

Summer 7 16th June 2017



Newsletter

'To live a creative life, we must lose our fear of being wrong' - Joseph Chilton Pearce

Latest News



Michelle Reader-Artist in Residence

This week, Year 3 were incredibly lucky to be visited by Michelle Reader, a recyclable waste artist. Michelle uses recycled and unused materials to make various sculptures for a range of purposes. She showed us lots of pictures of her sculptures and then the children took part in a workshop making flowers from a range of recyclable materials. This was a perfect link to our science topic about plants, and the children (and adults!) thoroughly enjoyed their day.

Foundation Mufti Day

Next Thursday we will be holding a mufti day in aid of the 401 Foundation which is a charity run by Ben Smith which supports anti-bullying and mental health charities. We ask that the children bring in a £1 to give to their class teacher and come to school in mufti to support this very worthwhile cause!

Guildford Shakespeare Company—A Midsummer Night's Dream

The school have a limited number of tickets for the above performance on the evening of **Friday 30th June** at Racks Close, Quarry Street Guildford. The tickets will be offered to Year 6, initially, on a first come first serve basis at £16.50 until **Friday 23rd June** and if there are any left they will then be offered to the rest of the school. Only one ticket per child is allowed. GJS staff will be accompanying the children who just need to be dropped off before and picked up after the show.

Beginner and Improver Swimming Lessons

Spaces are available for swimming lessons at Cranleigh School, Horseshoe Lane, GU6 8QC as part of a teacher training programe. Aimed at children who are beginner or improver swimmers (up to 25m) it's just £1 for one lesson or if you stay for more. Dates available are 5th, 6th and 7th July at 3.30pm, 4pm and 4.30pm. To book ring 01483 267306 or email bgandg.mjdavis@gmail.com.

We Need Your White Sheets!

Please bring in any unwanted white cotton sheets to Mrs Nash who will put them to very good use in the end of term play. Many thanks.

Bleep Test on Monday

On Monday the final bleep test of the year takes place as part of our third Healthy Week. There will be a twist to the test on Monday which will be revealed during assembly on the day. As part of Healthy Week, which includes Sports Day on Friday, we do ask that the children have their PE kits in all week and their house t-shirts ready for Friday.

Reminder

Can we remind parents who wish to get their child's ears pierced to do this during the summer holidays as it is a Surrey requirement for children not to wear earrings, or any jewellery, during PE sessions. Therefore they either need to be removed, by themselves, or they cannot take part in PE, which is a statutory subject. Surrey guidelines do not allow them to be covered by tape or plasters. Extreme Reading

We are still accepting photos throughout the term so please do continue to send in any pictures of you reading somewhere extreme or unusual to acrook@godalming-junior.surrey.sch.uk. Happy reading!





<u>House Points</u>	
Mars	469
Neptune	461
Saturn	419
Jupiter	380
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PTA News

Thank you all for your **Phil the Bag** donations today. We will let you know in due course how much we managed to raise!

The Godalming Junior School Summer Fair takes place on Friday, 7th July. If you work for a company who would like to donate or sponsor a raffle prize please let us know.

Attendance Winners: 5RP

We are also in the process of finalising dates for next years events so watch this space!

School Achievement

Pupil of the Week:

3NJ— Holly Williams

3AJ— Amelie Read

4SD— Elliott Readings

4TT— Tilly Finch

5RP— Alexander Egan

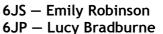
5AC— Gracie Petersson

6JP— Josh Colbourne



TRUST-Values Champions:

3NJ — Isla Mortimer 3AJ — Max Radford-Else 4SD — James Price 4TT — Oliver Jermy 5RP — Georgia Brough 5AC — Jamie Vacher





Sports News

6JS- Martin Timinov

Sports Day

Sports Day returns next Friday and all the staff, led by Miss Pulleyn, and the house captains are busy putting the finishing touches to the day. The day will run like last year with the lower school event in the morning (9.30-12.00pm) and the upper school event in the afternoon (1.00-3.00pm). The event will be held at the Canon Bowing Park and we look forward to seeing you there. Further information will follow Monday.

Inter House Kwik Cricket Tournament

Just another reminder that we hope to run our inter house tournament on **Tuesday 11th July**. Please let the school office know if your collection arrangements have changed. All other details remain the same.

Kwik Cricket Finals Day (1) @ Epsom College

Good luck to the girls Kwik Cricket team who will be representing GJS in the Surrey Finals Day at Epsom College on Wednesday. We look forward to hearing how they get on next week!

Diary Dates

Summer 2017

19th—23rd: **HEALTHY WEEK**19th: Y5 Visit to Godalming

19th: Bleep Test—The Return of the Bleep Test21st: Kwik Cricket Finals @ Epsom College

22nd: 401 Challenge Mufti Day

23rd: SPORTS DAY

26th: UKSA Parents Meeting (7.00pm) 28th: Y5/6 Biathlon @ Rodborough

30th: GJS Talent Show

30th: A Midsummer Night's Dream Show—GSC

July:

June:

5th: 'Moving Up' Day
5th: New Parents Evening
7th: PTA Summer Fair

10th: OCS Kwik Cricket Finals Day @ The Oval

10th: Y6 Leavers BBQ

11th: IH Kwik Cricket Tournament @ Broadwater

14th: District Sports



Inset Days 2017/18
Monday 4th September 2017
Tuesday 5th September 2017
Monday 30th October 2017
Monday 16th April 2018
Monday 23rd July 2018