



Georgian Gardens

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Dear Families,

We have had another busy week at Georgian Gardens!

We started our Anti-Bullying Week with 'Odd Socks Day' and the children took part in a range of activities during the week including an assembly to discuss what makes us all unique. We also commemorated Armistice Day with two minutes silence of remembrance.

Thank you to everyone who supported us at our fireworks evening. It was a great evening with a really good community atmosphere. The fireworks were amazing! The PTA raised just over £3500, monies that will go towards the new Year 2 and 3 play trail which is due to be put in at the beginning of December. Thank you to everyone who helped to organise the event and make it such a success.

Our next PTA event is the Art Exhibition on the 21st November. As I mentioned in the last Weekly News, parents are able to come into school from 2:30pm on the day to view their child's art work and order copies if they wish. The children have been hard at work this week putting the finishing touches to their creations and I know that they will be excited to share their work with you.

Thank you to our choir who joined prospective parents at our opening evening last night. They sang their hearts out and the parents and staff were impressed with not only their singing but their impeccable manners.

We have been working hard to develop a new website which is now live. We have a couple of bits of information to add to it but we hope you find it easier to navigate! If you think of anything that would be good on the website, please do let us know and we will look into it.

Thank you for your continued support

Miss Bowers

Monday 18th November	KS1 Angmering half mile @ TAS
Tuesday 19th November	Year 5/6 Kurling @ East Preston
Wednesday 20th November	Year 5 planetarium trip Year 3 Swimming
Thursday 21st November	Images Art Exhibition
Monday 25th November	Open Classrooms Year R, 1 & 2 at 2.45pm Year 5/6 mixed football @ TAS
Tuesday 26th November	Chess Competition Year 3 & 4 Open classrooms at 2.45pm
Wednesday 27th November	Year 3 swimming Year 6 Open Classroom
Thursday 28th November	Parent forum Year 5 Open Classroom at 2.45pm
Wednesday 4th December	Year 6 Viking Day
Monday 9th December	Nativity to school
Tuesday 10th December	KS2 Panto Nativity to parents of RHM, 1NY, 2AL
Wednesday 11th December	Nativity to parents of RKJ, 1ER, 2HB
Thursday 12th December	Rainbow Theatre for KS1
Friday 13th December	Year 1 superhero day PTA Christmas Discos
Monday 16th December	Club applications via School Ping open
Tuesday 17th December	Christmas Jumper day Christmas Dinner day
Friday 20th December	Last day of term
Monday 23rd December—Friday 3rd January	
Christmas Break	
Monday 6th January	First day back to school Internal club applications close



Star of the week— 8th November 2019



Name	Class	Reason for achieving star of the week
Jett	1ER	Amazing progress in his writing.
Olivia	1NY	Using imagination in her writing and interesting words.
Maisie	2AL	Making her first week at GG a really positive one.
Bobby	2HB	Having a fantastic week and making great choices.
Alice & Freya	3CA	Being amazing selfless assistants to another child.
Jake	3FM	Amazing work in computing and helping others.
Whole Class	4KT	Focus Dance.
Caio	4AL	Extremely helpful.
Ben	5BA	Having an amazing attitude, always and being a great friend.
Teenon	5GS	Fantastic listening.
Evie		Significant improvement in handwriting.
Vinnie	6TF	Great Maths
Honey		Great participation in RE.
Jenny	6LP	Excellent attitude. Always does her best.

Universal School Meals in YR, 1 and 2

Children in KS1 are entitled to a free universal hot school meal everyday. However as a school we would like to reduce the amount of waste that we produce, to help us achieve this we will be sending out a form via Ping in December for parents in KS1 to complete informing us whether their child has a hot school meal or if you provide your child with a packed lunch. This will enable us to order the correct amount of hot school dinners reducing our wastage. Due to the way the ordering system works, if you wanted to change your child's preference at anytime after this then the school would require 2 weeks notice.

Paracetamol

Please be aware that we only keep a small amount of paracetamol in school. This is only to be used in an emergency if your child becomes unwell during the school day. If your child needs regular paracetamol for cold, injury etc then we would request that you either pop in and administer the medicine yourself or leave your own supply at school.

School Photos

School photos are due back by Tuesday 19th November either through school or online with Yellow. Photos ordered after this date will incur £5 surcharge.

Junk Modelling

Next week the children in years 2,3,4,5 and 6 are taking part in junk modelling for our 7 Billion ideas. If you have any cardboard boxes, tubes, plastic milk bottles etc or anything else that you think we can use then please bring it into school and hand it into your child's class teacher.

'Fantastic Fireworks'

Thank you for all the support with our 'Fantastic Fireworks' night. You have helped us raise a profit of £3500!!!

This is an incredible amount and has now enabled Georgian Gardens to order the playground equipment for the KS1 playground. We hope that this will be installed in early December.

The children will be so happy that we are able to provide this equipment for them, thank you again to all the families that joined us and helped us achieve this for them.

We would like to also say a massive thank you to all the PTA members, staff members and families who helped out with this event. Every minute that someone gives us to help us run these events is really appreciated as we couldn't raise these vital funds without each and every one of you.

A special thank you needs to go to Mr Scowen from Euphoria Kitchens for sponsoring the firework event.



Sponsored event

We are still collecting money from our sponsored event so if you still have any at home then please pop it into the school office. We now have a running total of £862!! Massive thankyou to all the families for sponsoring your children.

Pennies for Pudsey

We had a lovely day filling up Pudsey with pennies! We are still collecting until Monday morning, so will let you know next week how much we raised.



New life for old stamps

- Now that the time of year is approaching when we are receiving more post please remember to save all your used stamps (leaving a small border round them) and send them into the office. We have been able to send off several packages of them to charity where they are gratefully received.
- Some year 6 children have also been using some old Christmas stamps to create beautiful greetings cards; giving the stamps a second life.



Planting for the Spring

On a beautiful Autumnal afternoon crocus bulbs (kindly donated by the Parish Council) were planted in readiness for Spring colour....watch out for them in 2020!

