



# Little Gaddesden C of E Primary School

Headteacher: Lorna Elkes

Thursday 18th May 2023

## Coming up... (new items)

### Summer Term

Monday 22nd May - Friday 26th May - Class 4 Bikeability

*Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June HALF TERM*

*Monday 5th June - INSET day school closed to pupils*

Thursday 8th June - Year 6 sports trip - details to be confirmed

Wednesday 21st June - Friday 23rd June - Class 4 residential trip

Monday 26th June - Friday 30th June - whole school Science week

Wednesday 28th June - Sports day: 9:30am

Tuesday 4th July - Class 4 - local RE trip

Friday 14th July 5pm - Inter-village sports event at Little Gaddesden

Friday 16th June - Class 2 sports trip - details to be confirmed

Tuesday 18th July - Class 3 history trip

Wednesday 19th July - Class 2 local Science trip

### FOLGS events

Sunday 21st May 11:00 am - Gaddesden Gallop

Dear Parents and Carers,

Finally we have some sunshine...As the weather begins to warm up please do send your child into school with sun hats.

We encourage our children to be healthy as part of their learning, focusing on physical exercise, wellbeing and what we eat. All our younger pupils are entitled to fruit snacks which they enjoy. Please ensure that break-time snacks for our older pupils are also healthy. Ideally fruit, not biscuits or crisps!

**Class 1** - had an exciting morning at Berkhamsted Sports Centre this week where they enjoyed using a variety of equipment.





**Class 2** - On Monday, Class 2 went on a walk around Little Gaddesden to find evidence that our school is in a rural quiet location and that our settlement is a village.



We have also started practising Maypole dancing in preparation for the School Summer Fayre.



**Class 3** - We have been learning about the processes of dyeing and weaving fabric as they would have done in the Iron Age, in preparation for replicating these ourselves!

**Class 4** - To support the wellbeing of Year 6 children before their last test and congratulate them on the mature and positive attitude they had taken for their KS2 Statutory Assessments, they enjoyed a breakfast with the teachers that work with them. They should feel very proud of themselves. The year 5 also prepared some delicious 'double choc' biscuits to share.



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- The daily activity made people significantly happier.
- The challenge boosted the health of participants by an average of 30%.
- Benefits continued for two months after the challenge.
- Those involved were more likely to protect our natural environment.

### **Local activities:**

[Basketball](#) Free tickets – Herts Falcons vs Essex Arrows (NBL) Sunday, 28 May 2023

*Tickets will be allocated on a first-come-first-serve basis.*

coupon code <https://hertsbaseball.com/fans/>

📎 [Sports Fever half term camps.pdf](#)

📎 [Fullerians Girls Rugby.pdf](#)

### **Support for families locally:**

📎 [Dacorum ParentCarers Courses and Support - Summer Term - 17.05.2023.pdf](#)

📎 [Breakfast Club Flyer 2023.png](#)

📎 [Public Health Nursing team Newsletter Summer 23.pdf](#)

Wishing you a sunnier weekend.

Lorna Elkes  
Headteacher

## **FOLGS**

Gaddesden Gallop 2023, 📎 [Gaddesden Gallop.jpg](#)

Join us for a fantastic cross country (10K & 5K run) across the stunning Hertfordshire countryside.

A fantastic fun day for the entire family raising funds to support both Little Gaddesden School and Great Ormond Street Hospital .



The run wouldn't be complete without a fully stocked bar, teas & coffees, bacon sandwiches and even a selection of cakes!

Thank you,  
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