



GRASMERE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 20th September 2019 Issue: 664

Dates for your Diary

Mon 23/09 Head teacher drop in for any queries, 9am.

Mon 07/10-11/10 Kench Hill

Sat 12/10 Jumble Sale

Mon 21/10-Fri 25/10 HALF TERM

Tue 05/11 Black History Month Assembly

Tue 12/11 Parents Meeting 3.45-6pm

Thu 14/11 Parents Meeting 3.45-6pm

Thu 21/11 Coffee Morning: Sounds Write

Wed 11/12 Winter Performance 2pm & 6pm

Tue 17/12 Christmas Performance week

Thu 19/12 School Ends - Christmas Holiday

Tue 07/01 Children Return

Mon 20/01 Head teacher drop in for any queries, 9am.

Mon 03/02 Chinese New Year

Mon 17/02-Fri 21/02 HALF TERM

Mon 24/02 Children Return

Thu 05/03 World Book Day – Dress up day

Tue 10/03 Parents Meeting 3.45-6pm

Thu 12/03 Parents Meeting 3.45-6pm

Mon 16/03 St Patricks Troupe week & INTERNATIONAL EVENING

Thu 19/03 Coffee Morning: Restorative Approaches

Fri 03/04 School End – Easter Holiday

Mon 20/04 Children Return

Star of the Week!



Week commencing 09/09/2019

Acorn class – Whole Class

Rowan class – Ben, Timmy

Willow class – Daniel, Natalia

Oak class – Clara, Ege

Holly class – Isaiah, Ava

Cherry class – Unai, Nina

Aspen class – Muhamet Alma

Silver birch class – Lara, Quayon

Week commencing 16/09/2019

Acorn class – Rocky, Yusuf

Rowan class – Caleb, Max

Willow class – Tyler, Fatima

Oak class – Zeynep, Alec

Holly class – Nancy, Oscar

Cherry class – Adam, Okan

Aspen class – Noah, Liya

Silver birch class – Phoenix, Rose

We are a seed and nut free school:

Please ensure that **no nuts or seeds** are brought in to the school grounds. We have children with serious allergies and any snack, either at the end of school or in their packed lunch, containing seeds or nuts could pose a serious risk. To this end we also strongly discourage birthday cakes being brought in. We would instead prefer an alternative with clearly labelled ingredients to ensure no child is inadvertently exposed to nuts or seeds.

Fit For Sport:

We have had lots of positive feedback around Fit for Sport's after school provision. Please note, you **MUST** book using their online system. The school office cannot help if your child is not booked on and Fit for Sport cannot add your child if they are not registered.

Meet the Teacher:

There was a fantastic turn out for Meet the Teacher on Thursday and lots of positive feedback. We really hope you found the event useful. For those of you who have more than one child at the school, next year we will make sure you are able to spend an equal amount of time in each classroom. Thank you again for attending. If you were not able to make it, feel free to speak informally with your child's teacher to raise any queries you might have.

Vomiting and diarrhoea bug

Please do not send your children into the school if they have got the vomiting and diarrhoea bug. You should keep them at home for 48 hours until the bug has passed. Thank you.

Class Assemblies

Year 6 Class – Tuesday 15th October 2019

Year 5 – Tuesday 3rd December 2019

Year 4 – Tuesday 11th February 2019

Year 3 – Tuesday 24th March 2019

Attendance

Week Beginning 09/09/19

1st – Holly class (100%)

2nd – Oak/Cherry class (99.0%)

Week Beginning 16/09/19

1st – Cherry class (98.4%)

2nd – Willow class (96.6%)

Rowan Class

Rowan Class had a great time at The Garden Classroom this week! We met some fascinating mini-beasts and learnt about their different habitats and what they need to live.



The Winter Toy Appeal

The Winter Toy Appeal is collecting new toys for children in North London who are experiencing extreme poverty.

Run by a local mum and founder of the Local Buyers Club, the Appeal typically reaches over 4,000 children a year. Please give whatever you can. You can drop toys in person at Location Location estate agency on Church St or at Grasmere schools reception or order via the wish list www.toyappealwishlist.com.

There will also be a collection pot in reception, where you can donate cash which will be used to buy new toys. Thousands of children in this and other local communities are having a really tough time and this lovely appeal ensures every child has a special gift to open. They're also collecting non-perishable food for local food banks.

More information is at www.wintertoyappeal.com

Or contact Nicola Sinclair [07701068325](tel:07701068325)

Volunteers Needed!

Please can you spare a few hours on either of these two volunteer days to get the garden in shape for the launch of The Grasmere Garden Club. We will be building a shed, raised beds and general clearing. Snack and refreshments will be provided.

Sunday 29th September 10am-1pm & Sunday 6th October 10am-1pm

To volunteer please contact Nicola on; [07701068325](tel:07701068325)

Garden Club Launch date: Friday 11th October



GRASMERE VALUES

Respect

- * Treating others as you like being treated and listening to each other
- * Using manners and considering others' feelings
- * Valuing other people's differences such as race and religion

Kindness

- * Being a good friend. Sharing and taking turns
- * Working with others productively

Creativity

- * Thinking about new ideas and following your imagination
- * Trying new things and believing in yourself

Bravery

- * Trying your best – Never giving up
- * Supporting each other to achieve