



GROVE WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Achieving and celebrating success for all.....

Newsletter Friday 20th July 2018 (Issue 254)

Stars of the Week!



3DS	Renzo Curry
3F/C	Jake Pimm
3KO	Layla Rose Langdon
4TA	Nathan Bradbrook
4CS	George Mackenzie
4LS	Connor Legrice
5CS	Michael Knowlson
5HR	Hayden Marsh
6MB	Whole Year
6DP	Whole Year
6JC	Whole Year

Diary Dates

Friday 20th July—LAST DAY OF TERM

BACK TO SCHOOL ON

TUESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER

Swimming Gala A huge well done to all involved in the swimming gala. The swimming team, selected from years 3-6 participated in a range of strokes and races, competing well and earning some medals along the way. A big thumbs up to our year 3s for competing in this event for the very first time and a special mention to Jack Minney, Emma Woolgar and Ronnie Coe who earned medals and set a great example for their team in their attitude and achievements.

Rayleigh School Tennis Competition 2018 Last Saturday and Sunday, Rayleigh Lawn Tennis club hosted the annual Rayleigh schools competition. Children gained entry to this event through class competitions led by Ryan Wilson and the Rayleigh coaches last week. Congratulations to all the boys and girls involved and a special well done to Ayurda Saigal and Yasmin Byron for winning their age group events. Remember if your child is interested in taking up tennis, Rayleigh are running fun tennis days across the summer. Contact Ryan Wilson at Rayleigh Lawn Tennis club for more information (see flyer in the newsletter).



Our best wishes go to Miss Brooklyn this summer as she gets married and turns 40!

Farewell to Miss Seaman, Miss Barton and Mrs Gallagher who all leave us for pastures



new. We wish them well with their new endeavours.



Well done to our Children's University graduates! Many children have

achieved their bronze, silver and gold awards. We also awarded some gold certificates to recognise the children who had completed over 200 hours in their various clubs. Well done to all.



Attendance Stars for last week are



KS1...1JF with 99 % and

KS2... 6JK with 100%

FANTASTIC!



It is with great sadness that we say goodbye to Sheila Rodgers who lost her battle with cancer this week. Our thoughts are with her family at this very sad time.





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2018-2019 Diary Dates



1	Monday 3 rd September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non Pupil Day
	Tuesday 4 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children back to school • EYFS – home visits
	Wednesday 5 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 2 Curriculum meeting – 2:30 pm KS1 hall • Year 4 and 5 Curriculum meeting – 3:20 pm KS2 hall • EYFS – home visits
	Thursday 6 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EYFS – home visits • Year 6 Curriculum meeting – 3:20pm KS2 hall
	Friday 7 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme Letters home • EYFS – home visits
2	Monday 10 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EYFS begin part time (mornings/afternoons) • Year 6 trip to Waltham Abbey • Karate taster sessions Years 1-6
	Tuesday 11 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EYFS curriculum evening 7pm
	Wednesday 12 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
	Thursday 13 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
	Friday 14 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:15pm - PAGWPS FAMILY EVENT- open air cinema The Greatest Showman
3	Monday 17 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EYFS continue part time (mornings/afternoons)
	Tuesday 18 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:15 am Year 2 English and maths information meeting • 7pm EYFS Parents Information Evening KS1 hall
	Wednesday 19 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
	Thursday 20 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EYFS continue part time: am session 9-12 (bring a packed lunch) pm session 1-3 • 8:00pm - PAGWPS PARENT EVENT- The Musical at the Cliffs Pavillion
	Friday 21 st September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EYFS continue part time: am session 9-11 pm session 12-3 (bring a packed lunch)



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4	Monday 24 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Autumn clubs begin this week • EYFS begin full time (bring their own packed lunch) • Breakfast and After School Club now open to EYFS children • Year 4 to Leeds Castle & Kent 4HT and ½ of 4LW • EYFS coffee morning
	Tuesday 25 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 4 to Leeds Castle & Kent 4HT and ½ of 4LW
	Wednesday 26 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 4 to Leeds Castle & Kent 4DS and ½ of 4LW
	Thursday 27 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 4 to Leeds Castle & Kent 4DS and ½ of 4LW • EYFS - 1st school dinner day • 7:00pm - 8:30pm EYFS Maths and Phonics Workshops
	Friday 29 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:15am - 10:45am EYFS Maths and Phonics Workshops
5	Monday 1 st October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KS2 Choir to Rosedale Court • 4:30pm - PAGWYPS PARENT EVENT - Trip to see Tina Turner, the Musical in London • 9:30 - 10:30 SEND Parents Coffee Morning
	Tuesday 2 nd October	
	Wednesday 3 rd October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Individual Photos
	Thursday 4 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harvest at Holy Trinity • Year 5 9:30 am start • Year 1 1:45pm start
	Friday 5 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
6	Monday 8 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KS2 Choir to Rosedale Court
	Tuesday 9 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
	Wednesday 10 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
	Thursday 11 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AM - EYFS - Winnie Winnie the Pooh hunt in Grove Woods - younger siblings welcome
	Friday 12 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
7	Monday 15 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 14th October - Ron's 85th Birthday • A Celebration of Black History Week -



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	Tuesday 16 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebration of Black History Workshops - KS2 • Year 2 to Belfairs Woodland Centre
	Wednesday 17 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebration of Black History Workshops - KS1
	Thursday 18 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent consultations 1:30 - 8:00pm
	Friday 19 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme Letters home • Year 2 – Wild Dress up day
Half Term - Monday 22nd October – Friday 26th October		
8	Monday 29 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 3 Visitor- Roald Dahl Storyteller (<i>NB this is NOT a dressing up day this year</i>) • PAGWPS KS1 & KS2 Halloween Disco
	Tuesday 30 th October	•
	Wednesday 31 st October	•
	Thursday 1 st November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8:00pm - PAGWPS PARENT Event - Dirty Dancing at the Cliffs Pavillion
	Friday 2 nd November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year Three Dress Up Day - come dressed up as your favourite Roald Dahl character!
9	Monday 5 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 5& 6 - Remembrance Workshop
	Tuesday 6 th November	
	Wednesday 7 th November	•
	Thursday 8 th November	•
	Friday 9 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 6 Remembrance Assembly to parents - Sports Hall 9:15am • PM - EYFS - Diwali celebrations - younger siblings may attend
10	Monday 12 th November	•
	Tuesday 13 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7pm – Open Showcase Evening
	Wednesday 14 th November	•
	Thursday 15 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dressing Up - EYFS - Cinderella Ball - come dressed up as a princess, prince, knight, king or queen!
	Friday 16 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole School Flu Immunisations
11	Monday 19 th November	



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	Tuesday 20th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:30pm Prospective Parents Walkaround
	Wednesday 21st November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PM - EYFS Enterprise Fair - younger siblings may attend
	Thursday 22nd November	
	Friday 23rd November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Saturday 24th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PAGWPS PARENT Event - Glitter Ball at the Rayleigh Club
12	Monday 26th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Tuesday 27th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Prospective Parents Walkaround
	Wednesday 28th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Thursday 29th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> After School Event - Rayleigh Lights
	Friday 30th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AM - EYFS - Glitter Morning - younger siblings are unable to attend this event 12:30 - Year 6 Drama Club Trip to the Palace Theatre to see the Wizard of Oz. 3:30 - PAGWPS FAMILY EVENT - Christmas Fair & choir to sing
13	Monday 3rd December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:30pm Prospective Parents Walkaround
	Tuesday 4th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Prospective Parents Walkaround
	Wednesday 5th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Thursday 6th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Friday 7th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Autumn clubs finish today
14	Monday 10th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 4 Christmas Production 9:30 and 1:30
	Tuesday 11th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Wednesday 12th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 2 Christmas Production 9:30 and 1:30 KS2 Christmas Dinner
	Thursday 13th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS1 Christmas Dinner
	Friday 14th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 5 9:30 am, Year 3 11:00am, Year 1 2:00 pm @ Holy Trinity Church (further information to follow)
15	Monday 17th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Whole School Carol Service 2:00pm



SWEYNE PARK SCHOOL



OPEN EVENING

Tuesday 18th September 2018, 6:00pm - 8:30pm
Headteacher's talks at 6:45pm and 7:30pm

Nationally recognised programme for Year 6 transition
Leading Parent Partnership Award
Investors in People: Gold Award
Established Sixth Form
Extensive extra-curricular programme,
including international trips
DfE Character Award

The Sweyne Park School,
Sir Walter Raleigh Drive,
Essex SS6 9BZ
Headteacher: Andy Hodgkinson MA(Oxon)

For further information please call 01268 784721
or visit our website: www.sweynepark.com



**Tours every day from Thursday 20th- Friday 28th September
at 9am and 10am: Meet at Reception - no appointment necessary.**



THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT

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SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2018



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**From Saturday 14 July
to Saturday 1 September 2018**

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Rayleigh Library Summer Events

25th July

Craft Session 11-12pm

For ages 8-11

Book for this event

8th August

Sensory Rhymetime

11-12pm

For ages 3-5

1st August

Ukulele 11-12pm

For ages 8-11

Book for this event

15th August

Sensory Rhymetime

11-12pm

For ages 3-5

22nd August

ScienceLab 11-3pm

1 hr sessions for ages 3-8

Book slots for this event

29th August

Craft Session 11-12pm

For ages 8-11

Book for this event

**For booking events call 033301 32687
or ask at the HELLO desk**

The Magical Secret of the Crystal Kingdom

P.S. Nicholls



For ages
5-14
years

Rayleigh Library

Friday 10 August, 11am-12.30pm

**A magical fantasy story reading & workshop
with the author**

For further information contact
Essex Libraries on 0345 603 7628
or visit libraries.essex.gov.uk/events



Essex County Council

£15 per day
or
£60 for the week

GLOWSPORTS

at Grove Wood Primary School

Monday 6th—Friday 10th August inclusive - 10-3pm
at Grove Wood Primary School

Glow Sports days will consist of the following sports—Tennis, Football, Badminton, Dodgeball, Basketball, Volleyball and Team games!

All taking place in a blacked out Sports Hall with UV lighting making the room and much more GLOW!

Ages 5 and over!



To book/pay please visit

www.deanesportscentre.com or call 01268 741162



**£12 per day or
£50 for the week**



At Grove Wood Primary School

Monday 20th - Friday 24th August
inclusive - 9.30 - 2.30pm

A football camp led by Ryan O'Rawe (UEFA B licensed coach) & his team. Attendees will be developing tactical, technical and match play skills. A great time to get involved in football with the World Cup this summer!



To reserve a place please contact **Ryan O'Rawe** kofa-ryan@outlook.com

SUMMER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Limited places for all events. Reserve a place now.

Text or call: 07841 483771, email: elitesportcoaching@outlook.com

Staff are DBS checked, insured and have first aid training.

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Football skills and fun played under UV light. We supply everything you need to **GLOW!**

ULTIMATE SPORTS CAMP

- Team games
- Inflatable obstacle course
- Slip 'n slide (bring a towel and change of clothes)
- Football
- Archery
- Tennis
- Dodgeball




IMPORTANT: For Nerf Games children must bring their own authentic guns and 10 bullets (guns must have the 'Nerf' logo on as above). For safety reasons guns from other manufacturers are not allowed.



All events 10am-3pm. Ages 5-12 Cost £14

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
THURSDAY 26th JULY		Heycroft Primary School, Leigh on Sea
THURSDAY 26th JULY		Wickford CLC, Wickford
FRIDAY 27th JULY		Bromfords Sports Centre, Wickford
MONDAY 30th JULY		Grove Wood Primary School, Rayleigh
TUESDAY 31st JULY		Grove Wood Primary School, Rayleigh
MONDAY 6th AUGUST		Wickford CLC, Wickford
TUESDAY 7th AUGUST		Bromfords Sports Centre, Wickford
MONDAY 13th AUGUST		Grove Wood Primary School, Rayleigh
MONDAY 20th AUGUST		Wickford CLC, Wickford
TUESDAY 28th AUGUST		Bromfords Sports Centre, Wickford

Children should bring a packed lunch (please ensure it doesn't contain nuts) and a drink.

SCORPION

FOOTBALL TOURNAMENTS
Ages 5-11 Cost £5



DATE	TIME	VENUE
THURSDAY 9th August	10am - 12pm	Wickford CLC, Wickford
TUESDAY 21st August	10am - 12pm	Wickford CLC, Wickford

We also do birthday parties!

Our themed parties include
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storytelling.

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THEATRE

SUMMER SCHOOL

23rd July- 27th July 2018
10.30am- 1.00pm

The Clifftown Theatre,
Nelson Street, Southend-On-Sea, SS1
1EF

For more information or to book
your child a place:
Email- clifftownyt@gmail.com

Essex Child and Family Wellbeing Service



**School Nurse
Drop-in service**

No appointment necessary

Are you worried or have concerns
about your child's health?

Essex Child and Family Wellbeing Service

We offer support and advice on the following topics
and any other health or developmental issues
which may be concerning you.

- Continence problems
- Hearing tests
- Weight and dietary issues
- Sleep
- Behaviour
- General health concerns

No appointment necessary

As this is a drop-in clinic we may limit the time
to 15 minutes per child at busy times. For more
in-depth problems please contact the service
directly to speak to a
member of the school nurse team.

0300 247 0013

Little Lions Children's Centre
Northwick Park Academy
Third Ave, Canvey Island, SS8 9SU
Phone: 01268 683671

3 - 4pm

1st & 15th May
12 & 26th June
10th July & 24th July
7th August

Oak Tree Children's Centre
Grovewood Primary School
Grove Road, Rayleigh, SS6 8UA.
Phone: 01268 775910

3 - 4pm

1st & 15th May
12 & 26th June
10th July & 24th July
7th August

Wishing Well Children's Centre
Waterman Primary School
The Boulevard, Rochford, SS4 1QF.
Phone: 01702 541460

3 - 4pm

21st May
18th June
2nd, 16th & 30th July
13th, August

Little Hand Prints
Thundersley Primary School
Dark Lane, Thundersley, SS7 3PT
Phone: 01268 753557

3 - 4pm

2nd, 16th May
13th & 27th June
11th, 25th July
8th August



SHOWBIZ 2018

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