



# Little Gaddesden C.E. Primary School

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3<sup>rd</sup> November 2016

Dear parents,

## Letters Sent Home this Week

Class 3/4 - Lunch charge letters from 1<sup>st</sup> October - 20<sup>th</sup> December

Year 4 - Speed Stacking festival, Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November.

Year 2 - Sports Fayre, Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November

Class 4 - Isle of Wight 2017 letter

## Class Assemblies

Class 4 - Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 9.00 a.m.

Class 2 - Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 9.00 a.m.

## Game-On After-School Football

There will be no after-school football training on 9<sup>th</sup> November as there is a football match.

## School Photographer

We would like to remind you that the school photographer will be here on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November to take individual and sibling photographs. These photos will arrive back in school before we break for Christmas.

## School Comms

You are now able to pay for school meals online, via the School Gateway App.

**What you need to do now:** Activate your School Gateway account. It's quick and easy to do. All you need are your email address and mobile number that school holds on record for you.

**Download the app:** If you have a smartphone, please download School Gateway from your app store (Android and iPhone). The app shows the same information as the website.

**Or**

**Visit the website:** [www.schoolgateway.com](http://www.schoolgateway.com) and click on "New User". You'll receive a text message with a PIN number. Use this PIN to log into School Gateway.

### Congratulations

We are very pleased to inform you that Albert Eames has been selected to captain the Dacorum District Under 11st football team for the 2016-2017 season. Albert has been selected from over 120 children that attended the district trials over the past few months and we wish him an enjoyable and successful season.

### Message from 'The Friends'

#### **Christmas Cards**

Please keep your eyes out for the children's "design their own Christmas card" packs. This year is a different format as your child's design goes directly on to the back of the order form. Once the design is complete, you then fill in the order form for cards, calendars and mugs. The more you order the cheaper it is, please include payment with your order.

All order forms with designs on the back to be sent back to school with cheques payable to "The Friends of Little Gaddesden School" no later than Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November.

Please read the do's/don't tips to ensure the best from the designs and keep flat, do not fold. If you have any questions, Claire Franklin is co-ordinating (Elsie class 3 and Poppy class 2). Encourage your child to be creative, colourful and Christmassy! The best design from each class will win a prize.

#### **Remember, remember the 6<sup>th</sup> of November!**

Tickets for bonfire night are available at the Village Shop, or from Anna Stevenson or Penny Brash in the playground.

We still need a few helpers to man the bar/stalls on the night so if you can help, please let your year rep know.

#### **Dates for your Diary**

- November 18<sup>th</sup>, Pre-Christmas Shopping Event
- December 3<sup>rd</sup>, Christmas Bazaar

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