



Gooderstone Gazette

The newsletter from **Gooderstone C of E Primary Academy** - Your school, your news!

Star of the week:

Wrens:

Jack Norman for amazing writing and a great attitude towards learning.

Owls:

Dexter Rodwell for being helpful and trying hard in class.

Skylarks:

Taylor Richardson for his brilliant team work and excellent skills in tag rugby.

Kestrels:

Jake Merrit for being kind to others in P.E

Golden Table: 7

Star of the week certificates are given out every week in Sharing assembly. Please join us to hear all about our learning this week.

Shoebox Appeal

This year we are taking part in Operation Christmas Child. It is a project to ensure that children all over the world get a gift for Christmas. If you would like to take part we have boxes and leaflets in the office. The boxes need to be back to school for November 2nd 2016. If you would like to know more go to www.operationchristmaschild.org.uk

Harvest Festival

*On **Wednesday 12th October** we will be having our Harvest Festival at 9.00am. If you would like to donate any goods (preferably packets or tins) for the church please bring them in on Monday 10th. All families are welcome to join us for the celebration and there will be tea and cake afterwards. There will also be a collection for those wishing to donate to the charity Self Help Africa.*



**Self Help
Africa**

Bake Sale

*To raise money we will be having a bake sale on **Monday 10th October** at 3-3.30pm. If you would like to donate any cakes for us to sell please send them in that morning. The children will also be busy baking goodies to sell at the end of the school day so please bring your pennies.*

Sponsored Walk

*On **Thursday 13th October** the children will be taking part in a sponsored walk around the field. The children will walk a mile/laps of the field carrying/balancing objects on their head to get a feel for what it might be like for the children who have to walk miles to collect water. We ask that all donations are collected and handed in by Wednesday 19th October.*

Parents Evening

*Parents evening will take place on **Thursday 3rd November 2016**. The sign-up sheets for time slots will be posted on each class door. If you cannot come in to sign up then please ring the office and we will put your name down for you.*

Christmas Cards

The friends have asked each child to design a Christmas card. These designs will then be sent off to be printed. Once ready a preview will be sent and you will be able to order sets of unique cards created by your child.

Let every light shine