

The Goosnargh Gazette

Music Genre of the month:

The Blues



Christian value of the month:

Love



FROGS Easter Bingo

Thanks to everyone who donated prizes, and supported our Easter bingo last night. Thanks to Mrs Cornall who used her new chip making facilities for the first time - they were delicious! Well done to all our helpers on the night:-
we raised a whopping **£708.85!**

Certificate Winners

Wonderful Worker
Reception: Eleanor
Year 1: Lucie
Year 2: Isla
Year 3: Maisie
Year 4: Bailey
Year 5: Archie
Year 6: Jasmine

Super Citizen
Reception: Megan
Year 1: Lucas
Year 2: Liana
Year 3: Harry
Year 4: Whole Class
Year 5: Leah
Year 6: Freddie

Published Author
Reception: Harry
Year 1: Alexander
Year 3: Rien
Year 4: Natasha H-T
Year 5: Alfie

SUMMER TERM

Welcome back to school for our final term of the year - am I getting old or is this school year going super quickly?

We have lots on this term so keep reading the newsletter on a weekly basis. Almost all of our information comes out on here.

Welcome Miss McMahon

Year 4 have welcomed a new teacher this week. Gabriella joins us from a school in Preston - we hope she will be very happy here.



Baby Leech

At last! Mrs Leech finally announced the happy news that baby Elise Sophia (8lb 3oz) arrived on 7th April...just about 2 weeks late... not the efficiency we have come to expect from Mrs Leech!

Both mother and daughter are doing really well!

Congratulations

Mr and Mrs Houseman

Emma has announced that she is expecting another(or final? ...my words not hers!) addition to the Houseman family in September.

Book Fair

Our travelling book fair from **The Book People** with **up to 75% off publisher prices** is in school today and Monday - Thursday next week. Children have had the chance to browse the shelves today and have picked out their favourites!

The book fair will be open from 3:20 pm to 4:00pm today and Monday 29th April - Thursday 2nd May. Please support it!

Children love books and purchases at our book fair help our school. The more you buy, the greater the number of books the supplier gives us for our library, providing extra books for your children to enjoy.

Robinwood

Good luck to year 4 who head off on their first residential adventure next Wednesday. Praying for some fine weather but a bit of rain won't put a dampener on the adventure!

Apple Blossom Children

If your child would like to be one of the Apple Blossom Children and lead the procession on Festival Day, please contact David Butters on 01772 865840 or email him at davidbutters937@hotmail.com

Guild Wheel

We will be taking part in our annual "Guild Wheel Challenge" on Thursday 23rd May.

Thanks to those parent who have already let me know that they can help us en route and in transporting bikes. If you are free that day and would like to join us please let Mrs Sant know next week so we can make arrangements and sort the risk assessment.

We will be cycling and raising money in the name of Mrs Butters who died recently and who did so much for our school and our community.

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Coming up next week...

RECEPTION

Welcome back everyone! What a fantastic start to the summer term! We were so excited to hear about Mrs Leech's baby girl that she has led most of our learning this week. In literacy, we followed instructions really carefully to draw some amazing pictures and turned them into cards for the new baby. As the next reception class will be coming to join us in just a few weeks, we have also made welcome gifts for our new buddies. All this has meant we have had to work really hard on our writing and there have been quite a few WOW moments! In the outdoor area this week, our favourite challenge was to make HUGE bubbles using our own home-made bubble blowers. In Maths we have continued our number focus of counting on to add and especially enjoy these activities on the whiteboard. <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=CountingOnInOnes>
Why not try them yourselves at home as this week's Maths Fun activity?

Please remember that all children should keep a full PE kit in school all week, especially in the summer term when we are likely to make the most of the good weather with additional PE activities.

And finally...WE HAVE EARNED OUR MARBLE TREAT!!! We have been trying to make a decision about how to spend our day, but as the chosen activities will be outside, we will need to look at the forecasts before deciding on a date.

Your child will have their Library time on the following days:

Monday - Blue Tuesday - Yellow Wednesday- Red Thursday - Green

Year 1	Year 2
<p>Well done Year 1 for coming back to school with such hard working attitudes - we've had a wonderful first week! Next week we will be learning more about the Great Fire of London in history, continuing to write our own stories with familiar settings in English and starting 'Time' in maths. If you could start referring to the time (o'clock and half past) and discussing the position of the hands with your child, this would benefit them greatly.</p> <p>In RE we will be learning more about why Jesus was special and we will be starting to practise our athletic skills in preparation for Sports Day too!</p> <p>Spellings for the term have been sent home and they are on the class homework page of the website, as is the Learning Log.</p>	<p>A warm welcome back to school after the Easter break. It's been a lovely first week with the children being very welcoming to Mrs McCulloch.</p> <p>Coming up: English- Animal stories (Wind in the Willows) Maths- Money consolidation Science- Animal habitats, adaptation & survival Geography- Mapping PE- Athletics & Striking/fielding</p> <p>I have arranged a trip to Brockholes for Wednesday 8th May with workshops to compliment our Science and Geography topics. Letters will go out for this early next week.</p> <p>There is no My Maths homework this week. Have a lovely weekend!</p>
YEAR 3	YEAR 4
<p>Welcome back to everyone. We have been working really hard this week and have had a great start to the summer term.</p> <p>We have started our work on The Romans. A letter was sent home at the beginning of the week in regard to our Ribchester trip. Please can I request payment and permission slips back as soon as possible.</p> <p>Our English work is linked to the book Escape from Pompeii. We will continue to use this over the next few weeks to develop our narratives and use it as a stimulus to write playscripts.</p> <p>We have started work on time in maths. A lot of children are struggling with telling analogue time. I sent a laminated clock home earlier in the week and would be grateful if you would spend some time practising analogue time particularly minutes to the the next hour.</p> <p>My Maths homework will continue to be set on Wednesday for the following Tuesday.</p> <p>Spellings are slightly different this term - there are two groups A & B on the website. Your child should know which group they are in!</p> <p>Reading - please continue to read for at least 10 minutes every night and send reading books and record into school every day.</p> <p>Check out the new learning log on our web page for lots of exciting activities to try out.</p> <p>Have a lovely weekend. Mrs Cowell</p>	<p>I am very pleased to introduce myself as your child's class teacher. Myself and Mr Hoole are looking forward to working with Year 4 throughout the summer term.</p> <p>Coming up this term: English; Adventure stories P.E.: Athletics Topic; Ancient Egyptians Music; Mamma Mia</p> <p>Next Wednesday, Year 4 go to RobinWood until Friday. It will be a very exciting time for us all and all the children will have a fantastic time. Make sure the children get plenty of rest of the weekend, to save their energy for the trip!</p> <p>Please can you continue to read for at least 10 minutes a day and send in readings books and diaries into school.</p> <p>Hope you all have a great weekend. Miss McMahan</p>

YEAR 5	YEAR 6
<p>What a great first week back we've had; welcoming in the summer term. Coming up in our new topic of 'Amazon Adventure:</p> <p>Next Week English: Sci-Fi Stories (Stormbreaker) Maths: Decimals Science: Living Things & Their Habitats R.E.: Significant Women Geography: Rainforests P.E.: Athletics</p> <p>Please remember to bring in your chosen items of clothing in a named bag on TUESDAY, next week, for your French lesson.</p> <p>Thanks, Mr Cannon</p>	<p>Welcome back everyone. What a fantastic first week! This half term we are working towards SATS.</p> <p>Next Week English: Revision Maths: Revision Science: Our changing world</p> <p>Homework</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reading every day ● Time Tables Rock Stars - keep trying to improve your score. ● Grammar: Pages: 16-19 ● Maths: Number, Algebra and Ratio, Pages: 11-13 ● Spellings - These can be found on the website. <p>Miss Shepherd</p>

SUMMER TERM 2019			
DATE	EVENT	ACTIONS	WHO?
01/05/19	Year 4 - Robinwood	Pack your bags!	Year 4
14/05/19	Year 6 SATS week		Year 6
23/05/19	Guild Wheel	Bikes needed	Year 5/6
24/05/19	Class Church Assembly - Reception	Join us for our act of worship	Reception
6/06/19	Sports Day	Pray for fine weather	All
07/06/19	FROGS PTA "Gin Tasting" Night	Save the date	All
28/06/19	Class Church assembly -Year 4	Join us for our act of worship	Year 4
02/07/19	Year 6 Leavers Service at Blackburn Cathedral		Year 6
10/07/19	Year 6 Matinee and Evening Production	Get your tickets	Year 6
11/07/19	Year 6 Evening Production	Get your tickets	Year 6
18/07/19	Year 6 Leavers Service and celebration of 18/19	Join us	Year 6
18/07/19	School Breaks up for Summer - 1:30pm		All