



Georgian Gardens Primary School

Newsletter Friday 15th July 2022

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A special 'well done' goes to the Y6 children and staff for an absolutely amazing production of 'Alice in Wonderland'. There have been many children from across the school expressing how much they enjoyed watching it and the parents have been equally as impressed and proud. The temperature didn't seem to phase them at all! See last week's newsletter for photos.

It certainly has been a hot week! The forecast is looking that temperatures will rise further into next week so we have made the decision to **allow children to come to school in their P.E. kit on Monday and Tuesday**. Please ensure that they wear their house colour t-shirt and red shorts with trainers. Sandals are not appropriate for school. If your child would rather not wear their P.E. kit then they are to wear their usual school uniform.

Goblin Cars:

On Sunday 10th July, a keen group of Y5 engineers went to Goodwood Motor Circuit to race the school 'goblin electric car'. Across the day, they had to take part in a series of different events including a drag race, slalom, chicane and a race to change the four wheels on the car (the 'pit stop challenge').

The children did amazingly in these events and we had lots of clear runs meaning that we missed all the cones. The day culminated in the race of champions where all 64 cars line up on the start grid of Goodwood motor circuit. The 'pusher' and the 'driver' had to be on the grid waiting for the instructions and safety checks before the race began. Five cars started at a time followed by the next 5 just 10 seconds later. Team GG were in the 5th row of the start-up line with 20 cars in front. It can take 9 and a half minutes to complete the full 2.4 mile track Goodwood. We all waited to see the cars begin to return and could see Georgian Gardens car in the first 10. We then had an anxious wait until all the times had been collected in and the final positions had been worked out. We were excited to discover that we had placed 3rd. This was a huge achievement considering that 64 cars had started the race. Well done to the team and everyone who helped.

The team was made up of Year 5s and they were:

Frankie Allen
Finley Ansell
Freya Caig
Esme Gill
Harry Pannell
Jake Wakeham

A special thank you to Mr Wakeham and Mr Allen for helping each week to run the club and their super support on race day.



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Mon 18th July Y6 presentation evening 6pm

Thursday 21st July Last day of term

Children return to school on **MONDAY 5th SEPTEMBER 2022**

Y5 Author Visit:

Year five had a visit from best selling children's author, Lexi Rees. They have been studying her book, *Eternal Seas*, in guided reading sessions. After a talk and question and answer session the children were set the task of designing a book cover for the third book in her Relic Hunters series.



Summer holiday opportunity:

Here is some information about a cookery club being offered free to children who are in receipt of benefit-related free school meals.



Littlehampton | Bognor Regis | Petworth
Selsey | Chichester



Join UKHarvest for a fun-packed course of cooking and food-related experiences for children aged 8 – 14 receiving benefit-related Free School Meals.

Throughout an engaging course that will develop skills for life, children will be given the opportunity to design their very own recipe, prepare a tasty lunch and eat together!

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QUIET IN STORE FITTING?

Shoe shopping can be overwhelming for some children. If you think a shopping experience without crowds, noise and bright lights would be better, then book a Quiet Time appointment.

To do this, contact Clarks Worthing on 01903 233527

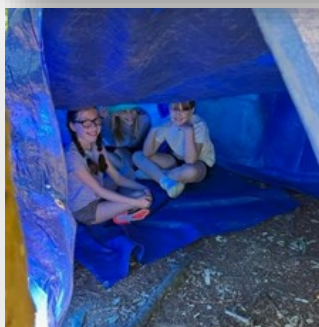
Opening hours:
Mon to Sat 9:00am - 5:00pm
Sunday 11:00am - 4:00pm

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Year 5 Forest Schools:

Year 5 had a wonderful day in the woods with Sussex Forest Schools Activities. They built shelters, lit fires (with a trained adult), used drills (with a trained adult), prepared vegetable soup and completed identification and orienteering tasks. A fun day was had by all!



Sun Safety Officer:

We have been very glad that Samuel has taken it upon himself to be the sun safety officer at break times. He is using the binoculars to check that children are in the shade and he is holding the sign:

Stay here



Don't be in the sun for long.

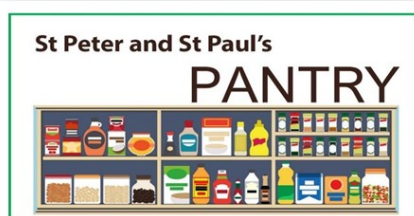
We have been ensuring that the children drink plenty of water, run around less and stay in the shade as much as possible. This will continue into next week as the weather is due to continue to be very warm.



Georgian Gardens food donation point: please help to keep the School Pantry topped-up with essential food items

St. Peter and St. Paul Pantry runs every Thursday (term-time only) outside the school huts where fresh fruit and vegetables are on offer and inside where we provide dried food, frozen food, hygiene products and children's clothing. We welcome anyone at the school who could do with a helping hand in topping up their food cupboard. Although we have food donations from supermarkets and other suppliers, it is becoming harder for suppliers to spread food donations around the local community. **If you are able to donate essential food items for families at school who are struggling, please bring them to the food donation point outside the school reception.** The items of food that we could do with on a regular basis are: cereals, UHT semi-skimmed milk, pasta, rice, pasta sauce, tuna, tinned pies, tinned tomatoes, tinned fruit, tea bags, coffee, squash and baked beans.

Thank you for your kindness and support.



If you are struggling to get by, come along to top up your food cupboard.

**Open every Thursday (term-time only)
8:40am-9:30am**

Venue: Georgian Gardens school huts

A friendly welcome guaranteed!



Parking:

DO NOT PARK IN THE WOKING COURT CAR PARK AT THE BACK OF SCHOOL.

We are really concerned that one of our children may get injured through inconsiderate parking both in and out of the school grounds.

Please **do not drive into the school car park area** if you do not have a permit from the school. We do not have a drop off facility for the start and end of the school day.

Please consider parking a short distance away and walk the last part of your journey—this would have many benefits, not just to our parking issue.

If you witness any dangerous driving you can report it to www.operationcrackdown.org





Music Summer School at Georgian Gardens.

For all musicians at Georgian Gardens (beginners also welcome). We will be delving deeper into the world of creating our own music and further developing instrumental and vocal skills.

Thursday 28 July 2022
Friday 29 July 2022
Thursday 18 August 2022
Friday 19 August 2022
Wednesday 24 August 2022
Thursday 25 August 2022
Friday 26 August 2022
Monday 29 August 2022
Tuesday 30 August 2022

Times: 8.30am-3.00pm
Cost: £20 per day

Bring own packed lunch.
For Georgian Gardens children aged 5 and over.
Two members of staff at all times (Mrs. King on selected dates).

Contact Mr. Britt to book a place for your child.

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