

# Gooderstone Gazette

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

## This week's Worship theme:

## Cooperation

## Stars of the week:

**Owls:** Harriet for being kind and thoughtful and always remembering to say please and thank you.

**Skylarks:** Noah for contributing more in lesson and showing a positive attitude to learning.

**Kestrels:** Callum for being an awesome tag rugby player and showing exceptional leadership skills.

#### Writers of the week:

Owls: Priyah Skylarks: Emilia Kestrels: Alfie

> Weekly Attendance Award: Owls 100%

Cake Raffle Winner: Miss Wilson

**We Raised:** £38 Thank you for your continued support.

# Word of the Week

syzygy

# Tag Rugby Tournament

On Wednesday we were so proud of how the children performed at the tag rugby festival. The Year 3 and 4 children demonstrated some excellent rugby skills and will certainly be putting them to use in future games. The Year 5 and 6 team absolutely smashed the competition winning every single match (6-3, 6-0, 8-3, 10-0). They really did the school proud both in their huge achievement of coming 1<sup>st</sup> place and also in their exceptional sportsmanship.

Thank you so much to all of the parents who stayed to support, especially since it was absolutely freezing! The children really loved having you there.



# Bishop of Norwich's visit

On Thursday we were honoured to have a visit from the newly appointed Bishop of Norwich- the Rt Revd Graham Usher. We welcomed the Bishop with an assembly by Miss Blakie about cooperation and competition and a school tour. Our head girl, Molly, also presented the Bishop with one of our holding crosses which were made from an olive tree in Bethlehem. The Bishop enjoyed his visit and liked discussing the children's learning with them. It was lovely to have the opportunity to show some important visitors our lovely school and how kind, caring and hardworking the children are.

## Flu Immunisation

Please ensure that you have completed the online form to consent to your child having the Flu immunisation. This needs to be done by 25<sup>th</sup> November and the immunisation will happen on the 3<sup>rd</sup> December. If you wish to decline the request, please ensure you still complete the online form.

# Dressing for the weather

It really seems that winter is upon us now! The weather is certainly a lot colder and it looks unlikely we have seen the last of the rain. Because of this, please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for this typically British weather. We really enjoy going out in all weathers and the children really benefit from learning outside. Each classroom has welly racks so please feel free to let the children come to school in winter boots/wellies and then change into their plimsolls for the classroom.



# Dates coming up...

Monday 25th November: Bethany Bear visit - Reception/Year 1, Step on Road

Safety - Year 2, Seatbelt Safety - Year 4, Road Safety - Year 6 Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November: Kestrels' Gooderstone Gathering

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December: Skylarks' Gooderstone Gathering

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December: Flu immunisation

Wednesday 11th December: Nativity- Superstar!

Monday 16th December: Christmas Lunch (Please book via Parent Mail App by Wed 27th Nov)

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December: Carol Concert Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Fair