



Gooderstone Gazette

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

Worship theme:
Dreams and Ambitions

Writers of the week:

Owls: Lilly

Skylarks: Archie

Kestrels: Rowan

Stars of the week:

Owls: Betsy for being supportive and caring in the daily mile

Skylarks: Daisy for being kind and encouraging to others during the daily mile

Kestrels: Maddison for great attitude to her work especially maths.

Weekly Attendance

Award:

Skylarks

Owls Cake Raffle today raised total:

£63.80

All monies going to MacMillan Cancer Support today.

A City of Towers

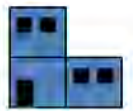
In my special city, there are two rules for building houses:

- every house must have two ground floor rooms.
- a house has one room for every person living in it.

So, a house for three people could look like this:



or like this:



How many different ways are there of building a house for 7 people?

Extension Challenge:

Investigate how many different ways there are of building houses for: 2 people, 3 people, 4 people, 5 people etc. Are there any patterns?

This problem involves **finding different possibilities**. Younger children could use blocks, cubes, lego pieces (or anything you've got) to try different ways of making a seven house or could draw designs. Older children should be encouraged to work systematically – following a pattern or order to make sure they find **all possible solutions**.

Events in the next week:

On Tuesday, Skylarks will be hosting their first Gooderstone Gathering this year, all parents are welcome to join the class at 9:15 for some refreshments and a fun-filled morning. Kestrels will be hosting their Gathering on Friday 5th October.

Our Harvest Service will take place on Wednesday 3rd October. You are invited to attend this service which will start at 9:00.

Any food donations for this would be gladly received. Last year we received a huge variety of food items and we were truly grateful. Unfortunately, due to food bank restrictions, we are no longer able to donate fresh produce.

Therefore we are asking for donations of dry or canned goods only. Thank you for your support with this.



Let every light shine

Flu Immunisation

Please find attached an information leaflet regarding the flu immunisation for Years up to and including Year 5.

Nibbles arrived home!

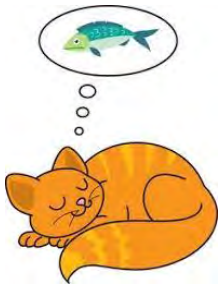


The children (and staff) were all very excited to see the return of our Leveret, Nibbles, after his adventure into Norwich on the GoGo Hare Trail! We have heard of many of the children's trips to Norwich this summer and they all seemed very excited to find Nibbles. I think the make-up counter workers in House of Fraser got a little sick of me going in to visit him to see how he was! After all of that excitement, I think Nibbles was as glad to come home as we were to have him.

From now on, Nibbles will be displayed in the school for everyone to see!

Big Question of the Week!

Do dreams have a purpose?



Owls Gooderstone Gathering

The Owls really enjoyed their Gooderstone Gathering this morning! They investigated a question about the book 'Not now, Bernard' and then made monsters out of plasticine and paint.

It sounded like a fantastic P4C enquiry, well done Owls!

Dates for your diary (subject to change).

Thursday 27th September- Owls' Gooderstone Gathering.

Friday 28th September- Macmillan Coffee Morning (9:30am). Friends AGM (2:30pm)

Tuesday 2nd October- Skylarks' Gooderstone Gathering

Tuesday 2nd October- Tempest Photography. Individual and sibling photos (1.30 – 3.00pm)

Wednesday 3rd October- Harvest Festival (9:00- 9:30)

Friday 5th October- Kestrels' Gooderstone Gathering

Thursday 1st November- Federation Day. Parents' Evening.

Friday 9th November- Remembrance Service.

Monday 12th November- Friday 16th November- UK Parliament week.

Thursday 15th November- Owls' Gooderstone Gathering

Friday 16th November- Children in Need.

Friday 30th November- Skylarks' Gooderstone Gathering

Wednesday 5th December- Gooderstone Tea Party (2:30pm)

Friday 7th December- Kestrels' Gooderstone Gathering

Tuesday 11th December- Christmas show (2:00pm and 6:00pm)

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School Immunisation Team Nasal 'flu vaccination

It Is Flu Season Again.....

A Message from the Norfolk Immunisation Team

Good News

- The flu nasal spray is now being offered to all children from Reception to Year 5.

Did You Know

- School age children are “Super Spreaders” of the flu virus

What You Can Do

- School will give you the paper information (being sent out on 10th October)
- Please read
- Complete the consent form **in ink**
- Please ensure you tick **either** the **yes** or **no** box
- Return this to school before the date stamped on the letter

How Will This Help

- By protecting your child this will stop the spread of the flu virus to;
- Parents
- Grandparents
- School staff
- And the tiny members of your family

Any Questions?

- Contact us on 01603 779390 or ccs.norfolk.immunisationteam@nhs.net