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Gooderstone Gazette

The Newsletter from **Gooderstone C of E Primary Academy** – Your School, Your News!

Worship Theme:

Communication

Do you have to speak the same language to communicate?

Weekly Attendance Award:

> Kestrels 97.78%

Star of the week:

Owls – George, for always making the right choices and being a good role model.

Skylarks – Livvy, for doing so much practise on the beat the teacher challenge on Ed-Shed

Kestrels – Jack, for being an excellent role model and always being kind and respectful.

Wow of the week:

Owls – Lucas, for trying really hard in their writing. Skylarks – Max, for big improvement on his reading becoming much more fluent. Kestrels – Neidas,

for gaining confidence in maths when doing about.

Our learning - Where can we go?

Owls and Goslings: This we have been continuing with the gunpowder plot. We made artefacts for our museum. We wrote a warning poster, made gunpowder, made a top hat and a big barrel. We also made a story map of the gunpowder plot.

Skylarks: This week in science we have been thinking about what light is. We made a light box using a bottle of water in the top of the box to reflect light into the box. We also had a box, put things inside then put holes in it and tested how much light it let in. In geography we found out where the oldest theatre is and discovered it was in Italy. We learnt some facts about Italy!

Kestrels: This week we looked at a famous poem called Tyger, Tyger by William Blake who is also an artist. We then painted pictures inspired by the poem.



Einstein



107 Points

Newton



107 Points



Curie



122 Points



This week's winning house is.... Curie with 122 points. Well done Curie, you have earned yourselves a non-school uniform day on Monday!



Platinum Jubilee Colour Run

The Friends of Gooderstone would like to say a truly heartfelt thank you to everyone who has returned their sponsorship money to school following the hugely successful Platinum Jubilee Colour Run last week.

The money raised so far adds up to an absolutely incredible £830.50!!

We know that there may still be more to come so please return any outstanding sponsorship money to the school as soon as possible. We're looking forward to keeping you updated on the final total and sharing how this money will be used to benefit the children and school. Thank you!!

Summer Fair Sat 16th July

Preparations for the school summer fair are well under way and we've a great line-up of events! To help make the day a success, we are looking for volunteers to help on the day - Saturday 16th July. If you are able to offer us an hour or two of your time, please let one of the Friends team know or Mrs Delve in the office where we'll pop a volunteer sign-up sheet. Many thanks, The Friends!





Saturday 16th July 11am to 3pm

GOODERSTONE C OF E PRIMARY ACADEMY

To help make our summer fair and raffle a great success we'd be hugely grateful for donations of the following:

Friday 24th June Wacky Hair

Friday 1st July Break the rules* Friday 8th July Wear your PJs

Bring in a bottle of

Bring in any hamper item/s.

Bring in unused outdoor games or gardening items.

*More info to follow

We are also welcoming the following:

- Teddies well cared for and no-longer needed teddies (ideally washed if possible and donated via the office)
 - Volunteers to help for a little bit on the day!
- . Performers do you or your child/ren perform in a group and wish to showcase some talent at the fair? We'd love to hear from you!

Get in touch via the office or The Friends of Gooderstone Group on Facebook. Registered charity: 1045069





After School (3.15-4.15)

Lunch Time

Monday – Gardening Club (Yr2-Yr6) Wednesday – Jigsaw Puzzle, Mrs Skilton (Everyone) Tuesday - Netball, Mrs Keeble (Yr3-Yr6)-FULL Thursday - Singing, Mrs Chisman (Everyone) Thursday – Taekwondo, Mr Fouler (Recep-Yr6)

Due to staff preparation and commitment, once children are signed up, it is important that they attend every week. However, if your child is unable to attend please ring the school office to let us know. Copies of chosen clubs are sent home. Summer Clubs will run until the end of term.

(Clubs will run until - Thurs 21st July)



Reading is our biggest priority this academic year, it is the key to unlocking all curriculum subjects for children. As with last year we are using the Power of Reading as a way to encourage children to love books and broaden their reading horizon. We want every child to be a confident reader with a passion for books. We use our Power of reading book as the basis for our English teaching and incorporate it into other subject areas. We also have a class reader which is a shared class book that is read to

the children every day.

Current Books:

Power or Reading books

Owls: The Puffin book of Fantastic First Poems

Skylarks: The Green Ship **Kestrels:** The Hobbit

Class Reader:
Owls: Billy The Bird
Skylarks: The Bolds
Kestrels: The Hobbit



Book of

A First

Poems &





Diary Dates

Sharing Assembly: Every Friday morning at 9.15am, the classes and parents will get together to share the children's learning and celebrate the stars and wows of the week.

Please note there will be no sharing assembly Friday 1st July

Monday 20th June: - Curie House - Non School Uniform Day

Monday 20th June: - Kestrels - Non School Uniform Day - For collecting the most Respect Counters.

Friday 24th June: - Cake Raffle.

Friday 24th June: - Wacky Hair - Bring in a bottle of wine.

Wednesday 29th June:- Sports Day.

Friday 1st July:- Circus Workshop

Friday 1st July:- Break the Rules* Bring in any hamper item/s * More info to follow Friday 8th July:- Wear your Pj's to school - Bring in outdoor games or gardening items

11th – 22nd July:- Transition (All pupils to move into their new classes)

Saturday 16th July:- Summer Fair 11am-3pm

Friday 22nd July:- Last Day of Term - Children back to school Tuesday 6th September

Every effort is made to stick to the planned dates, but occasionally circumstances beyond our control may affect inschool events. We will always inform you as soon as possible of any changes.

Thank you for understanding!

Let every light shine





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FREE ENTRY

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- · lots of games ·
 - · prizes ·
 - · crafts ·
- · bouncy castle ·
- · entertainment ·
- · cream teas and hot food ·
 - · refreshments and bar ·
 - · summer raffle · and more!





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