



RJC WEEKLY

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WEEK ENDING

Friday 4th September 2026

THIS WEEK AT RJC

A quick look back at some highlights of the learning, achievements and moments that made us proud this week.



A Message from the Head Teacher Ms

Campbell Another busy and positive week at Rothesay Joint Campus!

Our **Sponsored Walk** was a huge success. The weather was on our side, the

atmosphere was brilliant and it was fantastic to see the whole campus coming together. A huge thank you to our **parent/carer and MCR Pathways Mentor volunteers**, and to everyone for their fundraising efforts. Now it's time to collect in the sponsorship money! Funds raised will support fantastic experiences and resources for our children and young people, with an equal share donated to **UNICEF UK** to support their work protecting children's rights around the world. Please can all sponsorship money be brought into school by **30th September**. Pre-5 and Primary children should give any sponsor money to key worker/teacher. Academy children should hand money in to a teacher or school office.

Our **Academy Prizegiving** was another highlight – a lovely evening celebrating our young people's achievements, with fantastic musical performances and excellent advice from our guest speaker and former pupil, **Dr Ruairidh McGregor**. We will share individual pupil photos with parents and carers and other photos of the night will be posted on Facebook. Thank you to **Iain Cochrane** for giving up his time to capture photos of the evening.



Can You Help Us Bring Our Pre-5 Garden to Life? Our Pre-5 children have been busy sharing their ideas and designs for developing our outdoor garden space – and now we need some helping hands to make their ideas a reality!

We are looking for parents, carers and family members who could help with hand digging, planting and developing the garden alongside us. Whether you can spare a little time or a lot, we would love to hear from you.



If you can help, please contact one of our Pre-5 Leads, **Leanne Costello**, at leanne.costello@argyll-bute.gov.uk

Pupil Equity Fund

Consultation – Open until Tuesday 8 – Open until Tuesday 8th September. Please help us understand what the biggest barriers are for our children and young people.

Pupil Equity Fund Parent and Carer Consultation



HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

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WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS – Our Campus Sponsored Walk



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WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS – Our Academy Prizegiving 2026



Bute Charitable Trust Prize

A huge congratulations to Nuala Duffy, this year's recipient of the Bute Charitable Trust Prize, our highest award, presented to the pupil achieving the highest total tariff points across their Senior Phase.

Nuala has achieved outstanding academic results while also making a significant contribution to school life as School Captain. She has been a fantastic ambassador for Rothesay Academy, demonstrating kindness, maturity and leadership throughout her time with us.

We are incredibly proud of Nuala and wish her every success as she heads to the University of Edinburgh to study English Literature and History.

More Photos of Our Prizegiving will be shared next week on facebook. We will share the link once posted.

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NEXT WEEK AT RJC

Everything families need to know for the week ahead — at a glance.

DAY / DATE	WHAT'S HAPPENING?	WHO?
Week beginning Monday 7th September	Positive phone calls home this week recognising children and young people who have been working hard and trying their best over the last two weeks.	All Primary and Academy
Tuesday 8th September	Meet the Teacher Primary 2.30pm-3pm – see your child's classroom and learning Academy 3pm-3.30pm - School Gym - See your child's learning, meet the department and get some information about the courses, homework, study tips & advice for exams from teachers and Senior Pupils.	Inviting all Parents and Carers of Primary and Academy Children to come and visit our school
Wednesday 9th September	Hands Up Survey will ask the children one question: "<i>How do you normally travel to school?</i>" with options including walking, cycling, scootering/skating, park and stride, car, bus, taxi, or other. They put their 'hands up' to answer. Forest Schools	Pre-5, Primary and Academy P7

CANTEEN MENU - NEXT WEEK – week 1 menu

SEE Primary lunch menu [here](#)

SEE Academy lunch menu [here](#)

Assembly focus for week = Extra Curricular Clubs/Wider Achievement/Pupil's leading school improvement
Slides will be on our school website after the assembly [Primary Assemblies](#) [Academy Assemblies](#)

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