



Summer 6  
10th June 2022



Godalming Junior School

# Newsletter



## Latest News

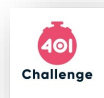
### GJS 401 Challenge Stage 4 Target: 3,147m

[Year 3](#)

[Year 4](#)

[Year 5](#)

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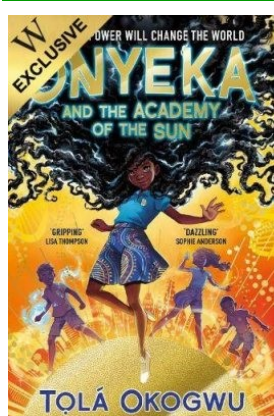


### House Points

<a href="#">Jupiter</a>	<a href="#">922</a>
<a href="#">Mars</a>	<a href="#">806</a>
<a href="#">Neptune</a>	<a href="#">693</a>
<a href="#">Saturn</a>	<a href="#">657</a>



### Waterstones Book of the Month



### Y5 & 6 Sports Day—Rescheduled Dates

The Y5 & Y6 sports days have now been rescheduled to take place during the children's normal PE sessions next week. They will take place at the Canon Bowrings Recreation Ground (Chippie) at 1.30pm on both days. Please ensure children come dressed in their PE kits with their house t-shirts and a waterbottle.

Y5—Monday 13th June

Y6—Tuesday 14th June

### Ben Smith and his 401 USA Challenge—Stage 4

As the weather is more settled, it will be great to see each year group continue to rack up the miles in support of Ben Smith whose challenge across the USA draws ever closer! This term we try and achieve the FINAL stage of his journey by achieving 3,147 miles in each year group. This equates to roughly 50 miles a child, which may sound like a huge distance but divided up between the weeks equates to about 8 miles, which is just over a mile a day. More than achievable. Don't forget to take into account the journey to and from school, any walks after school and at weekends, the approximate distance ran at school, at clubs, for teams at the weekend, in the pool, on the bike or even in kayaks and on horses! Everything counts and every mile matters! Good luck!

### Year 6 First Aid Training

This week Y6 took part in first aid training. The children thoroughly enjoyed it and found the whole experience very positive. They have all said they feel more confident and able to cope with an emergency should it happen. Thank you to Tracey Bowen for providing the training and to the PTA for funding such a vital life skill.

### Year 4 Energy Workshop

Year 4 were incredibly lucky to host a generous parent this week. Mr Muscat came to speak to the children about electricity in the UK, going into detail about renewable energy and even letting the children experiment with a range of energy sources. All of the children (and staff) were fascinated and we are incredibly grateful to Mr Muscat for preparing such an interesting afternoon.

### Ballet Hoo - New Uniform discount valid until Monday 13th June

Our school uniform suppliers are offering a 10% discount on new orders up until 13th June. Items can be purchased and exchanged up to 90 days, in case your child has a sudden growth spurt! Please see the flyer attached for further information and a link [here](#) to the website.

### Second Hand Uniform

We currently have a shortage of second hand school uniform, especially in larger sizes. If you have any jumpers, cardigans or PE kit which you no longer require please drop them into the school office. Thank you.

## PTA News

### Summer Fair – Friday 8th July 6.00–8.30pm

We will have stalls with plenty of activities including beat the goalie, shoot the hoop, hit the drums and much more. More importantly we will have the much-needed bar and BBQ. To accompany the fair we have the usual mufti days to aid with donations to some of the stalls.

MUFTI—Friday 24th June - Bottle Tombola donations—drop off in the cookery room

MUFTI—Friday 1st July— Jolly Jam Jar Donations—drop off in the cookery room.

## School Achievement

### Pupil of the Week:

3CM— Betty  
3EC— Adam  
4EM— Seth  
4GS— Noah  
5SD— Jessica  
5CJ— Rosie  
6JP— Florence P  
6RH— Ruby



Pupil  
Awards



Attendance  
Matters  
...every school day counts!

Attendance Winners: 6JP—100%

Anti Bullying Stars Break time Champions: 4EM

### INDEPENDENCE Values Champions

3CM—Grace  
3EC—Amara  
4EM—Emi  
4GS—Edward  
5SD—Jack  
5CJ—Charlie  
6JP—Florence B  
6RH—Thomas



## Sports News

### Year 6 Girls—Cricket Tournament

Yesterday a group of Year 6 girls took part in the Waverley Junior Schools cricket tournament. They played brilliantly, used fabulous teamwork skills and won every game they played. Some wonderful wickets were taken: run outs, catches and bowled. Well done Annie, Sienna, Tess, Elise, Grace, Emma, Felicity and Bonnie. Because of their stirring performance, we are through to the county finals.



## Diary Dates

### Summer 2022

#### June

13th: Y5 Sports Day (rescheduled) at 1.30pm—Chippie  
14th: Y6 Sports Day (rescheduled) at 1.30pm—Chippie  
13th–17th: Commonwealth Week  
16th: Y5 Cricket tournament at Farncombe CC  
17th: Inter-house Kwik Cricket Tournament—'The G-Ashes'  
20th–22nd: Y4 Sayers Croft Residential Trip  
24th: MUFTI—PTA Summer Fair—Bottle Donations  
28th: Bump Up Day & New Parents Evening

#### July

1st: MUFTI—PTA Summer Fair—Sweetie Jar Donations  
5th: District Sports Day (date change)  
5th & 6th: Y6 Production—A Midsummer Night's Dream  
8th: PTS Summer Fair  
11th–15th: Y6 UKSA Residential Trip  
22nd: END OF TERM @ 1.15pm



### Inset Days 2021/22

~~Wednesday 1st September 2021~~  
~~Monday 1st November 2021~~  
~~Monday 21st February 2022~~  
~~Tuesday 19th April 2022~~  
~~Friday 27th May 2022~~

### Inset Days 2022/23

**Thursday 1st September 2022**  
Monday 31st October 2022  
Friday 10th February 2023  
Monday 17th April 2023  
Friday 26th May 2023