



Gooderstone Gazette

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

This half term's worship theme:

Challenge

Federation Proverb

Proverbs 22:6- 'Train a child in the way they should go and when they are older they shall not depart from it'.

**Weekly Attendance
Award:
Owls and Kestrels
(100%)**

Star of the week:

Owls - Ruby for writing a fantastically detailed conclusion for her Science experiment.

Skylarks - Danny for great resilience in Maths.

Kestrels - Callum for a fantastic attitude towards all aspects of school and superb manners.

Wow of the week:

Owls - Priyah for showing great skills in Hockey.

Skylarks - Betsy for showing deep thinking skills in P4C and listening carefully to others.

Kestrels - Gracie for thoughtful points and questions in P4C.

Australia Day

We raised a fantastic £170 from Australia Day! We want to say a big thank you for all of your donations and to Tara for her brilliant face painting. The children really enjoyed the day and were proud to be able to help such a good cause. Here are some of the children completing some Aboriginal Art...



Cleaning Job

We are looking for a cleaner who will make our school super sparkly. If you wish to apply for this, or know of anyone who would like to apply, please contact the school office at 01366 328280 or office@gooderstone.norfolk.sch.uk.

Visits to the school are welcomed. Application packs can also be found on our website

<http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/>

Cake Friday - The winner was Archie! Total for the week: £25.

Let every light shine

Maths BIF – The Why & Apply

Every class has sent home a Maths Knowledge Organiser, explaining the key facts, vocabulary and concepts that the children are learning this term. These can be used to practise at home and teachers may set homework relating to them. We would also like you to help the children see the value in the Maths they are learning by spotting why it is useful. Key questions to ask are:

- Why do we need to learn this?
- Where can we use this knowledge at home?
- What jobs might people use this for?
- Can you find real life situations where you use this Maths?

Plant to Plate Vouchers

As a school we are taking part in the Plant to Plate initiative this term. Tokens are in the local newspapers. Please bring them to the office where there is a collecting box. The more tokens we collect, the more plants we can buy and plant in our school with the children.

It`s really worthwhile for children to see the process of growing their own food and then have the chance to cook with it.

Clubs

Wednesday`s tag rugby club will continue, however it will change to an indoor dodgeball/benchball club if the weather is too bad to be outside.

Monday after school-Choir club

Tuesday lunchtime- Ukulele club

Wednesday after school- Tag Rugby club

Thursday after school- Tae Kwon Do or Spy club.

Friday lunchtime- Art club and Netball club.

Dates coming up...

3rd February - 9:30 Kestrels` Gooderstone Gathering (please note that this date has changed). Non-school uniform for Einstein house.

12th February - Kestrels` trip to the Imperial War Museum.

14th February - Point in Time Reports sent home, Valentine`s Disco.

26th February - Athlete visit to the school.

5th March - Owls` Gooderstone Gathering.

9th March - Skylarks` Gooderstone Gathering.

16th March - Science workshop for all year groups.

18th March -20th March - Year 3/4 Residential visit to Holt Hall.

20th March - Mother`s day gift sale.

25th March - Kestrels` Gooderstone Gathering.

27th March - Level 1 Cycle training - Year 4.

1st April- Easter Fair.

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