

KEEPING SAFE & HEALTHY

WATER FOR LIFE

The human body is approximately **70% water...**

...to maintain this, it is important to drink at least 8-10 glasses of clean water a day.

Benefits of drinking Water:

- Helps flush out toxins
- Keeps skin healthy
- Has zero sugar, fat and calories
- Protects your heart

Regularly drinking water helps maintain a healthy lifestyle

CHRISTIAN VALUES

ENDURANCE

Dear God,
I don't ask You to make my life easier, but I ask You to give me strength to face all my trouble.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Rain or Shine Theatre Company present:
"The Recruiting Officer"
a bawdy Restoration comedy by the Irish playwright George Farquhar
on Friday 22nd July 2022 at 7.30pm
on Goodrich Primary School Field
Tickets available www.goodrichvillagehall.co.uk
(event organised by Goodrich Village Hall)

Goodrich Church of England

Attendance		19 th Edition 2021-22	15 th July 2022	House points	
Reception	90.1%	<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>Goodrich Church of England Primary School</p> <p>Collective Worship</p> <p>We are pioneers. We show endurance.</p> <p>"For the Lord is good and his love endures forever." (Psalm 100:5)</p>	Dragon	5
Year 1	93.3%			Pegasus	3
Year 2	87.8%			Griffin	1
Year 3	83.3%			Phoenix	2
Year 4	89.1%				
Year 5	97.7%				
Year 6	98.3%				
TOTAL	91.5%				

Primary School Newsletter

Twitter Snapshot @GoodrichCESch



Reminders

- Please check all of your uniform is named, it is impossible for us to reunite it if it isn't. Un-named lost property is on the benches by the main entrance.
- Please ensure that a long-lasting **sun barrier** is put on your children before they come to school and that they have a named **sun hat**.

PTFA

A huge thank you to our amazing PTFA! We appreciate all of your hard work and everything you add to our school experiences.

News

Dear all,

Welcome to our last Newsletter of the year. It is a time of mixed emotions, sadness when something is finishing and excitement as there is something new to look forward to. Thank you all for your support throughout the year.

Battle of the Bands

It seems a long time ago, as everything is so busy in school but two weeks ago



Battle of the bands made our deserving 2022 winners. Well done Harry, Jimmy, Manu and Umber.

Car Park

Unfortunately, two staff cars have been quite badly scratched in the last two weeks. Please supervise children carefully as they get in and out after school.

Monday & Tuesday weather warnings

Currently we will be open as normal, although I know there has been a Cobra meeting this morning, so please forgive me if advice changes at the last minute. We will be doing everything we can to keep the children cool and calm at school and will monitor temperature throughout the day.

The children will be encouraged to drink throughout the day and not allowed to play sports in lessons or at play time. No child will go out to play without a hat. All doors and windows will be open and the classrooms shielded from the sun. All staff have been made aware of symptoms of overheating, treatment and how to identify Heat stroke.

Please ensure your children are wearing sunscreen and have a hat. They can wear any appropriate cool clothing on Monday and Tuesday, however please can Year Two children arrive in school uniform on Tuesday and bring a change of clothes for after their graduation service.

Leavers

Next week it will be time to say some goodbyes and the final day is always difficult as the Year Six share their memories of their time with us. We will also be saying farewell to some of our staff team. The last three years have been some of the most challenging in my teaching experience and I am so grateful to have such a caring team. Miss Cropp, Miss Hall and Mr Hucks will be leaving us for pastures new and Mrs Blake and Mrs Thomas will be retiring. I'm sure that you will join me in thanking them for all their hard work and dedication. I make special mention of Mrs Thomas who has been working at our school for 48 years! That truly is dedication, 48 years of looking after Goodrich children and walking up and down the hill. She is very much loved by us all and will be hugely missed.

Have a fabulous summer and we look forward to seeing most of you on September the 6th.

Best wishes

Mrs Miles

Class News

Goldcrests

Goldcrests have had a fantastic week exploring water activities. Starting the week off with Forest School as the children became completely immersed with the fun and excitement of the water slide, finding the morning went all too quickly. Some children became involved with creating a large spiders web out of string amongst the trees, developing their knot tying skills. This week with the weather heating up, the water cascade became one of the most popular areas in the Nursery, causing lots of laughter, conversations, team work and very soggy children. As they developed their hand-eye coordination they learned to pour water from one container to another, observing how to control the direction and size of the water flow and splash the water would make. They added materials to the water and we explored more mathematical and scientific concepts such as volume, comparing full and empty containers and items that would float or sink. We have seen the start of some fantastic builders for the future as they used construction tools and Meccano to create some fabulous models. The children enjoyed the School Sports Day where we witnessed some skills for future sports stars as they learnt the skills of lacrosse, golf and the African dancing.

It has been a pleasure to see Goldcrests grow and learn and we are so proud of them all! We wish you all a fun filled summer break.

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow play!	Words of the Week
<p>Hunter demonstrated good problem-solving skills after arguing with another child because they both wanted to be “the Dad” in the game they were playing, she said “I know, we can both be the Dad.”</p>	 Goldcrests enjoyed learning a new skill on sports day	 Fun and Friendship	<p>Something beginning with 'w'</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> whale waffle wheel's wagon witch wizard water wet </p>

Wrens

Wrens had a great time during our school Sports Activities Day. We had a go at lacrosse, played parachute games, enjoyed boccia, learned a new stomping dance and practised archery (using beanbags and balloons). In Maths, we have been learning about two-digit numbers and what they mean. We have been applying the phonics skills we have learned throughout the year when reading and writing. We performed a story and shared our learning with our families during our Celebration Worship and impressed Miss Wright and Mrs Babbage with our big loud voices. In Science, we have investigated what happens to raisins when you put them into different liquids and how we can make paper butterflies fly using only a balloon. In RE, we have been thinking about how different faiths welcome babies into their families. We learned about the chocolate pudding plant that grows in the rainforest and enjoyed our final Forest School session of the year.

As we approach the end of term, we would like to thank parents/carers for their support throughout the year and wish you all a super summer break.

Class Superstars

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow play!	Words of the Week	
<p>“We helped each other. It made me feel tickly and happy, “ commented Lucy.</p>	<p>We enjoyed watching our friends from Peregrines help the Open the Book team to tell the story of Jesus Calming the Storm.</p>		<p>static protect welcome sticky cluttered</p>	<p>Last Week Lucy Juniper This Week All of Wrens Class</p>

Robins

What a busy last couple of weeks we have had in Robin's class. In Science we have been continuing with our 'awe and wonder' experiments and the children have been making some fantastic predictions! In Maths the year 2's have been looking at polygons or not polygons. The year 1's have been consolidating adding and subtracting using a number line. In English we have finished our Meerkat Mail theme by writing a letter as Sunny, the children wrote some fantastic letters. In RE the children have been using clay to make an ornament to remind parents of a special time of when they were born based upon religious symbolism. On Tuesday the children took part in sports activity day. They got to try a variety of activities such as archery, lacrosse, boccia, golf and a gum boot dance, they had a brilliant day. The children have enjoyed watching the year 6 performances and watching their first open the book collective worship in a while.

As we are almost at the end of term I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you for your continued support, I am so proud of all the children. I have thoroughly enjoyed seeing them flourish over the year. Have a restful summer break.

Last Week
Hayleigh
Maggie

This Week

Rosie
Danny
Maddy

Quote of the week

Body & Mind

Wow work!

Words of the Week

"Archery was exciting, I got to shoot an arrow!" Exclaimed Oliver.



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Woodpeckers

In Maths this week, we have been finishing our fractions focus through finding equivalent fractions, counting in fractions and decimals and ordering and comparing fractions using a fraction wall. We have also been investigating 2D and 3D shapes and identifying different angles. In English we have been looking at different prefixes and suffixes and using dictionaries to find different words that include them. In Geography, we have been using our newspaper recounts to create a news bulletin using the green screen and in History, we have been researching how Vikings lived. On Tuesday, we had a day full of sports activities including archery, dance, lacrosse, volleyball and boccia, which all the children and staff enjoyed. On Wednesday, we had a day in Forest School, making runes for our Vikings theme and 3D shapes out of natural objects. We also made pizzas and used Brian the Snail to cook them. They were delicious!

As we approach the end of term, I would just like to thank all of the parents for their continued support throughout the year, you and your children are all amazing! We would also like to thank Carly for helping with swimming this term (Woodpeckers have had a very successful term at the swimming pool), Kat for listening to us read, Cathy for helping make pizzas in forest school and Dave from Worcester Warriors for teaching us tag rugby skills.

Finally, I would just like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful summer and a well-deserved break.

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Henry G
Jasper HC
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All of
Woodpeckers
Class

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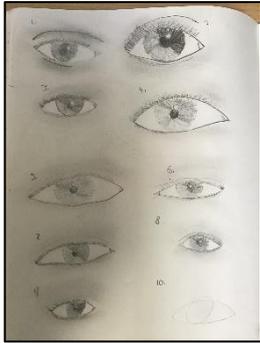
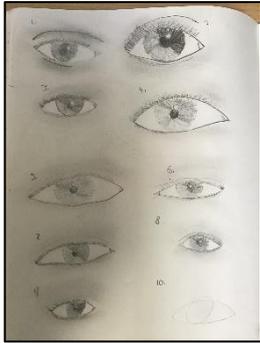
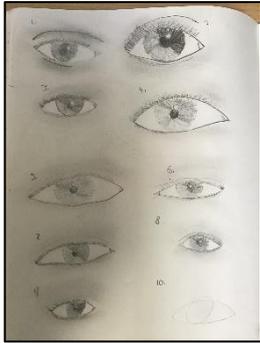


Sports Activities Day



Amazing team work to make this fantastic den!

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	<p>In Maths, Owls class have been multiplying fractions and simplifying the answers. They have also completed some outdoor maths investigations such as, 'Do the tallest trees have the biggest leaves?' or 'Is it possible to find a stick that is exactly half the length of another stick?' In addition to this we have also used our maths skills in D&T to measure and weigh the ingredients when making our bread rolls. Earlier in the week, we enjoyed a day full of sports activities; it was fun trying new sports. On Wednesday, Year 5 visited Five Acres High School for a super learning day. It was a wonderful day and gave Year 5 an insight into what life is like at high school. In art we have been using flour paste to create our batik designs on fabric and next week we will finish painting them! Owls Class have had a busy year and have grown so much in body and mind. As this is the last newsletter before we break up for the summer term, we would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to Mrs Goddard and Mrs Hill for teaching us Music and Spanish and thank you to Mr Catlin for teaching us P.E. Finally, thank you to the parents of Owls class for your support this year and I hope you have a lovely summer break!</p>	<p>Last Week Jake B Oliver</p>								
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<i>Infant Headteacher Star Award</i>	<i>Jessica for being TIPTOP and always trying her best.</i>	<i>Junior Headteacher Star Award</i>	<i>Jake T for being a TIPTOP person you can rely on.</i>
	<i>Cecily for being TIPTOP and always doing her very best.</i>		<i>Alice for being a great friend and school ambassador.</i>

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

Forest School		Celebration Worship		Other Dates	
		19/07/22	Year 2 Graduation 9.30	19/07/22	Leavers Rounders & BBQ 4.00
		20/07/22	Year 6 Leavers Service 9.30	20/07/22	Last Day of Summer Term
				6/09/22	First Day of Autumn Term