



GROVE WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Achieving and celebrating success for all.....

Newsletter Friday 27th September 2019

Stars of the Week!

Blue—Whole Class
Yellow—Whole Class
Green—Whole Class
1CA— Maxwell Sullivan
1JF— Tia Bysouth
1JM— Jacob Freeman
2CJ— Seren Rodulfo
2EL— Tilly Griffiths
2JC— Jenson Henman
3GS— Thomas Smith
3KO—Crystal Vance
3ST— Jake Fahey
4JT— Charlotte Summers
4DS— Matthew King
4HT - Maisie Gregory
5CS - Georgie O'Connor
5JB— Grace Lindsay
5FA—Harry Dangerfield

Attendance Stars for this week are:

Blue Class and 2CJ with a fabulous 100%
And 4DS also with a fantastic 100%

Diary Dates

Week commencing 27/09/2019

Dinner Menu B

2nd October —individual school photos

4th October—Year 6 Mega Play Crucial

Crew 12.30—2.30pm (pack lunch
required on this day)



As part of the children's first Year 6 theme 'A Child's War', The children went to The Gunpowder Mills, in Waltham Abbey. They saw what it was like to live through WWII, specifically about women during the wartime and what roles they played, rationing, what it was like to be an evacuee, and they even experienced an air raid. Children and staff had a great day.

The new secondary school admission round opened on Thursday, 12 September 2019. This is for parents of current Year 6 children to apply for a secondary school for September 2020.

It is the responsibility of parents to apply for a school place at the correct times. You will not receive any letters from Essex County Council to inform you to apply for your child's school place.

The statutory national closing date for applications is 31st October 2019.

Applications can be made online via www.essex.gov.uk/admissions

We are looking for donations of the following items for lunch time play:

Lego/Duplo, Toy Garages and Toy cars



VACANCY – Relief Kitchen Assistant

We currently have a vacancy for a Relief Kitchen Assistant, to work “as & when” required in the School Kitchen over the lunchtime period.

The rate of pay is £9.00 per hour.

For further details and to request an application form, please see Sarah Mark, HR Officer, or email

sarahmark@groveswood.essex.sch.uk.

Closing date: Thursday 10th October 2019



KS1 Parent Kelley Weller is collecting Empty, flat crisp packets to recycle them to assist Air Ambulance in their Fundraising. She will be in the office every Friday to collect any donations.

PUPIL PREMIUM FUNDING is additional funding given to schools to support eligible pupils. At Grove Wood Primary, we use this funding to provide additional small group tuition, music lessons and support parents in paying for trips and after school clubs. If you think your child may be entitled, please speak to either Mrs Tuck or Mr Power for advice.

More information is on our website should it be required.

PAGWPS NEWS

Our Next Meeting is 14th October 2019 1.30pm in the Family Learning Room, everyone is welcome, please come along.

BINGO SUCCESS

Thank you to all who came and enjoyed our first ever Bingo evening, we raised a fantastic £768!. We hope you enjoyed the evening as much as we did.

SEPTEMBER CHRISTMAS SHOP

Thank you to our PAGWPS elves who set up our Christmas Shop and provided parents with the opportunity to purchase discounted Christmas decorations last Friday. This Christmas Shop sale raised £250!!

HALLOWEEN DISCO—24th OCTOBER

This week your children brought home our Halloween disco letter. We are holding a KS1 & KS2 disco, please return your forms as soon as possible. We will only sell 200 tickets to each disco and tickets will be issued on a first come, first served basis. Tickets will not be sold on the door. Unfortunately for this event younger siblings can not attend.

50p FRIDAY—4TH OCTOBER

PAGWPS will be outside the office on 4th October from 2.45—3.30pm selling sweet treats for 50p. We will also be rolling out our preloved uniform for parents to purchase.

DONATIONS PLEASE

In preparation for our Christmas Fair we are looking for donations of Hamper Baskets, Bottles, unwanted and unwrapped gifts. Any donations can be brought into the office.



School Nurse Drop In

Come and have a confidential chat with your school nurse if you are a school aged young person worried about your health, or a parent who is worried about your child's health.

Little Lions Family Hub
Northwick Park Academy
Third Avenue,
Canvey island
SS8 9SU

Phone: 01268 683671

3pm – 4pm

3rd, 17th September

1st, 15th, 29th October

12th, 26th November

10th December

Little Hand prints delivery
site.

Thundersley Primary school

Dark Lane,

Thundersley. SS7 3PT

Phone: 01268 753557

3pm – 4pm

4th, 18th September

2nd, 16th, 30th October

13th, 27th November

11th December

Oaktree Family Hub
Groveswood Primary
school

Grove Road,

Rayleigh. SS6 8UA

Phone: 01268 775910

3pm – 4pm

3rd, 17th September

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Services commissioned by:

GROVE WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL
ONCE AGAIN WE PRESENT OUR CHILDREN'S FAVOURITES THEME LUNCH!

Thurs 3RD October 2019



CHICKEN BURGER IN A BUN
CHICKEN NUGGETS
DEEF DURGERS IN A DUN

VEGGIE DURGERS IN A DUN (PLEASE BOOK)
GLUTEN FREE CHICKEN NUGGETS (PLEASE BOOK)

FRENCH FRIES
BAKED BEANS
SWEETCORN

HAPPY FACE ICE CREAM



Please order and pay by Monday next week £2.30. Reception and children in Years 1 & 2 FREE. All children having a dinner on this day will be entered into a Prize Draw. One child from each class will win a prize from Ty Beanie, Knex, Lego, Harry Potter, Dr Who, Wild Republic, Stationery Sets, & LOL Surprise

Classes are for all levels and abilities

FITNESS BUZZ

£5
a class

www.fitnessbuzzrayleigh.wordpress.com

Echo

New Starters

PICTURE SPECIAL

Your New Starters Picture Special
will appear in your Local Echo on
Tuesday 1st of October

A copy will make a lovely
memento for you and your child



Available from **your local store**

Echo
www.echo-news.co.uk

ALDI'S KIT FOR SCHOOLS

Get stuck in and help our school
win £20,000!

Drop off Aldi kit for Schools stickers here.



T&Cs apply. 300 stickers to complete poster entry.

Collect and win
with Aldi's Kit for Schools.

ALDI'S KIT FOR SCHOOLS

This September, Aldi's Kit for Schools promotion is giving 20 primary schools the chance to win £20,000 to kick-start a health legacy for their school. What's more, every school who enters by completing their Aldi's Kit for Schools poster will also receive an exclusive school sports kit!

Taking part

- 1. Collect.** Ask members of your school community to pick up their Team GB sticker whenever they spend £30 in any Aldi store, and bring the stickers into school to add to your Aldi's Kit for Schools poster.
- 2. Explore.** Try out each poster's 150 healthy challenges in assembly or the classroom, and explore the **Get Stuck In** teaching resources from the Get Set to Eat Fresh education programme.
- 3. Win.** Complete the poster with 300 Team GB stickers to receive a school sports kit and the chance to win a cash prize of £20,000 to build a health legacy at your school.

Find out more and get stuck in at
getseteattofresh.co.uk/kitschools

T&Cs apply.



