

Gooderstone Gazette

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the seed falling on good soil refers to someone who hears the word and understands it. This is the one who produces a crop, yielding a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown-
Matthew 13:23



Team Points
Einstein: 62
Curie: 56
Newton: 24

Writer of the Week

Owls

Star of the week is, Imogen for displaying the school values in church.

Wow of the week is, Isabella for super focus in Maths.

Writer of the week, Hallie for always mark making in the environment.

Skylarks

Star of the week is, Izzy for consistently being a kind peer.

Wow of the week is, Teddy for working hard to learn his sounds.

Writer of the week, is Lily for being considerate and careful with her word choices in writing.

Kestrels

Star of the week is Lilia for always being respectful and kind.

Wow of the week is Patrick for an excellent report on the stonewall riots.

Writer of the week is Ben for fantastic instructions.

What have we been up to?

This week in Owls & Goslings, we had a love themed Gathering where we enjoyed hearing the story 'Guess how much I love you'. The children enjoyed making and decorating heart shaped biscuits. They also used there maths to measure their arm span.

This week in Skylarks, we had a No Plan day all about rainforests. We made mini trees and located the ten biggest rainforests on earth on a giant map. We realised they were all in the middle and learnt that this is because they are located near the equator where it is hot and humid. We did some beautiful botanical artwork of tropical plants and some of us made bird of paradise flowers. In the afternoon we watched a little bit of Paddington in Peru and researched amazing animals that live in the rainforest. We were amazed at pink river dolphins and the powerful bite of snapping turtles!

This week in Kestrels, we had a wonderful Gathering where we practised our editing skills. Thank you to all of the family members who came. We also had a No Plan Day about Aquariums where we completed some research about aquarium animals, sketched some and made some from clay.



Cake Friday!

Congratulations to Imogen, who won our Cake Friday today!

We would like to thank Mrs Sawyer for her wonderful valentine treats and everyone for taking part.

We have raised an incredible **£31.80!**

We look forward to our next Cake Friday, which will take place

Friday 14th March with a wonderful creation from Miss Dinsdale!



Sendco

SENDCo Information and Support - Mrs Tinkley SENDCo
If you have any concerns about your child and would like to talk to Mrs Tinkley, please do not hesitate to contact her via email or telephone the school.

Family Action February 2025 Newsletter

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School Council Update- February 2025

Donations:

As always, the children would be very grateful for any donations for us to improve the school and its surroundings. Below are some ideas which the school council have come up with which we would be very grateful for any donations towards:

- Colouring books and felt tips
- Small construction- Lego or any other construction toys
- A large set of plastic drawers – for the colouring books and pens
- Lots of Large plastic lidded boxes to store toys
- Seeds for the veg patch
- Tools for the veg patch
- A school sports kit for competitions
- Small world play- dinosaurs, farms, Playmobil, dolls houses, cars.



The School Council will keep you updated with any purchases made and their plans throughout the year. Thanks for your ongoing support.

Upcoming Events

- **25th February:** Class Photos
- **27th February:** *Polling Station* School Open (Sandwiches only)
- **28th February:** Cake Friday!
- **6th March @9am:** Y6 Crucial Crew
- **7th March:** World Book Day!
- **10th - 14th March:** Science Week!
- **14th March:** Dress as a Mad Scientist Day
- **14th March:** Cake Friday!
- **21st March:** Comic Relief
- **24th March @3.15pm:** PGL Meeting with Miss Stanley
- **26th March @9am:** Easter Service at St Georges Church
- **28th March:** Cake Friday!
- ***Rescheduled* 28th March @9am:** Skylarks Celebration Assembly

Let Every Light Shine

