

# Paper Copy Recipients

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## **Newsletter 21.6.22**

Dear Parents

It has been a busy, but very rewarding, month so far with many classes on school visits and sporting activities. In addition, the teachers have been completing the children's end of year assessments, including the national assessments for Reception, Year 1 Phonics Screening, Year 2 Key Stage 1 assessments, the new multiplication check for Year 4 and the end of Key Stage assessments for Year 6. This is giving us another chance to reflect on the progress of the children and we are very pleased with what we are finding; the children have made huge progress this year and in many areas they have caught up on the learning missed during the school closures. It is noticeable, however, that there is still some work to do, particularly with the cohorts most affected and with children's writing generally (although when you look in the children's books, you will see a significant improvement in their writing during the year). We have also been busy writing end of year school reports and are looking forward to sharing this with you in a few weeks time.

We are looking forward to all the events planned over the course of the next few weeks, so I have included an updated schedule below.

Best wishes and take care everyone

Marc Goodliffe

### **Polite reminder**

I have had a couple of complaints from parents and residents about parents parking on the zig zag lines at the beginning and end of school, including one near miss with a resident's car. Please can I remind everyone that it is illegal to park on the zig zag lines and that the police have been known to enforce this with fines. I know that none of us would want a child to be harmed in order to save a few minutes in the morning.

### **Upcoming events**

#### **Wednesday 22nd June**

Wrens visit to Henry Blogg museum and Cromer lifeboat

#### **Thursday 23rd June**

Bitterns visit to Hickling Broad

Year 6 visit to STEAM outreach programme at Greshams

#### **Monday 27th June**

KS2 athletics at Mundesley Junior School. All details for participating children will be out today.

### **Tuesday 28th June**

KS2 Celebration Assembly, 2.45pm

### **Thursday 30th June and Friday 1st July**

School closed for training day and additional Bank Holiday.

### **Monday 4th July**

KS1 Celebration Assembly, 2.40pm

### **Friday 8th July**

Bitterns visit to Sheringham

EYFS and KS1 discos

### **Monday 11th July**

KS2 Celebration Assembly, 2.45pm

### **Tuesday 12th July**

No Wrens or Robins PE today- moved to Wednesday.

### **Wednesday 13th July**

Swallows and Bitterns performance of Hoodwinked! at 1.30pm. All Bitterns parents and family are welcome. More details and tickets will be available soon.

### **Thursday 14th July**

Sports Day Activities morning led by Y6 (no parents, please). Children in years 1 to 6 to come in PE kits. Please apply sun cream before school and bring hats and a water bottle.

Friends' Summer Fayre, 3pm

### **Friday 15th July**

Annual School Reports.

### **Monday 18th July**

Sports Day Races Morning and family picnic (all welcome). Nursery will be involved at the start of the morning. If this is not your normal nursery day and would like to attend, you are welcome to come along and join in. Sports Day starts at 9.15am and finishes at around 11.45am in order to miss the heat of the sun. You are welcome to bring a picnic and stay for lunch. Nicky in the kitchen will be offering a children's picnic lunch on this day.

### **Tuesday 19th July**

Transition morning. Children will start in their own classrooms, then 'move up' for the morning. Year 6 will spend the morning with Mrs Dunnett.

Open Classrooms after school, 3- 4.30pm, years 1 to 6. This is an opportunity for you to come in and look at your children's books.

### **Wednesday 20th July**

Sports Day reserve morning.

Key Stage 2 Disco

### **Thursday 21st July**

Ravens performance of A Midsummer's Night Dream at 1.30pm. All Ravens parents and family are welcome. More details and tickets will be available soon.

### **Friday 22nd July**

Leavers' Assembly at 9.15am and last day of the summer term. Parents of all our Year 6 leavers are welcome to attend this special assembly.

### **Safeguarding**

At Gresham Village School and Nursery, our first priority is always the safety of the children. Central to this is to remain true to our school ethos- we have an open and transparent culture in which we encourage every member of our school community to share their views and we put the welfare of the children at the centre of everything we do. For full information about our safeguarding arrangements, please see the safeguarding page on our website. If you have any concerns about a child or adult, please speak to Marc Goodliffe (Headteacher and Lead Designated Professional for Safeguarding) or Debbie Coombs (Deputy Designated Professional for Safeguarding), in person or by telephone on 01263 577349.

### **Support for Families: Just One Norfolk**

Just One Norfolk is a website provided by the NHS to support families in a multitude of ways. It provides advice about common issues that we have as parents or with our children- illnesses, sleep, emotional health, staying safe and additional needs to name but a few. The website also points parents to services that can help and it is very surprising how many services are available and how they can help.

### **Support for Families: Online Safety**

As adults, we can quickly get out of touch and not understand the risks that our children are potentially exposed to. Often we rely on trusting our children's judgement, but on occasions, children can get out of their depth and into real danger, so it is important that we know about what they are doing and how we can mitigate the risks. Often the answer is as simple as knowing about the settings that the app should be set to in order to protect your child from predators or having a conversation about what to do if things 'don't seem right'.

Net Aware have produced this guide to Tiktok: <https://www.net-aware.org.uk/networks/tiktok/>

We have an Online Safety page on the school website, which has links to Parent Info, CEOP online safety and Thinkyouknow, all websites full of information about how to keep children safe online. The link to the school web page is:

<http://www.greshamvillage.co.uk/for-parents-carers/online-safety-and-useful-link>