

Round Hill Bulletin 12: 7th May 2021

The Round Hill Bulletin is designed to help disseminate important information in between monthly Newsletters.

A copy is on the <u>School Website</u>.

	Whole School Information
Inset Days for the 2021-22 School Year	We are able to confirm our school Inset Days for the next school year 2021-22, these will be as follows: • Tuesday 31 st August 2021 • Monday 1 st November 2021 • Tuesday 4 th January 2022 • Monday 21 st February 2022 • Monday 6 th June 2022
Music Lessons	There will not be any Inspire music lessons in school during w/c 10 th May. All of our independent music teachers will be coming in as normal.
School Photos	As you will have seen from our school calendar, our school photographers are coming into school next Wednesday 12 th May to take the annual class photos. If the weather is kind to us we are hoping that all class photos can be taken outside.
Online Book Fair: 17 th May to 21 st May	We are very excited to be able to host the school book fair again this year. However, due to Covid-19 precautions, the arrangements will be a little different this time around. The book fair will be running from Monday 17 th May until Friday 21 st May and we will have a wonderful variety of books available. Unfortunately, we are unable to invite parents/carers into school for the book fair but instead the children will be able to browse the books in their class bubbles during the week. Look out for an email during w/c 10 th May with further details including a Step by Step Guide for how it will work along with a Parent Order Form.
Year 3/4 Dates for the Diary	The Year 3/4 Team can confirm that the Battle of Britain topic day will take place on Friday 28th May 2021. Children will be able to dress up in the style of World War II (such as an evacuee or any style from the 1940's). A letter was emailed out yesterday regarding the Year 3/4 Activity Days in school that will be held on Monday 14 th June, Tuesday 15 th June and Thursday 17 th June. Please check your emails for further information.
PE in School	You are probably aware that physical exercise is an important part of our Covid-19 recovery strategy at Round Hill. We have adjusted the curriculum and increased the amount of activities the children take part in, placing emphasis on the mental health of pupils as we gradually return back to normal timetables. As with all of our PE lessons, they involve a warm up and cool down, we occasionally use Yoga to help as we believe it helps to strengthen children's growing bodies and helps them improve their flexibility, which can reduce their chance of injury and also helps promote positive behaviour. Please do get in touch if you would like to know more.
The Big Ask – Children's Survey	I am passing on some information from Nottinghamshire County Council with regards to a children's survey called The Big Ask. This online survey is available to complete until Wednesday 19 th May 2021: The Big Ask is the largest ever survey of children in England and will be used to shape priorities for children's services in the future. It will take the views, opinions, and experiences of children to show government what they think and what they need to lead happier lives. We want as many young people in Nottinghamshire to take part. It is part of the Childhood Commission, a review to identify barriers preventing children from reaching their full potential, put forward solutions and set ambitious goals for the future. Children can complete The Big Ask's online questionnaire here: www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigask

Daily Absence Form	A reminder that any absence from school must be reported daily using the <u>Absence Form</u> on our website. The Absence Form is updated every term so please note if you have saved the Spring Absence Form link on your phone/computer then this link will no longer work. Instead of saving the link of the actual form, you can save the link to the <u>Absence Reporting and Attendance</u> page and then click on the updated Absence Form each term.
RHA Update	Thank you to everyone who took part in the RHA Easter Egg Hunt. £55 was raised for the RHA through donations and we saw lots of people enjoying working out the clues around Beeston during the Easter break. The RHA are planning a Yard Sale Trail around Beeston on Sunday 4 th July. Click here to see our poster in the RHA section on the school website. This will be an opportunity for you (and anyone else you know!) to sell any unwanted items on your drive or in your own front garden. (Minimum donation £8.) Encourage your children to have a sort out and make a bit money or if you are feeling generous the RHA will happily accept your takings towards their current fundraising goal! If you own a business you are also welcome to promote this from your drive (businesses a minimum £10 donation). Follow us on Instagram @beestonyardsale for up to date information. Registration forms will be available from the Round Hill foyer from 17 th May with a sale zone map to view.