



Newsletter



"Forgiveness is not an occasional act; it is a constant attitude" - Martin Luther King Jr

Latest News

10richment—Remembrance Week

What a week! The children had a fantastic time engaging with a number of Remembrance themed activities including WWI workshops led by Alison Patterson from the Godalming museum, making their wire poppies with Will from ChickenWired and producing fantastic poetry inspired by the Great War. The poppies and our Lone Soldier can be found in the entrance hall to remember all those who gave the ultimate sacrifice. This has been beautifully put together by our wonderful Mrs Nash. Please do take a look when you get the chance.

Year 6 Bikeability

Well done to Year 6 who completed their Level 2 Bikeability this week in challenging conditions! Year 4 will be taking part in their Level 1 Bikeability next week.

School Value

Continuing with our focus on core values which were introduced two years ago, we will be concentrating on the value of **FORGIVENESS** this half term which will also inform the theme of our Christmas Carol Concerts. The children will have weekly assemblies encouraging them to reflect on what this value 'looks like'. They will learn about how we all need the ability to FORGIVE and be FORGIVEN as well as learning about prominent people who showed FORGIVENESS. There will also be follow up sessions in class. We also ask that they are referred to and reinforced at home as well as school.

GET Teaching

You may have seen at the front of the school a banner with 'GET Teaching' on it? We are excited to announce that from September 2019 the Godalming Confederation of Schools will be running their own School's Direct Teacher Training Programme. This will be in collaboration with Winchester University, an outstanding teacher training provider, and will give student teachers the opportunity to train to become a teacher in Godalming schools. More information is available from the school office or the 'GET Teaching' website at www.getteaching.org. The enrolment period is open now for applicants wishing to start in September 2019. Please feel free to arrange a meeting with Mr Samson via the school office if you would like more information.

Parent-Teacher Consultations 20th & 22nd November

If you haven't done so already please do take the opportunity to sign up to meet with your child's teacher. We do ask that ALL parents take up the invitation and use this time to make contact with your class teacher and find out face to face how your child is progressing academically, socially and emotionally. Sign-up sheets are in reception or please call the school office who can arrange an appointment for you. Mrs Frogley, the Inclusion Teacher, will also be available to meet on Thursday, 22nd November between 3.30pm and 6.00pm.

Nut Allergy Awareness

Please note that we have children in school with severe nut allergies and that we request that all food (such as chocolate and cereal bars) containing nuts are not brought into school. We appreciate your help in this matter.

Winter Weather

With the colder nights drawing in and wetter weather we do expect children to have their coats in school otherwise it may result in them having to stay inside during break or lunchtimes. Please ensure your child has a coat in school.



House Points

Saturn	635
Neptune	467
Jupiter	430
Mars	253

Waterstones Book of the Month



A Darkness of Dragons
By
S.A. Patrick

PTA News

Due to building work and access regretfully there will not be a PTA Christmas Fair this year. We are however looking forward to hosting a refreshment stand at the Godalming Christmas Festival on the 24th November where we will be selling teas, coffees and a wonderful selection of homemade cakes at the Wilfrid Noyce Centre between 10am and 4pm. With a large attendance expected we are excited at the opportunity to raise substantial funds for the school. If you would like to contribute to the cause and bake a cake, mince pies, cookies etc please contact Simon Parry at simoncrparry1970@gmail.com . All support will be hugely appreciated!

School Achievement

Pupil of the Week:

3CM – James Garcia-Deleito
 3SD – Scarlett Rayman
 4EM – Maddie Boot
 4AJ – Garrett Williams
 5EC – Jose Herrero
 5CP – Savannah Aitken
 6RH – Mia Warrington
 6JP – Holly Morton



Attendance Winners: 3CM

PERSEVERANCE – Values Champions:

3CM – Abby Chiverton
 3SD – Eleni Moreanu
 4EM – Oliver Williams
 4AJ – Billy King
 5EC – Amelia Cook
 5CP – Theo Plaistowe
 6RH – Reuben Cox
 6JP – Tom Shepherd



Sports News

Good luck to all the children taking part in the Glebelands Cross Country run tomorrow. Please make sure you dress appropriately and make contact with Mr Poole on arrival, allowing time to warm up and get to the starting position. Just a reminder that the distance for Year 3 and 4 is approximately 700m with the Year 5 and 6 event over a distance of 1300m. We look forward to hearing how the children did next week!

Diary Dates

Autumn 2018

November

10th: Glebelands Cross Country Run
 12th: Prospective Parent Tour–11.00am
 13th: Year 5 UKSA Parent Talk
 15th: Egyptian Day
 15th & 16th: Bikeability Year 4
 20th: Parent-Teacher Meetings (Late)
 22nd: Parent-Teacher Meetings (Early)
 24th: Godalming Town Day
 28th: Year 3 Haslemere Museum visit
December
 4th: Year 5 Preston Manor & Hove Museum visit



Inset Days 2018/19

~~Tuesday 4th September 2018~~
~~Wednesday 5th September 2018~~
~~Monday 29th October~~
Monday 25th February
Tuesday 23rd April