



Gooderstone Gazette

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

This week's Worship theme:

Saying you're sorry

Congratulations to all the children for their fantastic work in class this week!

Star of the Week

Priyah in Owls for growing in confidence in all areas of learning.
Tamzin in Skylarks for excellent effort in learning her times tables especially 3s.

Gracie in Kestrels for always trying hard in class.

Writers of the Week

Lacey in Owls
Adam in Skylarks
and
Leo in Kestrels

Team Points

1st Place: Marie Curie
2nd Place: Einstein
3rd Place: Newton

£5 Attendance Award

This week's attendance reward goes to Kestrels.
Well done!!!

Crucial Crew

Year 6 enjoyed their Crucial Crew event on Monday where children had the opportunity to practise basic CPR and other life saving skills.



World Book Day

Everyone looked AMAZING for World Book Day, teachers included!!!
Please follow us on Twitter
[@gooderstone_of](#) to see the whole school picture.

Comic Relief

On Friday, 15th March it will be **Dress in Red from Toe to Head** to raise funds for Comic Relief. School council has asked that all children bring in a 50p donation and each class will be baking cakes to sell at break time on Friday. Get your pocket money ready.

Parents Evening

Thank you for all the parents who attended parents evening yesterday. It was great to share children's progress and be able to talk about each child's next steps in their learning. If you were unable to attend, please speak to your child's class teacher or telephone the office to make an alternative appointment.

Let every light shine.

Clubs

Monday Lunchtime: SATs revision club, available to Year 6 only.

Monday after school: Adventure Club

Tuesday lunchtime: Lego Club

Tuesday after school: Multi-Sports

Wednesday after school: Street Dance

Thursday after school: Taekwondo

Friday lunchtime: Netball Club

After school clubs finish at 4.15pm please ensure you arrive promptly to pick up your children.

Science Week

Bring out the Mad Scientist in you next week. We'll kick off Science Week with a launch assembly on Monday. Parents are invited to join us for Science workshops on Wednesday from 9:30 – 12:00. Children can dress up as mad Scientist, if they'd wish. Every afternoon will be filled with Science activities linked with the theme JOURNEYS and on Friday we'll be visited by Mr Radcliffe from Icene to do a live dissection!!!

Thank you to all the parents who have offered to come and share their Science experience in school with the children. Please could we have as many as possible back by Friday, 15th March, as I'd like to analyse the results and let you know the outcome of how we can support you and your child in their Science Journey through school.

A healthy lifestyle is a big part of the curriculum and to celebrate this we'll also take part in the DNEAT Marathon on Friday after sharing assembly. The children will also be coming home with a Healthy Lifestyle booklet to promote this.

Cake Friday Raffle

We still have lots of spaces available for baking an amazing cake for our Cake Friday. Please sign up if you wish. Well done to Rio for picking the lucky ticket.

Total raised this week: £38.40

Netball Hi-Five event at Thetford Academy

On the 20th of March we've entered our school Netball team to take part in a Norfolk Schools tournament. Miss Blakie has put together a team and these children will be representing Gooderstone at the event. Details to follow next week.

Privacy Notice for Parents

As part of GDPR regulations parents need to be aware of the school's privacy notice. Please

Pancake Day / Shrove Tuesday

Pancake Day was great fun this week, with the whole school taking part in Pancake Races! Well done to Newton House for receiving the overall winning Trophy!

Dates coming up...

Monday 11th March: Science Week

Wednesday 13th March: Science Workshop for Parents and Dress as Mad Scientist if you'd wish

Friday 15th March: Nurse and Paediatric First Aider Visit

Friday 15th March: Comic Relief – Dress in as much red as you can!

Monday 18th March: Visit from Neuro-Psychologist

Monday 18th March: Year 6 visit to Carbrook

Tuesday 19th March: Owls Gooderstone Gathering

Wednesday 20th March: Height and Weight check for Reception

Wednesday 20th March: Hi-Five Netball team event at Thetford Academy

Friday 22nd March: Skylarks Gooderstone Gathering

Wednesday 27th March: Messy Church for Owl Class

Friday 29th March: Kestrels Gooderstone Gathering

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