

Goodrich Community Primary School

Friday 5th October 2018

Dear all,

There has been lots going on at Goodrich as always, including Welcome Meetings for Key Stage One and Forest School with Ashley and Ms Grady.

Welcome Meetings

It was lovely to see all of the parents who attended our Welcome Meetings. We hope that you found them useful and that you now feel more confident going into this new school year. Nursery will be holding a Curriculum Meeting in the next few weeks.

Parents Evening

Thank you to those who have signed up for Parents Evening on Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th October. If you have any concerns about your child's development, we have a team of specialists who are available for appointments on the Monday evening.

- Ms Gosney (SENCo)
- Humera (specialist literacy teacher)
- Emma (speech and language therapist)

Appointments can be booked through the Office.

Nimble Arts - holiday clubs



Dear Parents and Carers,

With October half-term approaching fast we're thrilled to be back at Goodrich to kick off our 2018/19 holiday clubs which will take place every holiday excluding Christmas. As always, we'll offer a unique daily adventure 8am - 6.30pm and now include a free packed breakfast on arrival for all those who want it. For a full time-table of what's on visit:

<http://www.nimblearts.co.uk/holiday-courses/>

or book through your Magic Booking account.

Don't forget to use code GOOD10 (if you haven't already used that one) or GOOD101 or claim 10% off as a Goodrich parent.

Full day places are open to 4-11 year olds and half days available for 4-6 year olds (although they can also attend all day!).

See you then!

The Nimble Arts Ltd Team



Mixed Year 5/6 football Champions!!

28th September saw our mixed team win the Southwark trophy at Bacon's College.

Well done guys.....we are proud of you.

Our Year 3 girl's replicated the Year 5/6's by securing their Southwark Cup on 1st October and will now represent Southwark at this Summers Youth Games.

On 3rd October we took a very young team (including a Year 3 and a Year 4 child) to the Year 5/6 girl's only tournament to celebrate Women In Sport Week!

The girls really did well and got through to the Semi Finals! I felt that we had the opportunities to win the game but need to be a bit more composed in front of goal.

Our Football league games started with us facing Angel Oak girls and boys teams. The girl's were easy 6-0 victors and didn't even concede a goal.

The boys also had a great game and showed steely determination to come back from being 2-0 and 3-1 down to come out eventual winners, 4-3!

The whole squad contributed to both of these victories to prove that they are a team!

Well done guys.....we are proud of ALL of you!!!!

Lennie Dennis

Early Years Outdoor Area

The Early Years are working on developing provision in the outdoor area and would very much appreciate any donations of logs, pine cones or other natural materials. Please bring donations to either the Nursery or Reception classrooms.

The outdoor area is set up every morning for our children to access during the school day. Please do not allow children to play with what has been set up either before or after school, as this affects the appearance of the outdoor area when we open the doors for play-based learning. It also means double the amount of tidying up for our Early Years staff.

Thank you.

East Dulwich Farmer's Market



FoG Annual Meeting - Update

A big thank you to everyone who came out to the AGM meeting Tuesday night. We went through the money raised by FoG last year, how that money was allocated, discussed roles and nominated some new trustees. We were also lucky to have our local ward councillor, Maggie Browning, join us. As a ward councillor Maggie serves as the bridge between our local community and the council. Maggie has shown a lot of interest in the school, parents & what FoG does. She will be a great resource for us and we will be keeping her updated on all events and hope she'll join us on a regular basis. Our two governors, Ryan Sales and David Sargen, were also in attendance. It was a great meeting with lots of positive feedback and new ideas. The AGM notes will be posted on the website in due course.

Lastly, a MASSIVE thank you to all outgoing FoG committee members, Tara Davies, Matt Osborne and Anna Scott. You have each done a tremendous job over the last few years and we couldn't have done all that we did without you! Below is a complete list of trustees along with the 2018/19 Team.

Trustees

- Karen Eastwood-Co Chair
- Louise Lauchlan - Co chair
- Jos Howard - Co Treasurer
- Lauren Kininmonth- Co Treasurer
- Jessica Marron - Secretary
- Ali Birtwell - Social media & website
- Alison Hawkes -Raffle
- Sam Stephenson - Cake Sales & 2nd hand uniform
- Tina Gettrup - Adult Events
- Emma Southon - Children's events
- Lucy Ashdown – Sponsorship

Team/FoG Roles

- Winter Fair – Vacant
- Santas Grotto – Vacant
- Summer Fair - Vacant
- Cake Sales & 2nd hand uniform – Sam Stephenson
- Goodrich Rocks – Eilidh MacLeod
- Reception Picnic – Vacant
- Newsletter & Class Rep Coordinator – Sarah Purser
- Childrens Events – Emma Tott, Emma Southen & Carys Owen
- Bar Co-Ordinator – Catherine Holmes
- World Book Day – Marcela Ferreira
- Christmas Cards – Rachel Parry-Jones
- Adults Events – Nik Hood, Tina Gettrup, Niamh Wallis & Susie Jackson
- Sponsorship – Lucy Ashdown & Camille Evans
- Social Media & Website – Ali Birtwell
- Food Co-Ordinators – Mike Cowler, Jon Dale & Laura Higgitt
- Fun Run – Sarah Rahim
- Raffle – Alison Hawkes

Second Hand Book Sales – Sandra Bennett

Treasure Hunts – Tara Davies

**Bear in mind although a lot of the roles are filled we are always looking for volunteers especially for the Winter Fair and Santas Grotto which are right around the corner! If you can spare some time to help us with either of these please email us at friendsofgoodrich@gmail.com*

Macmillian Coffee Morning

We raised a fantastic **£181.18** for Macmillan Cancer Support in 45 minutes at the coffee morning on Friday. BIG thanks to everyone who baked & bought cakes and came along to eat them for a great cause! Plus thanks to Ali Birtwell, Sarah Blackham, Kirsti Hughes and Karen Eastwood for organising the event.

Easy Fundraising App

Want to help us raise money without having to raise money? It's easy peasy just do all your online shopping through the Easy Fundraising app. Your weekly grocery shop, holiday shopping, clothes shopping, boring every day bits shopping could help our school. Just go to the App Store and download Easy Fundraising, create an account and choose Friends of Goodrich as your charity to support and boom just do your usual shopping. Loads of retailers on there including Amazon, Sainburys, Ocado, ASOS and many more. Our school makes money every time you shop and you can track how much you've raised. Just make sure you go through the app to shop and its free money to our school, hooray!

Save the Dates

Next FoG meeting Wednesday October 17th - 8pm at the Herne Tavern. Everyone is welcome, please join us!

Winter Fair- Saturday 1st December

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Have a great weekend!

Rebecca Hong

Early Years Leader