



## Red Kite Special Academy Newsletter

Friday 27th February 2026

Dear Families,

I hope you had a lovely half term break and a warm welcome back to Term 4. As we head out of winter towards the spring we are hoping for some warmer weather and definitely less rain.

We have a very busy and purposeful term ahead full of activities and events that we hope will be joyous too. Over half term we have had a tree displaying our values put up in our reception area.

The lovely canvases of pupils that were displayed have been taken down as lots of the photos are of pupils that were here when Red Kite first opened. If your child/young person had a photo displayed and you would like this then please call into the office to collect.

### Family Learning Week

We are organising a Family Learning Week this term with an Easter Theme. We are trying a different approach to the week this time so that we can offer places to all parents who want to come. The activities will take place in Departments with each Department offering parents a day they can come in and join in activities in classes.

We will also have a Music Day as part of Family Learning Week led by Jason with an Easter Disco after school too. We will end the week with our Secondary Easter Fayre. Our Secondary and Post 16 pupils will be busy making things to sell at the Fayre as part of their Enterprise Lessons.

The office will send out the details to book the events on offer but there are no restrictions on numbers.

### Parents Forum

Our Parents Forum this term will be on Monday 16th March from 9am - 10am. The topic will be Behaviour Management Plans and Restrictive Physical Intervention. There is some new guidance coming out in April and we want to get your views on this.

Please email [emma.campbell@redkite.school](mailto:emma.campbell@redkite.school) if you are able to come along and join us.

Have a lovely weekend everyone

Best wishes

*Karen*

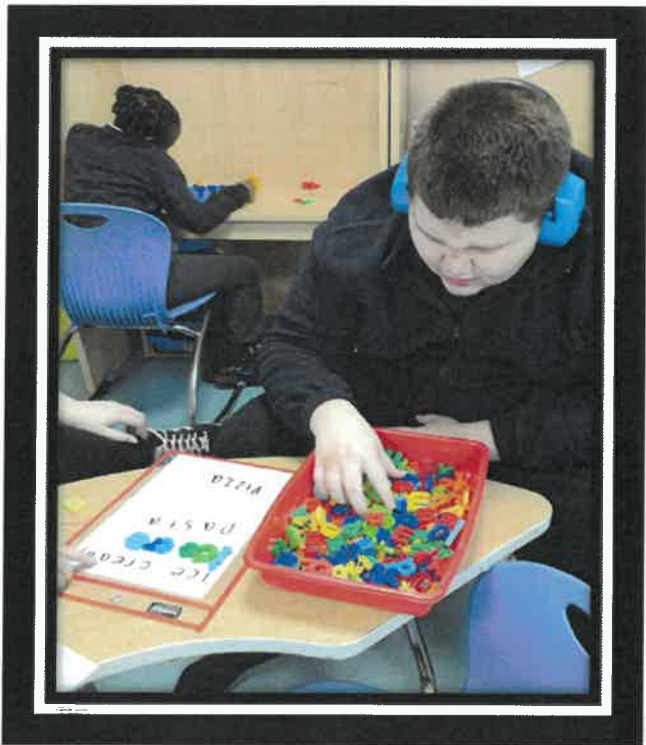
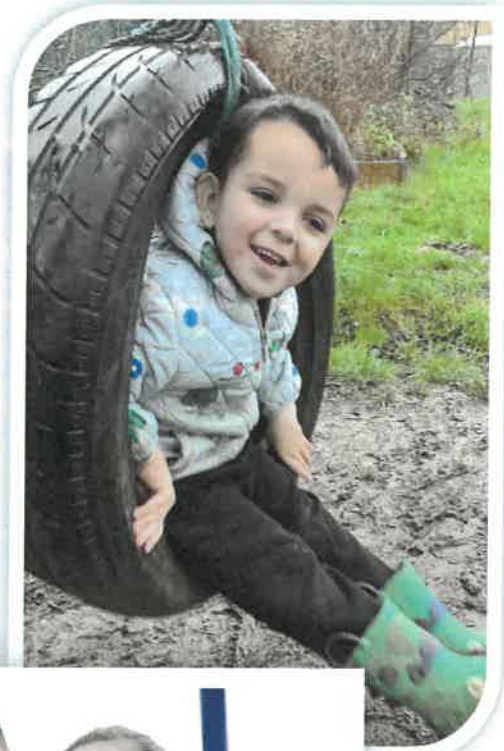
Karen Smith

Headteacher

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Dates for the diary for Term 4

Date	Event
Tuesday 3rd March 9am - 10am	HCA Drop and Coffee Morning in in The Kettle
Thursday 5th March	<b>World Book Day - The theme is a 'Book at Bedtime'.</b> See our flyer for further information.
Thursday 5th March 9am - 10am	RK Friends and Family Book Swap in The Kettle
Wednesday 11th March 9am - 10am	Magic Words Speech and Language Therapist Coffee morning in The Kettle
Monday 16th March 9am - 10am	Parents Forum in The Kettle
Wednesday 18th March 9am - 10am	Dads Coffee Morning in The Kettle
Friday 20th March	<b>Red Nose Day - The theme is 'Wear Something Silly'.</b>
Friday 20th March 9am - 10am	Red Nose Day Coffee Morning in The Kettle
Monday 23rd - Friday 27th March	<b>Easter Family Learning Week</b>
Monday 23rd March	<b>Woods Parents</b> Foxes/Snowdrops/Fieldmice/Hedgehogs/Badgers - 2pm - 2.45pm Bears - 2.15pm - 2.45pm Owls - 9.30am - 10.15am
Tuesday 24th March	<b>Meadows Parents</b> Butterflies/Caterpillars/Ladybirds/Daisies/Poppies/Cornflowers - 2pm - 2.45pm
Wednesday 25th March	<b>Lookout Parents</b> Falcons/Kestrels/Ospreys - 1.45pm - 2.45pm
Wednesday 25th March	Parents Evening 3.30pm - 6pm
Thursday 25th March	<b>Music Day with Jason</b> Secondary Parents 10am - 10.30am Primary Parents 2pm - 2.30pm
Thursday 25th March	<b>Easter Disco</b> Primary - 3.45pm - 4.30pm Secondary - 4.45pm - 5.30pm
Friday 27th March PM	Secondary Easter Fayre - see letter for further details
Friday 27th March	Break up for Easter



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# COME ALONG AND JOIN THE FUN!

A special day to celebrate stories, imagination  
and a love of books!



Wear your  
pyjamas



OR Dress up as your  
favourite  
Book Character



OR Come as your  
favourite  
Footballer!

A relaxed, fun day full of  
reading, creativity and smiles.

**WORLD BOOK DAY - MARCH 5th!**



**RED KITE SPECIAL ACADEMY**



# **EASTER DISCO!**

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

**Primary: 3:45pm - 4:30pm**

**Secondary: 4:45pm - 5:30pm**



**Tuck Shop!**

**Bring the moves!**



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-  **Incontinence Items**
-  **Toys**
-  **Powdered Baby Milk**
-  **Baby Bottles & Sippy Cups**
-  **School Supplies**
-  **Non-Perishable Foods**



Drop off points are

- 1: 11:11, Stephensoon Way, Corby
- 2: Shack Community Connections,  
29 Gold Street Kettering

Contact Amanda on **07399121368**  
or Louise on **07767009280**  
for possible collections

