



Little Gaddesden C of E Primary School

Headteacher: Lorna Elkes

Newsletter 9th June 2022

Coming up...

Friday 10th June - Class 4 return **ETA 5pm (We will update you via email if this changes)**

Monday 13th June - KS2 Shakespeare workshop

Book Fair 13th - 20th June

Friday 24th June - Class 3 & 4 Shakespeare theatre trip Monday 27th June

Monday 27th June - Class 1 trip

4th - 8th July Art week

Wednesday 6th July - Whole school trip to London (Year 1-6)

Tuesday 12th July Class 4 - An evening of entertainment

Wednesday 13th July - Sports Day (provisional date)

Friday 15th July - Take One Picture exhibition

Wednesday 20th July - Last day of term - school ends at 1:30pm.

Dear parents / carers,

Welcome back after half term, I hope you all enjoyed the Jubilee celebrations. Those of you who managed to attend the activities in the village hall will know how well the children in class 2 performed their maypole dance, especially as their last rehearsals were before half term.

Class 2 - huge thank you to class 2 staff who all help the children learn the dances and perform so wonderfully as part of the celebrations. Also thanks to Emily and Daisy who stepped in for children unable to attend on the day.



There are several short videos that can be viewed using the links below.

[Maypole 1](#)

[Maypole 2](#)

[Maypole 3](#)

[Maypole 4](#)

[Maypole 5](#)

[Maypole 6](#)

Class 3 & 4 - the children will be taking part in a free Shakespeare workshop on Monday based on the Tempest. This will be followed by an opportunity to watch a production of the play at Verulamium theatre. Full details are [here](#).

Book Fair

The scholastic book fair will be returning on Monday. We will once again be running a voucher system whereby each class will have dedicated viewing and buying slots. There are two additional family buying slots: Wednesday after school and Friday before school.

Full details are explained in the letter. 📎 Parent letter Book Fair 2022.docx.pdf

Although we are expecting better weather, please make sure your child has a coat at school as they will still go outside in light rain at playtimes.

Wishing you all an enjoyable weekend.

Lorna Elkes
Headteacher

Attached:

- 📎 Tempest KS2 June 22.pdf
- 📎 Parent letter Book Fair 2022.docx.pdf

Activities locally:

- 📎 BerkoFest CHILDRENS BOOK FESTIVAL Flyer.pdf
- 📎 Armed Forces Day Poster final.pdf

From the Friends of Little Gaddesden School

Jubilee Fair

All we'd like to say this week is a huge thank you to all involved and who helped to make the Jubilee Fair on Sunday a huge success! 🙌🙌🙌🙌🙌🙌🎉

The rain just about held off and we had a fantastic turn out. It wouldn't have been possible without all those who helped in the organising, rotating, selling, setting up, clearing down, maypole dancing and all those other jobs and time spent helping! Thank you!

A special thanks goes out to Claire Beard. She took the lead on the organising of this fair, both on behalf of the school but also she was the key contact for the whole village. Claire has spent countless hours of her own time organising the fair and it wouldn't have been such a roaring success without her! 🙌🙌🙌🙌 Good work! 😊

Carol's Curries

On Saturday night, Carol Mabbett and her team prepared, cooked and delivered some delicious curries to the doors of many hungry parents in Little Gaddesden and surrounding areas. It was a

huge success and we'd like to say a huge thank you to Carol and her team (you know who you are) for organising and making this such a successful fundraiser!

What's next?

We will be arranging one final meeting in the coming weeks for all who would like to attend. Details will be circulated in the next week.

Thanks as always

Dani, Claire N, Claire B and Hannah
The Friends' Committee