

Radnage Church of England VA Primary School

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School Council



Radnage School Council have been working hard this year and we want to celebrate their efforts and achievements.

A school council is a formal group of pupils within a school who are elected by their peers to represent them and their views. The curriculum requires that all of our young people are provided with opportunities to participate in the school and society. The School Council is an excellent way in which to increase participation in our school community, and

it teaches the children about democracy, local and global citizenship, accountability and decision making. It is an important way for us as a school to provide leadership and development opportunities for our pupils, as well as give them a voice.

Those children representing the school this year are:

Executive/ Diversity Representative	Evan	Fabio
Head Boy / Girl	Charlie	Freya
Year 5	Aaron	Megan
Year 4	Isla	Zach
Year 3	Isaac	Sunny
Year 2	Darcy	Sebastian
Year 1	Rupert	Archie

This year the school council have:

- Produced a calendar of charity events to run each term
- Introduced a wheel of choice for the half termly house point winners
- Introduced House team badges
- Looked at introducing a daily exercise routine

The School Council have a communication board in the hall which displays its action plan for the year, recent minutes, and a suggestions board. It also celebrates the British Values which are at the heart of everything the team tries to achieve. Do have a look at the board and see all of the exciting work that the team are doing.

Quote of the Week

**“Don’t Try to Be Better Than Someone Else;
Try to Be the Very Best You Can Be.”**

Supplied by Evan Greenway, School Council Executive

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Key Dates 2019

Singing at Winter Lunch at Radnage Village Hall

29th January Year 1/2

26th February Year 3/4

26th March Year 5/6

Half Term

Monday 18th Friday 22nd February

Book Day ~ Book Characters

Thursday 7th March

Red Nose Day

Friday 15th March

Royal Albert Hall

18th March 7pm Year 5 and 6 singing

Parents' Evening

Monday 25th March 3:30 – 7:30pm

Tuesday 26th March 3:30 – 5:30pm

CHANGE Spring Service at Church

9am Thursday 28th March KS2

9am Friday 29th March KS1

Easter Bonnet Making

Friday 5th April am

Break Up for Easter

1:30pm Friday 5th April

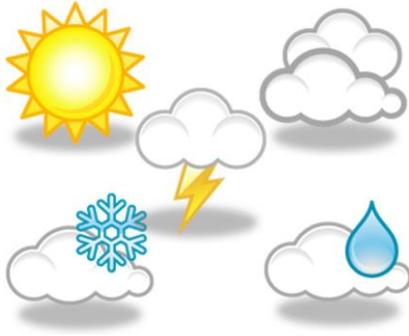


A nurturing Christian environment that empowers a confidence and aspiration in our school community to grow, enabling individuals to shine.



Spring Service

We are really looking forward to holding our annual Spring Service at St Mary's church in Radnage at the end of March. We had hoped to have held one service for the whole school in the church, however, despite many creative ideas and solutions to the challenge of squeezing us all we have sadly concluded that this will actually not be possible. It is important as a church school to have some of our acts of worship in the church itself and so we are going to have to hold the KS1 and KS2 services separately. Sorry if this causes any logistical challenges.



Badgers (Reception)

Our Reception class are having a go at weather forecasting, very topical at the moment! Last week they focused on snow and this week they are looking at windy weather. As the weather seems to be mirroring their lessons we might encourage them to study the sun next week!



Otters and Hedgehogs (Year 1 & 2)

Our Year 1/2 class were the first class to go and entertain local residents at the Winter Lunch Club at Radnage Village Hall. They sang 'Who's the King of the Jungle', told their 'Monkey See, Monkey Do' story, and Olivia performed her solo from 'Hey Ewe'. The children sang beautifully and were very well received by everyone at the lunch. We are proud of their performance and their behaviour.



Kestrels and Red Kites (Year 3 & 4)

Years 3 and 4 have been studying Romulus and Remus in English this term. In Roman mythology, Romulus and Remus are twin brothers, whose story tells the events that led to the founding of the city of Rome. The children loved giving a dramatic re-enactment of the story.

Falcons and Eagles (Year 5 & 6)

In Art Falcons and Eagles reproduced the 40 Thieves who hid in oil jars to try and steal back Ali Baba's treasure. They are currently lurking in the corridor outside the classroom. Beware!



Pupil Voice

"My name is Sebastian Maskell and I am in Hedgehogs Class. I represent Year 2 on the School Council. I had the idea of every child in school having a special badge that shows which House they belong to. I think that these badges will make everyone feel important and feel proud of the House they are in. It will also show everyone in the school who belongs to which team."

We have ordered badges in the appropriate house colour and will give one badge to every child. If anyone loses their badges replacements will be available from the office at a cost of £1