



RANSKILL NEWS

December 2024

RANSKILL PRIMARY SCHOOL
Wishes you all a very Merry
Christmas and a happy and
prosperous 2025.

Special Recognition Awards

This term's winners were:

Class 1: Lucy C Class 2: Ivy T

Class 3: Holly C

Class 4: Brooklyn H Class 5: Rory C



Athletics Competition

Earlier this month, Year 5/6 participated in the local Sports Hall Athletics Tournament. They did really well, finishing 2nd, which should put us into the next round of competition. Well done to:
Tyler H, Kyron S, Rory C, Zak D, Mason O, George S, Amelia M, Evelyn B, Emily H, Jenna H, Jessica C, Cordelia R

Remembrance Festival



Thank you and well done to all of the children who represented the school at the Retford Festival of Remembrance on Saturday 9 November. 6 schools joined together to sing the Rotakids 'Peace Anthem'. It was beautifully sung and very well received. We are going to be taking 15 pupils to record the Peace Anthem in February, which should be a great experience.

Personal Development Awards

Congratulations to the pupils who gained their 'Take Care' or 'Beyond Expectation' award. I can't wait to see if anyone receives their Profound Personal Development award this year.



Lunch Menu



The Autumn lunch menu is available to view and/or download on the school website. If this changes for any reason, we will send a dojo message to let you know of the changes.



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PLEASE NOTE:



School meals are £2.95 a day from 4/1/23

**Cheques are payable to
Ranskill Primary School**

OR



You may pay by BACS:

Sort code: 30 96 18

Account no: 60422168



(please add child's name and 'dinners' in the reference box and let Helen in the office know you have done it.)

Thank you.



DIARY DATES

Friday 20 December

School closes for Christmas

Monday 6 January 2025

School reopens

Wednesday 8 January

Young Voices Concert

Monday 13 & Monday 20 January

Rotakids Litter Picks

Wednesday 29 - Friday 31 January

Year 4 Residential @ Hathersage

Friday 7 February

Rotakids/choir @Ranby recording Peace Anthem

Friday 14 February

School closes for Half Term

Monday 24 February

School reopens after Half Term

Thursday 6 March

Football Match @Langold (rearranged)

Wednesday 26 - Thursday 27 March

Parents Evening

Thursday 3 April

Easter Celebration @ Ranskill Church 9:30am

Friday 4 April

School closes for Easter

Out of hours Owls is available Monday - Friday
7:45 - 8:50am - Breakfast club

3.15 - 5:45pm - After School Club

Please email the office for bookings into Out of Hours Owls

Please book in advance by contacting **Helen or Kirsty**
- administration@ranskill.notts.sch.uk

RANSKILL PRIMARY SCHOOL IS A

***** NUT FREE ZONE *****

**We have children in school with
NUT ALLERGIES.**

**Can we please ask that you refrain from
sending nuts and products containing
nuts in your children's packed lunches /
for snacks etc. - Many thanks.**

House Dojo Points

Congratulations to Brewster, who gained the most Dojo points this term. Galway and Raven were catching them toward the end of term. We have set ourselves the target of trying to get the same number of points next term (even though it is 2 weeks shorter).

Christmas Light Switch on

Well done and thank you to all of the children who joined us to sing 'Love Shone Down' at the Christmas light switch on and also to those children who entered the poetry competition. I thought the winners' poems were excellent and read beautifully.



Smarties Challenge

Well Ranskill - we did an amazing job. 76 smarties tubes were returned and we raised just over £280. A fantastic effort from everyone who got involved. We have hopefully helped a lot of children to have a better Christmas. Thank you from Myself, Pastor Steve and Nathaniel.

Class Showcases

Showcases for the year will begin again after Christmas. Please look out for dates posted by class teachers.

Dukeries Ukeries Concert

Ranskill were given a brilliant Christmas treat a couple of weeks ago. A local ukulele band 'The Dukeries Ukeries' came to school and showed us their amazing skills. We all had a fabulous time singing along to some of our favourite Christmas songs. We would like to say a big thank you to them for giving up their time to entertain us.



Jingle Jog

Year 3 had fun jogging around Sherwood Pines a few weeks ago. Some children were amazing, running the whole way. Charlie RC, Mason F, Ollie P and Broux were our top performers.



Bikeability

Congratulations to all of the Year 5 and 6 children who completed their Level 2 training. They are now capable of riding safely on the road: Junior H, Tyler H, Jenna H, Mason O, Christian H, George B, George S, Cordelia R, Zak D, Brooklyn H, Grace S, Jessica C, Matilda L, Oscar P.