

# Goodrich Community Newsletter

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#### OPEN EVENING INVITATION 2023: MONDAY 17TH JULY, 4:00PM to 5:30PM

We are delighted to invite you all to our open evening on Monday.

### Goodbye and Good Luck!



**Ashley** is leaving us today after 7 1/2 years. We will miss seeing her in the office every day, but we are so happy for her continued success and wish her the best of luck.



Sadly, **Ms Goodoree** will be leaving us earlier than anticipated due to her undergoing surgery on Tuesday morning. We wish her well and a speedy recovery!



#### Summer 2 Term 2023

17th July—Open Evening (4-5:30pm)

18th July—KS1 and Reception (pm) and KS2 (am) Sports Day

19th July—Nursery Sports Day 9:15am on the Astroturf in school

20th July—Last day of this academic year for children—finish at 2:30pm

21st July—**Inset Day**, staff only!

#### **Sports Day**

9:30am—12noon KS2 (Years 3 to 6) Sports Day

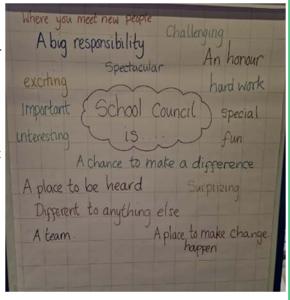
**1pm—3pm** KS1 (Years 1 and 2) and Reception Sports Day

@ Peckham Rye Park



#### **School Council**

The school council met for the final time this year on Thursday. As well as celebrating their successes they also reflected on what the school council means to them. We would like to say a huge THANK YOU to the outgoing school council for all of their work on behalf of their classes this year. Look out for the new playground equipment in September! If you think that you would be able to listen to your classmates, share their ideas and feed back to them after meetings maybe you might think about joining the school council next year.



#### **Attendance News!**

Well done Year Reception, Class 22, for having the highest attendance this week of 97.91%.

Please make sure that your children come to school everyday and on time! If you are late, please report to the school office to get a mark on the register. Children coming in late disturbs the learning of the whole class.





#### Year 1 Book of the Week

Class 23 would like to recommend 'Look Up' by Nathan Bryan and Dapo Adeola as their Book of the Week.

Rocket is a young girl who is obsessed about learning about space. She wants to tell everybody about a **meteor shower** coming up and wants them to look up at the stars.

The problem is that it is hard to get her older brother to look up from his phone.

Rocket persists and encourages everyone to come out and enjoy the meteor shower...but will they come?

"I liked it when the meteor shower came," Alfie. "I liked that the boy put his phone down and looked up," Ava.

"I liked Rocket because she had an amazing imagination," Frank.

"I like it when Rocket was upset but as soon as she turned around the meteor shower happened," Ottilie.

"I liked it when she was in the supermarket and handed out flyers and talked on the microphone," Robin.

"I liked when the meteors came and they were different colours," Fahmida.

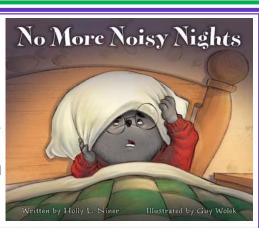


They found it funny when Jackson stuffed his ears with cotton wool.

They could not believe it when Jackson was so tired that he put orange juice on his cereal and washed his face with toothpaste!

They liked that Jackson kept thinking of ideas for things the other characters could do to keep busy at night.

They were very happy when he finally got some sleep.



y Nathan Bryon illustrated by Dapo Adeola

**OVERALL WINNER** 

### Class 25 have enjoyed reading 'Giraffes Can't Dance' by Giles Andreae.

We enjoyed reading all about the animals and the different dances they could do, although we felt quite upset for Gerald the giraffe when the other animals were being unkind to him.

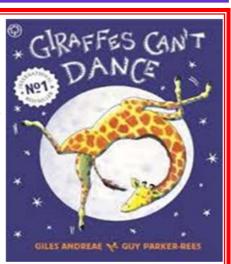
It was a relief when the rest of the animals finally decided to be kind to Gerald.

**Bea** – 'I like that this book includes animals because I like animals.'

Juan - 'I like that the book has hyenas.'

**Siofra** – 'I like the lesson in it; you can do anything you put your mind to.'

Travis - 'I like that it is set in the wild.'



## Stars of the week!

Ali—Nur BB Maya—Nur BB Aubrey—Nur LB Freya—Nur LB

Latir—Rec Cl 20 Noor—Rec Cl 20 Max—Rec Cl 21 Albert—Rec Cl 21 Alexis—Rec Cl 22 Elliot—Rec Cl 22

Janae—Cl 23 Rosa—Y1 Cl 23 Emily—Y1 Cl 24 Lila—Y1 Cl 24 Katie—Yr Cl 24 Juan—Y1 Cl 25

Mariam—Y1 CI 3 Jayden—Y2 CI 3 Abigail—Y2 CI 5 Lottie—Y2 CI 5

Prosper—Y3 CI 6 Abdul—Y3 CI 6 Sophie—Y3 CI 7 Clement—Y3 CI 7 Tiffany—Y3 CI 9 Isaac—Y3 CI 9

Anna—Y4 CI 13 Daveanique—Y4 CI 13 Leon—Y4 CI 14 Isabelle—Y4 CI 14 Millie—Y4 CI 15 Micaiah—Y4 CI 15

All Year 6 CI 17 All Year 6 CI 27

## Citizen of the Week

Dyaan CI 6 Oscar CI 16





## **Nursery Learning**

**Nursery** have had a very exciting week. On Wednesday we went for a trip to Peckham Rye Park for a 'Teddy Bear's Picnic'.

We took a picnic and our favourite bear. We had great fun walking along fallen tree trunks, collecting pine cones and playing chasing games.

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We all were able to keep ourselves safe by holding our partners' hand and our grown ups.
We know to look both ways when crossing the road and wait for the green man to tell us when it is safe to go.
Luckily for us the sun shone and a fun time was had by everyone.











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# Goodbye!



Steve, our Premises Manager, is retiring after 37 years of looking after schools in South East London.



Ms Goguel, one of our Deputy Head's, is moving back to Ireland to be with family and rekindle her passion with horses.



Mr Ford, is moving North of the river, to explore working in a setting with pupils who have visual and audio impairments.



Dominique, is going to University, to study Occupational Health. It will be a three year course.



Ms Farar, moving onto pastures new to widen her experiences.



Ms Hampson, is moving on to share her expertise in other schools.



Ms Sirrett, moving onto pastures new to widen her experiences.



Ms Jackson, Music Tutor, is retiring. She works one day a week and has been sharing her skills knowledge for over 20 years.



Ms Kane, who works one day a week, is going to focus on family and other interests.

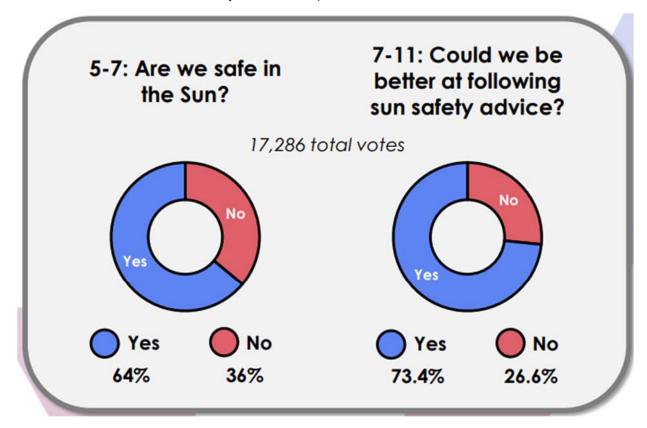




#### **VotesforSchools**

Last week, we asked pupils: 'Are we safe in the Sun?' KS1 and ' Could we better at following sun safety advice?' KS2

Here's what children across the country made of the question:



This week our topics were: 'Is it easy to remember the news?'

Continue the conversation at home!

Which kind of news stories do we remember more easily?

Could it ever be a problem that we forget some news stories? Are there any
big news
stories you
have
remembered
this week?





### Library Summer Reading Challenge

## Ready, Set, Read!



Who would you like to go to the library with?

Draw a picture of them below and colour it in. Cut out your invitation and share it with them.

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Let's go to the library and join the Summer Reading Challenge!

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