

# The Russett School Newsletter

## Spring Term 2022

14<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to our first newsletter for Spring Term. We are looking forward to another busy term! Next week we are hosting 'Pools for Schools' on site, after a slight delay regarding set up, we now hope to start sessions by Wednesday. Pupils scheduled to swim this term will receive a letter with more information; as always please do not hesitate to contact us via phone or email if you would like any further information.

News from classes.....

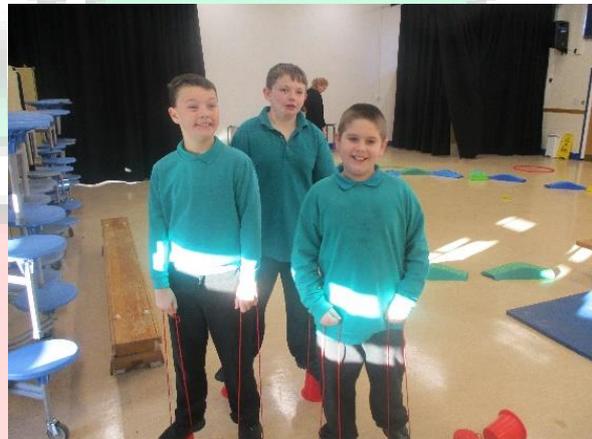
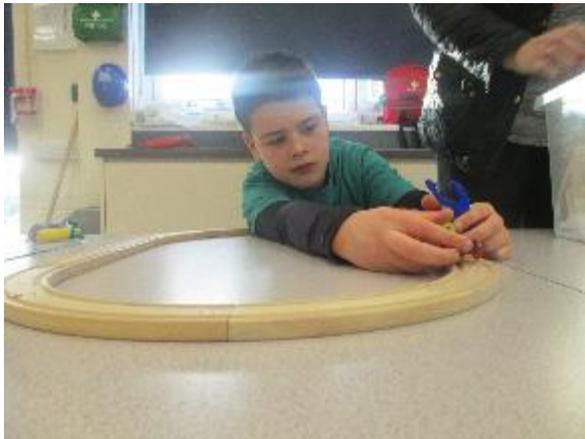
Room 5 have had a great start to Spring Term. We have enjoyed using the light and dark room to explore our senses. The children have engaged well with our sensory story 'Charlie and The Chocolate Factory'. We explored the characters and had lots of fun designing our own sweets.



Room 10 have had a great start to the New Year! We enjoyed making calendars showing the different seasons of the year.



Room 6 have had a fantastic start to 2022! All the pupils have enjoyed getting back into our routine. One of our favourite sessions from the week was completing a sensory obstacle course in the hall!



Room 3 have had a fun filled, busy start to the new year! We have enjoyed our new text, The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe in English. The children have done a wonderful job of recreating events from the story and used this experience to inspire some fantastic writing and artwork. In Geography, we have looked at hot and cold countries and explored the clothing required for different climates and activities. The children also worked hard on the outdoor equipment in Science to support their understanding of the skeleton and how it supports the body to move. Well done everyone!



### Uniform Exchange Winsford

We have contacted Uniform Exchange in Winsford who have agreed to take donations of unwanted school uniform and redistribute for free.

Donated uniform can be dropped off at school (we can arrange for it to be taken to the exchange shop) or taken to the uniform exchange shop, which is located upstairs above Winsford Community Grocery, the old job centre building, High Street, Winsford.

Please see the link for further information:

<https://www.facebook.com/uniformexchangewinsford/>

**Covid 19:** Unfortunately Covid cases have continue to rise this week. We would like to thank all of our Parents and Carers for their on-going support during a very challenging time.

**Goodbye:** This week we said goodbye to Will, we wish him lots of luck for the future!

**Dates for your diary –** please see our school website [Calendar | The Russett School \(therussettlearningtrust.co.uk\)](https://www.russettlearningtrust.co.uk)

## Student Voice...

Please enjoy hearing what some of our children and young people have said about us or shown us this week;

- I like “Charlie & the Chocolate Factory” – Logan
- Our volcano was great and fantastic – Joshua
- We built our own ramps in science, it was fun – Tyler
- I love the volcano – Sam
- So excited for swimming next week – Mazi

**Online Safety:** We have been successful in gaining the 360 Safe: Online Safety Award! Thanks to all staff and pupils in their preparation for this.

Please follow the link to find out more about how to keep children and young people safe online [Information, Advice and Support to Keep Children Safe Online \(internetmatters.org\)](https://www.internetmatters.org)

### Live Well

Live Well; formally known as the Local Offer is available by following this link; [Home | Live Well Cheshire West \(cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk\)](https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk) for Cheshire East please follow; [Live Well Cheshire East](https://www.live-well-cheshire-east.gov.uk)

### Key Contacts

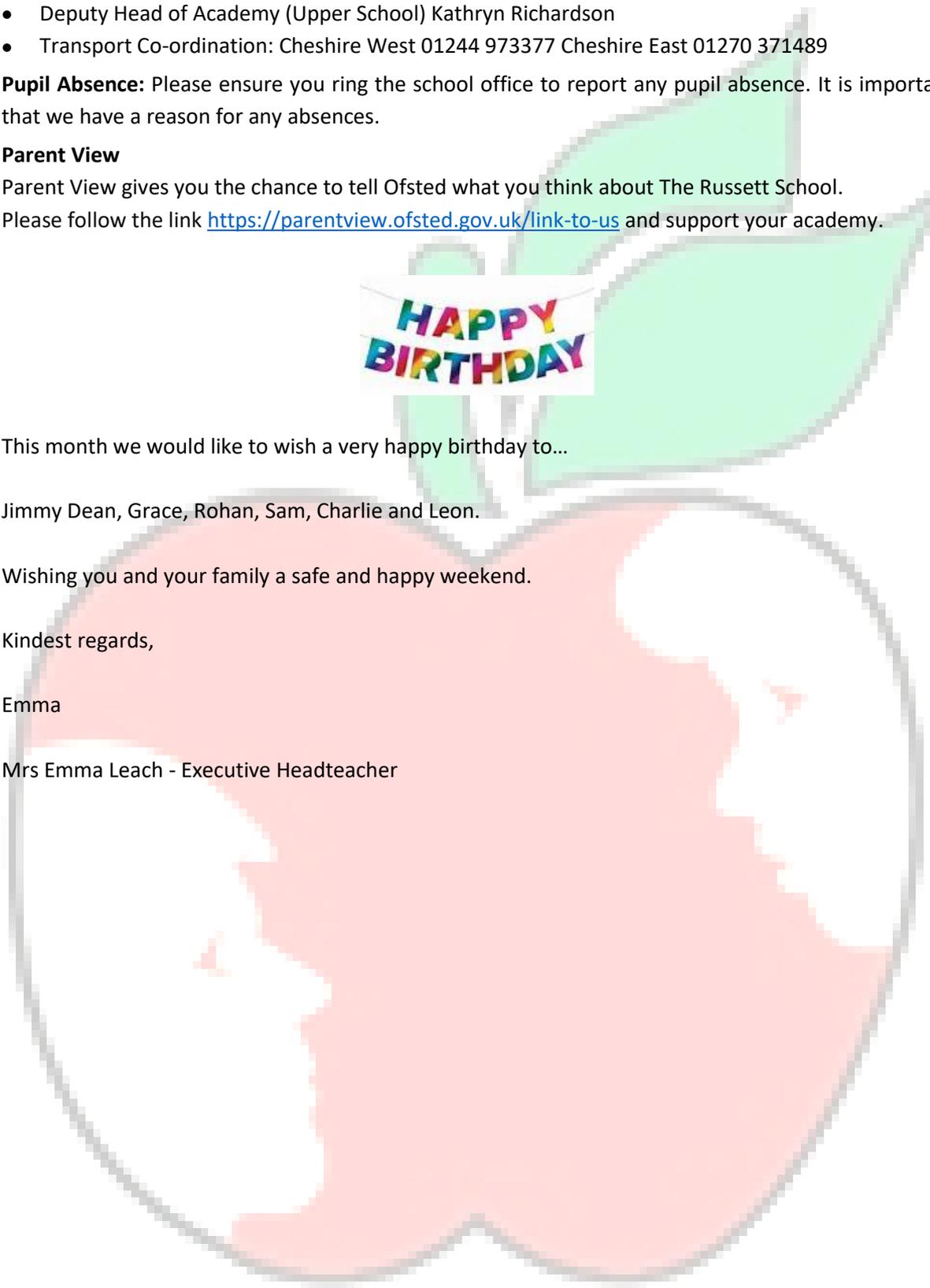
School office: 01606 853005 or via email [admin@russett.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:admin@russett.cheshire.sch.uk)- please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

- Executive Headteacher- Emma Leach
- Deputy Head of Academy (Lower School) Jess Dennis
- Deputy Head of Academy (Upper School) Kathryn Richardson
- Transport Co-ordination: Cheshire West 01244 973377 Cheshire East 01270 371489

**Pupil Absence:** Please ensure you ring the school office to report any pupil absence. It is important that we have a reason for any absences.

**Parent View**

Parent View gives you the chance to tell Ofsted what you think about The Russett School. Please follow the link <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/link-to-us> and support your academy.



**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

This month we would like to wish a very happy birthday to...

Jimmy Dean, Grace, Rohan, Sam, Charlie and Leon.

Wishing you and your family a safe and happy weekend.

Kindest regards,

Emma

Mrs Emma Leach - Executive Headteacher