

Issue No 07 - 10th November 2023

Each week, on a Friday, year group news will be shared with families on Teams or Tapestry so that you can share your child's learning with them.

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A reminder that teachers regularly share information and messages to their classes via MS Teams. Please ensure that you are using your child's MS Teams account for keeping up to date with homework and important messages. Please let your child's teacher know, or the school office if you have misplaced any login details.

Dates for your diaries

For all upcoming events and activities, please look at the school [Calendar](#) on the school [website](#).

13.11.23-17.11.23	Bikeability for Reception all week
16.11.23	FROGS Disco Reception 3.15-4.00pm (pre-book) Years 1,2 & 3 4.15-5.15pm (£2.50) Years 4,5 & 6 5.30-6.30pm (£2.50)
17.11.23	Children in Need - please see flyer
24.11.23 9.00-9.30am	3G Family Assembly in Drama Hall - please enter via Furzehatt Villas entrance opposite Plymstock Bowling Club

Useful Dates for Parents/Carers

The useful dates calendar has been updated on the school website, with important dates for the Autumn term. You can view the dates [here](#).

Jo Penk - Parent Support Advisor

The [PSA](#) section of the Goosewell Academy website has information on ideas, support and activities for families. If you are a military family and you have a **family member who is currently deployed**, please ensure that we have the deployed family member's email address on our records so that you can keep up to date with email communications sent from the school. You will also find the school website a useful source of information whilst you are away, particularly the '[News](#)' section to keep you in the loop.



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Max 2 People Per Family.
We train in small groups for all services, therefore
FIRST COME 1ST SERVE!

Wednesday 6th December
9.45 - 3.00

FREE OFFER ! - Usually £40.00
You will receive the full workshop

Refreshments Included But Not Lunch
Venue - Saltash Social Club . The Mansion . Fore Street . Saltash PL12 6JL

Remembrance Day 2023

Thank you for all of your generous donations and support for this year's Poppy Appeal. Watch this space for the final total. Representatives from Year 6 attended the Burrow Hill Remembrance Service on Friday with Mr Leader and Mrs Penk. The children read a poem brilliantly to be heard above the windy conditions! We are very proud of them for being great ambassadors Goosewell so well.



Celebration Assembly:

Goosewell Primary Academy's Rise to Greatness, Writing, Maths, Reading & Learning Behaviour Awards

Here are this week's winners collecting their Rise to Greatness, Writing, Maths and Reading awards in each phase, with our Reading award winners able to choose a winning book from our book vending machine. Well done to the following children for receiving their well deserved awards this week:

Weekly awards EYFS

Date	Reading			Writing			Maths		
	Class	Name	Reason	Class	Name	Reason	Class	Name	Reason
10.11.23	RHO	Ayeza A	For working hard to segment and blend sounds to help with her reading.	RHO	Summer F	For using phonic knowledge to support her writing.	RWH	Mia W	For great number work at home.
Rise to Greatness Award									
10.11.23	RHO	Elsie P	When being sent home with the 5 challenges in Reception, Elsie has always engaged so well with this, even when she was poorly! She has made a great start to Reception, is very hard working and is a fantastic friend. Well done Elsie, we are very proud of you.						

Weekly awards Y1, Y2, Y3

Date	Reading			Writing			Maths		
	Class	Name	Reason	Class	Name	Reason	Class	Name	Reason
10.11.23	2BM	Nathanial S	For achieving well in all his book quizzes and being able to talk about what he has read to the whole class.	3C	Fred M	For his brilliant adaptation of Stig of the Dump to create his own meeting tale.	3G	Jacob C	For superb perseverance and independence in maths, using PV counters to support him with his thinking.

Weekly awards Y4, Y5, Y6

Date	Reading			Writing			Maths		
	Class	Name	Reason	Class	Name	Reason	Class	Name	Reason
10.11.23	4C	Bethany P	For her great AR word count and beautiful reading in our family assembly.	4N	James S	For writing a fantastically descriptive piece from the perspective of a character, using fronted adverbials and a wide range of adjectives! Amazing work!	4K	Niamh K	Super polygon knowledge and use of shape vocabulary.



Children In Need - Friday 17th November 2023

This Friday, 17th November, we will be raising funds for the BBC's Children in Need, helping to support amazing projects and organisations who are making a difference for children.

On Friday, we will have the following events taking place:

- Mufti - All children (& staff!) are invited to wear spotty mufti (complete spotty mufti, a spotty t-shirt or even just a splash of spots on a hat or hair band- the choice is yours)
- Playground Pudsey - All children are invited to bring in small change to add to our playground Pudsey.
- Year 6 Games Stalls - Year 6 will be holding their fantastic game and activity stalls for Children in Need. The children have worked hard to create an imaginative selection of games for the rest of the school to enjoy. All children will get the chance to visit the stalls during the morning and every stall will be priced at 20p per go - silver coins would be appreciated. Please show your support, if you are able.



The poster features a yellow background with a white central box containing text. At the top, the Goosewell Primary Academy logo is centered, flanked by four white stars. The main title 'CHILDREN IN NEED Friday 17th November' is in a large, bold, black font. Below this, three paragraphs of text describe the events: wearing spotty mufti, bringing small change for Pudsey, and Year 6 activity stalls. At the bottom, two cartoon bears wearing spotty hats are shown holding hands, with a white heart between them.

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All children are invited to bring in **small change** to add to our **playground Pudsey**.

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FROGS Friends of Goosewell School


To find out more about our forthcoming events, click here [FROGS](#).


- ⇒ It's DISCO week!! Don't forget to get your dancing shoes on for our school discos THIS Thursday 16th November.
Reception - 3.30-4.00pm (straight from school)
Y1,2&3 - 4.15-5.15pm
Y4,5&6 - 5.30-6.30pm
- ⇒ Win a class treat - extended deadline 20th November. Send in your favourite Autumn photo - this could be from an Autumn walk, a craft, a pesky pumpkin or fun Halloween adventures.

Email your entries to frogs@goosewell.plymouth.sch.uk by 20th November, adding 'Autumn Competition' to the subject box. Please include your child(s) name and class. The winner will win a treat for their whole class! *By entering your photo, you agree to your image being shared on our newsletter and both FROGS and school social media.*
- ⇒ If you returned your child's Christmas card drawing, you should now have received an email/text linking you to your child's pages. You can order cards, mugs, tea towels and calendars! A great give idea that raises vital funds for our school - £1 for FROGS for every product ordered.
- ⇒  **Santa Run Thursday 14th December** 


We are really excited to be joining forces with our school staff to host a Santa Run and some after school fun! More info to follow but in the meantime we would love to hear from...

 We are looking for stall holders to join us on the night! We have over 400 children plus their families, that's a lot of footfall over a small amount of time. Tables available for £10 + raffle donation. If you're a hobbyist get in touch we would love to have you onboard!

 Businesses who would like to sponsor our Christmas trail. For a £15 donation we would share your business details within our school community and social media. A great way to engage new business and support our school.

 Businesses who can help in other ways such as donations for goodies that we can sell. This support means we make more profit for our school! We would love to hear how you can help!

 Anyone able to donate a raffle prize. Last year we raised over £600 with our Christmas Competition! Boxes of chocolates were the big hit!

 Anyone with an employer who can match fund fundraising, we would love to see how you may be able us to build our funds!

All enquiries please email us frogs@goosewell.plymouth.sch.uk

