get a bullseye.



Bendrigg October 2016



Indoor caving is fun.



We are the Champions.



I'm going to get to the top.

In support of **WaterAid** **WaterAid Cafe Coming Soon !**

With the kind help of donated water