

The Spring Fair

Thank you to everyone who gave their time to attend, help or support our recent Spring Fair. It was a huge success and we will be able to buy additional resources for school. The amount raised was over £3000. This was a fantastic achievement and I would especially like to thank all the members of the Friends of Greasby Infant School Committee who worked so hard to make sure the day was an amazing success.



This year we plan to further support the development of the school grounds by creating an outdoor reading shed for the KS1 Playground. We also want to improve the range of books in the school and class libraries.



Thank you from all the children and staff

100 Club

Congratulations to Angela Parry-Jones and E Fletcher who were the 100 Club draw winners for April and May. Good Luck to everyone for the next draw.

Current Class Attendance

1SC 97.0% 1CP 96.9%
2KF 96.5% 2JB 96.4%
FEH 96.2% FLS 95.9%

The National Average for attendance is 96%. We need to try hard to make sure all classes are above this.



End of Year Celebrations



Pre-School End of Year Picnic—Wednesday 11th July 2-3pm on the school field (weather permitting)

Year 2 Leavers Assembly—Wednesday 18th July at 1.30 in the school hall

Year 1 Concert—Thursday 19th July at 1.30 in the school hall

Foundation 2 Concert—Friday 20th July at 1.30 in the school hall

Please use the Hall Drive Pre-School entrance when attending these celebrations.



May 2018

GREASBY INFANT SCHOOL

Dear Parents

Hope you have a good half term break and that the sun continues to shine, so that we can all enjoy getting out and about.

Mrs J. Hall

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



JUNE

4th	Pupils return to school
4th-8th	Creative Week
8th	Year 2 Athletics at Greasby Juniors pm
Week beg 11th	Phonic Screening
11th	Parents Induction Meeting 6pm- F2 intake 18-19
12th	Year 2 Summer Proms-Wallasey Town Hall
15th	Year 2 to Greasby Junior School Sports Day 1.15pm (weather permitting)
18th	Parents Induction Meeting 6pm- Pre-School intake 18-19
19th	F2 Circus Day
21st	Yr2 Sports at Sudley Infant School Liverpool
21st	Year 1 Trip to Knowsley Safari Park
22nd	Year 2 to Greasby Juniors for Art afternoon
25th-29th	Sports Week
25th	Year 2 parents induction at Greasby Juniors
28th	Pre-School Induction visits am
28th	Sports Afternoon 1.15pm on the school field (weather permitting)

JULY

2nd, 3rd, 4th	F2 Induction Visits 1.15-2.30
6th	Year 2/3 Concert at Greasby Juniors 2pm
11th	Year 2 Induction Day at Greasby Juniors
13th	End of Year Disco
24th	End of term—non-uniform day



Sun Protection



We are all hoping that the weather is going to be warm and sunny and that we will be able to use our outdoor learning areas as much as possible. With this in mind, we are committed to the following principles of sun protection:

- Take care not to burn
- Head for shade around the middle of the day
- Use a high factor sunscreen

Pupils are encouraged to wear sun hats when outdoors and are not permitted to remove tops during outdoor activities. They will be encouraged to seek shelter and shade when outside for longer periods of time and to drink plenty of water. Sun hats and water bottles should be named.

Parents are requested to use an appropriate sunscreen for their children. This should be applied at home before coming to school. If children bring their own sunscreen into school, it should be named and must not be shared with other children, for the safety of those children who are allergic to sunscreens. Staff will encourage and support children to use sunscreen during the hot weather.

Staffing Update

Mrs Cooper will unfortunately continue to be off sick, due to her back operation, for the next month. Mrs Booth and Mrs Clark will continue to teach class 1SC until Mrs Cooper is well enough to return to work. We all wish her well and hope that she will be able to return to school in July.

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Key Stage 1 Statutory Assessments

Year 1 children will be completing the statutory phonic screening check during the week beginning 11th June.

Those children in Year 2 who did not achieve the required standard last year, will also complete the check during this week. You will receive information about the results of these checks with the end of year reports.

Recent Events

Critical Thinking Workshop—On Tuesday 17th April the whole school enjoyed an exciting, problem solving, mystery morning. Inspector Frankie Brain helped the children solve the clues to crack the code.



The children worked together in groups of 12, with the older children supporting the younger ones. Each child took a turn to act as group captain, secretary or problem solver, to find the solution to each mystery.



Mayoral Celebration of Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural Values in Wirral Schools — Year 2 children

were delighted to attend the first Mayoral SMSC celebration at Wallasey Town Hall on 26th April. The children gave a presentation about SMSC activities at Greasby Infant School and thoroughly enjoyed watching other school's presentations.



Tranmere Rovers Sports Sessions—The Foundation 2 classes had a wonderful time when they visited Tranmere Rovers Football Ground for a sports morning or afternoon on 15th May. Thank you to all the helpers who were able to come with us on the day.



The Sorting Hat Assembly—Year 2 children had a fun afternoon at Greasby Junior School, where they took part in the sorting hat assembly on 15.5.18. The children were sorted into their house teams, ready for September.

Royal Wedding Afternoon Picnic—The whole school enjoyed celebrating the wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle on Friday 18th May, with a special assembly and afternoon tea picnic. All the children designed and made their own crowns and we enjoyed seeing everyone dressed ready to celebrate.

