Goodrich Church of England Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Friends,

@Bristol Robotics Competition

Well done to the Woodpeckers for the work they submitted following their visit to @Bristol. We received a letter over half term to congratulate the children on their work. Dr. Corra Boushel informed us that we received a commendation for the work and soon we will take delivery of a robotics prize. I wonder what it will be? She went on to say that the Chief Scientific Advisor to the Government and the EU Space Agency (robotics division) had been to visit, so they have been noticed by important people! Great work Woodpeckers and thank you for entering them Miss Brett.

Church week

As you have seen on the calendar, church week is coming up. This year Art will be our focus and each class will take the work of a different artist as inspiration. If you are available to walk up with the children on any day, please speak to your class teacher to find out when they will be going. On Thursday parents are welcome to come and join us at the church and to look at the work they have been doing. Some of the parishioners are kindly going to provide refreshments. Infant parents are welcome any time between 10 and 11:30 for as long or short as you like and Junior parents between 1:20 and 2:30. The week will finish with a visit from landscape artist Doug Eaton who will work with all the children through the day.

Best wishes,
Miles
Head Teacher

Notices- PLEASE KEEP READING

- AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS Mrs Carter has allocated all places as per the booking forms received. However there are many places not yet paid for. Please check your ParentPay accounts and make payments asap.
 - o SMILES CLUB If you have booked your child in for SMILES, charges are now on ParentPay. Please check your account.
 - ART CLUB (Monday) Volunteers needed to help with a "one off" session. See Kirsti Holbrow or Mrs Carter.
 - Only 7 spaces left for Lego & Family Games
 - Only 3 spaces left for Knitting
 - Only 3 spaces left for Choir
 - Art Club is FULL
 - Football is FULL however there are a number of places that have not been paid for. Please check your ParentPay account and make payment to avoid losing the place. There are quite a few on the reserve list for this club.
- **SCHOOL LUNCHES** All meals are payable in advance, please ensure there is enough credit on your ParentPay account to cover your child's meals for each week.
- **UNIFORM** Uniform can now be purchased from Clubsport in Ross-on-Wye or ordered online at http://www.clubsport.co.uk/index.php/clubshops/category/116-goodrich-primary-school
- NEXT CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY- FRIDAY 10th JULY
- **FOREST SCHOOLS-** Wellies and outdoor gear for Robins on Tuesdays and Woodpeckers/ Owls on Thursday. Peregrines will be visiting Forest School for a whole day later in this half term.
- **Smiles Club** would be very grateful for any donations of 'U' rated DVDs. They can be dropped with Tracy in the office. Thank you
- Forest School- Any donations of bark chippings or weed membrane would be gratefully received.

** Class Superstars **										
Wrens	Hannah Fitzpatrick	Woodpeckers	Aarrowen Llewellyn-	Peregrines	All of					
Brodie Akester Evie Hougham		Charlotte Husbands	Davies Amelie Carver		Year 5 and 6					
Robins Vaughan Rees	Sam Thomas Menna De'Cloedt	Owls	Jack Chaplain Rose Lambe	Citizen of the Week	******					

News from the classes			This Week
Wrens	The Wrens have been creating story maps for The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch. In Maths, we have been learning about halves. We have also enjoyed finding out about seaside holidays in	Reception	99%
Robin;	The Robins have been exploring areal images of different parts of the world and then we	Year One	90.5%
Wood-	created our own. In English, we have started our new story, Meerkat Mail and have created our very own puppets in order to retell the story.	Year Two	93.6%
pecker;	Woodpeckers have been working hard going over written methods of subtraction this week in maths and have been continuing their work on different genres of non-fiction writing in English, finishing off with designing their own front page newspaper story!	Year Three	<mark>99.1%</mark>
Owls	This week, we have been mostly looking at instructions in English and decimals in Maths. In our topic, we have learned about pollination and the creation of seeds through fertilisation.	Year Four	<mark>99.1%</mark>
Peregrines	On Thursday, Peregrines spent the day with Kirsty from the Konflux Theatre Company where they learned a 'play in a day'. In the afternoon they performed 'Greece is the Word' to	Year Five	91.2%
	parents and the whole school. All of Year 5 and 6 had a part to play and their final performance was brilliant. They were all superstars!	Year Six	91.7%
		Total	95.1%

Cloakroom of the week

INFANTS



School Prayer

Dear God,
Bless our school
Bless our teachers
Bless our pupils
Bless our families

Please help us to be kind and help us to always try our best

Let us remember, as many hands make a house So many hearts make a school Amen

Housepoints



Diary Dates- Leavers and Moving On Tolerance Celebrations & Responsibility, Trust in God

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Mon 15 th -19 th June	All week	Phonics Screening Check Week (Yrs 1 &2)	Ulade 1 ^{5‡} lede	13:30	Robin Hood Dress Rehearsal		
Tues 16 th June	All Day	Year 6 Crucial Crew – Now Leominster	Weds 1 st July	Parents UNABLE to attend evenings may attend			
Thurs 18 th June	09:00- 16:00	Year 6 Leavers Service at Hereford Cathedral	Thurs & Fri 2 nd /3 rd July	18:00	Robin Hood Performance		
Thurs 18 th June	15:00 - 16:00	Summer Concert after school club	Tues & Weds 7 th /8 th July	TBC	Parents' Evenings		
Fri 19 th June	TBC	Robins KS1 Multi skills tournament	Thursday 9 th July	All day	Peregrine Class - Forest School		
Mon 22 nd June	09:30	Sports Morning followed by family picnic lunch on the field	Fri 10 th July	14:30	Celebration Assembly		
Mon 22 nd -26 th June Thurs 25 th June	All week TBC	Church week Share time with our families at the church. Thurs 10-11:30 Infant parents. 1:20-2:30 Juniors	Mon 13 th - 17 July	NO CLUBS THIS WEEK			
Thurs 25 th June	15:05 - 16:00	Summer Concert after school club	Weds 15 th July	16:00- 18:00	Year 6 Leavers' Parents and Pupils BBQ & Rounders		
Fri 26 th June	TBC	Rounders Tournament	Thurs 16 th July	09:30	Year 2 Graduation (Robin & Woodpecker Year 2s)		
Fri 26 th June	17:00- 20:00	Summer Fiesta!	Friday 17 th July	09:30	Year 6 Leaver's Service End of Academic Year 2014-15		
Some dates may be subject to change and some dates are yet to be confirmed.							