

KEEPING SAFE & HEALTHY

CHRISTIAN VALUES

HOPE

COMMUNITY NEWS

50 Things To Do This SUMMER

1. Paddle in the sea or shallow river with a friend
2. Walk barefoot in the dewy morning grass
3. Shelter under a tree in the rain
4. Do bubble paintings - straws, paint and washing up liquid
5. Paint a picture on an iPad using APP (Fingerpaint Magic APP 79p.)
6. Make a seasonal fruit smoothie (even better go fruit picking for it!)
7. Cook sausages on a BBQ. Fire pit or open fire
8. Go for a walk and take a picnic for halfway
9. Play the colour car game
10. Visit a museum/art gallery
11. Go to the local library
12. Go on a bus/train ride
13. Have a water bomb fight
14. Cream pie friends
15. Run under a water sprinkler
16. Go sand dune jumping
17. Watch a full sunset
18. Watch a full sunrise
19. Make a bee bath and watch the bees
20. Try to catch a butterfly
21. Do a butterfly painting
22. Learn a new song
23. Learn a new poem
24. Make a pop video to a summer song
25. Dress up like a pop star
26. Go on a bear hunt
27. Make your own musical instruments
28. Make fruit cocktails complete with mini umbrella
29. Make your own muffin pizzas
30. Go to an outdoor show/fair/market
31. Visit somewhere in your locality
32. Visit a different locality and send a postcard from there
33. Have a mud hair day
34. Wear fiz oil day
35. Camp (outside or in)
36. Ride a pony (Make a pool noodle one)
37. Have a lopsy lurvy day (breakfast for dinner, pudding first!)
38. Have a day without electronics
39. Find an unusual place to read a book
40. Make real lemonade with real lemons
41. Create tropical setting in your home or garden and have a tropical day
42. Have a sing a long day - sing instead of say
43. Take someone out for the day
44. Have a cinema day at home
45. Make popcorn from corn
46. Dance in the moonlight
47. Go out sketching your area
48. Invent your own Shabang - summerselfie
49. Make a pic collage of your summer
50. Write a list of 50 summer things to be thankful for (approximately one per day)



WANTED

Goodrich Litter Pickers

on **Sunday 18th July 2021**

at **10.00am**

Please meet in the school car park

Some litter picking equipment will be available but sensible footwear and gloves would be a good idea!

Thank you for your support

Goodrich Church of England

Attendance		13 th Edition 2020-21	16 th July 2021	Termly House points		
Reception	94.8%	<p>School Prayer </p> <p>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</p>	<p></p> <p>Collective Worship</p> <p>At this time of year we think about Leavers & Moving On</p> <p></p> <p>We are pioneers. We value hope and democracy.</p> <p><small>'Hope is coupled with faith and love as one of the three most enduring gifts of the Spirit.' 1 Corinthians 13:13.</small></p>	 Dragon	1	
Year 1	94.6%			 Pegasus		
Year 2	96.1%					
Year 3	94.3%					
Year 4	93.7%				 Griffin	3
Year 5	98.1%					
Year 6	97.4%				 Phoenix	5
TOTAL	95.6%					

Primary School Newsletter

News

Dear all,

Welcome to the final newsletter of a truly unusual year. I would like to thank every member of our community who has played a part in helping to give the children the best school experience that we could over the year. Including those that helped us to keep everyone safe by staying away.

Staff are definitely ready for a well-deserved break and perhaps a residential in the last full week won't catch on! Thank you to Mrs Jones, Mrs Daniels, Mrs Langford & Mr Davies for giving Year Five a fantastic end to their term.

Today we have had our Year Six Leavers service and as normal it was an emotional event. Our children have proved they have resilient attitudes and have made the best of every opportunity they have been given. I am also proud of our staff and governor team for striving to allow as many of our normal activities to go ahead so that they are truly ready for the next step in their journey. A big thank you to Jeremy and Petra who came to manage 'Brian' our pizza oven, adding to another final year Six event. It was very much appreciated! Also Seth Oliver and 'Fizzi Events' for sponsoring and producing the Year Six film which we will all enjoy on Monday.

Sadly we are losing lots of long standing Goodrich families this year, we truly thank them for everything they have contributed to the school and wish them all the best for the future. Please stay in touch.

A final thank you to the Goodrich Village Hall committee who allowed our children to watch an amazing outdoor puppet performance on Tuesday. I'm sure that you have all heard about it from your children but the detail in the puppet creation and careful crafting of the show was a delight. This was made all the more special as it was the first time that we were sat altogether (albeit in bubbles) as a school this year.

Congratulations to Phoenix House who won this terms award- we will find a suitable reward for them all in September when we look forward to being back together and ready for a new school year. Have a wonderful summer holiday.

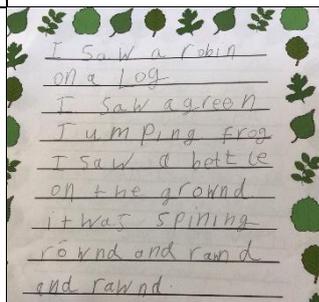
Best wishes
Mrs Miles

Class News

What a wonderful week we have had this week, so full of new fun and exciting things to do. The children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in the Sports Activities, learning new skills, yoga, golf, running, jumping. Thanks to Miss Williams for teaching us some new team games. The weather played an important part in our week, searching for wind to make our windmills turn. However we found the breeze in forest school as the smoke from our amazing fire building got in our eyes, as we toasted our marshmallows. The children were amazed with the puppet show 'Insect Safari', having the experience to meet the puppeteer and see the puppets close up. Water play was the most chosen activity of the week, as some parents knew from the changes of clothes some children had. Exploring capacity through pouring, using jugs and test tubes, weight in the water cascade as we used items for floating and sinking. Having some lovely days to bring our term to an end.

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow play!	Words of the Week
<p>"Wow"</p> <p>Was the word of the week. Heard so often during our fun times.</p>	<p>Goldcests enjoying the activities on offer at Whole School Sports.</p> 	<p>Learning about fire safety at forest school, with the added surprise of toasting marshmallows</p> 	<p>Wonderful 'W' words</p> <p>weather windy wicked witch walrus white wolf</p>

Goldcrests

Wrens	<p>Wrens have had a busy time. We really enjoyed learning new games and skills during our Sports Activities Day including ball skills, team games, yoga, golf and athletics. We have had the opportunity to watch an open air theatre performance with some very large insect puppets! We have also been practising recall of number bonds and loved listening to the storytelling headphones. We have enjoyed creating and improving our own bubble wands and set ourselves the challenge of finding who could blow the most (the winning wand made over 50 bubbles in one blow!)</p> <p>We would like to say a great big 'Thank You' to all the children and their families for being so enthusiastic and supportive during this very different school year and wish you all a very happy Summer break.</p>				Class Superstars
	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow play!	Words of the Week	All of Wrens Class
<p>"We're working together. It's teamwork! I'm really happy!" said Annie</p>	<p>We listened really carefully during our yoga session and learned how we can imagine we are a bee, elephant or ball to help us feel calm.</p>		<p>dodge wobble journey peaceful sizzling</p>		
Robins	<p>What a busy couple of weeks! Robins class have been doing fun experiments in science and are waiting to find out what happens to a slice of bread if the level of moisture is different; does it create mould?!</p> <p>We have been problem solving in maths trying to work out the clues to find out who knocked over some sandcastles. In English we have written our own poems based upon Julia Donaldsons poem the 'nut tree' They went on a nature walk with Miss Beard and came up with lots of rhyming words that rhymed with the things they saw. The children then wrote their own poems which were fantastic!</p> <p>This week, we started off with a whole school sports activities day and participated in golf, dodge ball, yoga, team games and athletic skills. The children thoroughly enjoyed all of their activities particularly golf and dodge ball.</p> <p>Tuesday afternoon, we were very lucky to watch 'An Insect Safari' and learnt lots of interesting facts. The children sat beautifully and loved every minute they especially thought the puppets were amazing!</p> <p>As we draw near to the end of term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support throughout the year. Especially as we faced the challenge of 'lockdown' and lessons via zoom and what fun that was?! The children have showed how brilliant they were at adapting to a new way of learning and that wouldn't have been possible with you getting your children online and supporting their learning. THANK YOU!</p> <p>A big thank you to Mike for coming in every week during the summer term to teach tennis skills which the children have thoroughly enjoyed, there are definitely some budding tennis stars!</p> <p>It has been a pleasure to see Robins class grow and learn and I am so proud of them all! I wish them every success as they move up to the next year.</p> <p>Finally, I wish you a restful summer break.</p>				Class Superstars
	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week	All of Robins class
<p>"I am looking forward to going to Woodpeckers because I am excited to learn new things!"</p> <p>Vesper Taylor</p>		 <p>Super poem by Maggie</p>	<p>tear office spare chipped lift</p>		

What a busy few weeks! In Maths we have been learning to add and subtract fractions. In English, we have been creating our very own Stone Age stories based on 'The Stone Age Boy' by Satoshi Kitamura and consolidating all our spelling rules from the last ten weeks. In D.T. we have been working together to make bridge structures using different materials and in Science we have been on an insect hunt to help us identify different invertebrates that live in our local area.

Last week, we finished the week off with a Stone Age morning over in Forest School. The children were split into three 'tribes' and had to work together to build their shelters. There was excellent teamwork and great creativity, with some tribes even including their very own cave paintings! We even looked at and tasted different foods that Stone Age people would have eaten including berries, nuts, flat bread, different types of fish and liver. The fish was a big hit with the children!

This week, we started off with a whole school sports activities day and participated in golf, cricket, yoga, team games and athletic skills. The children thoroughly enjoyed all of their activities and it looks like we even have some future cricket stars in our midst!

Then on Tuesday, we had a morning of P.E. with Mr Catlin, where we focused on cricket and lacrosse. Then in the afternoon, we were very lucky to watch 'An Insect Safari' and learnt lots of interesting facts. We had lots of questions to ask the cast about how the puppets were made and about the different insects we learnt about.

As we approach the end of term, I would just like to thank all the children for continuing to be their amazing selves through one of the toughest years. They have had to adapt to a new way of learning (Zoom), staying in a bubble and a whole different set up to what they are normally used to. I would also like to thank all of the parents for their continued support throughout the year, especially during those tricky remote learning times. You and your children are all superstars! Also, a big thank you to Mr Catlin for teaching P.E. to Woodpeckers Class every Tuesday. The children have loved every moment!

Finally, I would just like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful summer (hopefully with a few more trips) and a well-deserved break.

All of
Woodpeck
ers Class

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week
<p>Emilia said, "I loved listening to the stories about the different insects from around the world. They were so interesting".</p>	 <p>Whole School Sports Activities Day!</p>	 <p>Tasting Stone Age food, Stone Age style!</p>	<p>hunger loyal respect ponder mingle</p>

What a busy week! We started the week by having the opportunity to try some sport activities which were new to many of us... we appear to have some budding cricketers and golfers amongst us! We have also been busy making cupcakes and doing some gardening to keep the school grounds looking tidy. On Tuesday afternoon we were lucky enough to join with the rest of the school, outside, to watch a theatre company perform Insect Safari with puppets. It was a wonderful performance and packed full of information about insects with an important message about caring for the environment at its heart. At the end of the week, Year 5 had a fabulous time on their over night stay at the Biblins, learning lots of new skill and overcoming personal challenges. It was lovely to see them growing in confidence and supporting each other while having a lot of fun! Meanwhile, Year 4 were doing graffiti art and sports activities.

As we approach the end of term, I would like to thank the children for working hard in this strangest of years! They have adapted to the changes and challenges with determination and shown wonderful resilience. I would also like to thank all of the parents for their support and commitment through this challenging year; you were all superb at getting your children online and learning during lockdown and for that you deserve high praise indeed! Thank you, also, to Mrs Mutlow for helping Owls Class this term with their swimming, it was lovely to return to the pool and added a little bit of 'normal life' back to this year!

All of Owls
Class

I wish you all a well earned summer holiday.

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!
<p>'It was lovely to be with the rest of the school to watch the Insect Safari'</p> <p>Sophia</p>	 <p>Owls Class did lots of weeding to make our outdoor area look amazing!</p>	<p>Owls Class made some fabulous cakes.</p> 

Since the last newsletter, Year 5 and 6 have been on a residential. Year 5 undertook bushcraft skills whilst Year 6 did water sports, willow basket making and first aid. On both trips, the weather was very kind to us. The children had a great time and came away with some brilliant memories. Last Friday, Peregrine Class did a dress rehearsal to Year 3, 4 and 5. The audiences gave some very good feedback, which the children will be acting on in preparation for their final performances on Monday 19th July at 1:30pm.

On Monday, Peregrine Class had the opportunity to participate in a range of sports including cricket and golf. In between this, Year 6 were busy creating their end of primary school video. A huge thank you to Joe and Seth for all their help with the video.

This year has been a challenge, but the children have been amazing. They have shown such resilience and positivity and they have certainly taken on board our class motto of 'alone we are strong; together we are stonger'. I am so very proud of them all.

This year has meant we have not been able to see parents, grandparents and other adults face to face and to share events with them as much as we would normally do, but that hasn't stopped you from continuing to help and support us, even though some parts have been a bit tricky – remote learning by zoom! Thank you for being so great.

Thank you to those of you who have given your time to share skills, give inspiring talks, capture and help make memories with Peregrine Class. It has been very much appreciated.

I would like to wish you all a wonderful summer and well-deserved rest. Take care. x

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week
<p>Alone we are strong; together we are stronger.</p> 	 <p>Canoeing, Kayaking and Paddle Boarding on the River Wye</p>	  <p>Pizza making in Forest School</p>	<p>Peregrine Class pizza party celebrity list</p> 

Peregrines

All of
Peregrine
Class

What's Going On? (Please see ourschoolsapp.com for further information)

Forest School	Celebration Worship	Other Dates	
	Sadly, no 'Celebration Worship' at the moment	19/17/21	Year 2 Graduation Service 9.30
		19/07/21	Leavers Play 1.30
		20/07/21	Whole school Picnic Day
		20/07/21	Last day of the school year
		06/09/21	First day of 2021-22 School Year

Twitter Snapshot @GoodrichCESch



Reminder- please make sure all outstanding bills are settled ASAP via ParentPay

Coming Soon/ PTFA

The Wonder Zone Church Holiday Club 2021



When - 3rd, 4th and 5th August 9.00a.m. until 4p.m.
Where - Llangrove Village Hall/outside grassy area as much as possible
What - Experiments, Amazing facts, Games, Activities, Crafts, Drama and the unexpected!
Cost - £10 a child a day or 3 days for the price of 2!
 All welcome.

Helpers to include Wendy Price, Francesca Cinderey, Fay Visser, Jenny Bibby, Pavla Bloor, Nick Penny, Jenny Fox

Please contact Wendy Price (01989770450) if your child is interested in joining in the fun.

SCOPE = Equality for disabled people

Scope in Ross-on-Wye are holding a Summer holiday "make it count" activity to raise funds to help disabled people. For just £1 entry fee we would like children to count as many different types of either Birds, Flowers, or Cars that they spot, in the first two weeks of August. Great prizes for the top five winners.