

## Issue No 21 - 28th April 2023

Each week, on a Friday, year group news will be shared with families on Teams or Tapestry so that you can share your child's learning with them.

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*A reminder that teachers regularly share information and messages to their classes via MS Teams. Please ensure that you are using your child's MS Teams account for keeping up to date with homework and important messages. Please let your child's teacher know, or the school office if you have misplaced any login details.*

## Dates for your diaries

For all upcoming events and activities, please look at the school [Calendar](#) on the Goosewell website.

**\*NEW NEW NEW\*** please look at the new [Useful Dates](#) section of the school website **\*NEW NEW NEW\***

01.05.23	Early May Bank Holiday
02.05.23	Strike action: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Year 6, Year 5, Year 4, Year 3, Year 2, Year 1 and both Hub classes will be in school as normal.</b></li> <li><b>The school will be closed to: EYFS (Reception)</b></li> </ul>
05.05.23 9am	Y1 Phonics & Fancies meeting in the Drama Hall (enter through wooden doors via Furzehatt Villas) <a href="#">Invitation to parents/carers</a>
05.05.23	Red, white & blue mufti for King's Coronation
08.05.23	Bank Holiday for Coronation of King Charles III
w/c 09.05.23	Year 6 SATs Assessment Week
w/c 09.05.23	Year 5 Swimming at The Life Centre wk 1/3
w/c 15.05.23	Year 6 Residential to Barton Hall Mon-Wed Year 5 Swimming at The Life Centre wk 2/3
19.05.23 9am	RWH Family Assembly in the Drama Hall (enter through wooden doors via Furzehatt Villas)



## Reminders

### Kings Coronation Mufti Day

During the afternoon of **Friday 5th May**, we will be celebrating the King's Coronation. Children are invited to come to school in red, white and blue mufti. They are also welcome to bring in a small cupcake to enjoy during our celebrations.



### Pupil Attendance

Attendance w/e 21/04/23	
REH	91.32%
RWH	96.19%
1OC	94.17%
1T	98.8%
2KB	95.65%
2MB	93.33%
2P	94.14%
3GB	92.73%
3C(N)	96.76%
4LC	93.55%
4W	95.51%
5C	96.35%
5Y	98.55%
6RT	90.87%
6T	92.4%
6WS	97.92%

#### Attendance:

EYFS - RWH (96%)

KS1 - 1T (99%)

LKS2 - 3C(N) (97%)

UKS2 - 5Y (99%)



# Celebrating Successes

## Happy News

Well done to Franklin in 5C who recently participated in a charity neon basketball event, which in total raised £821 for Motor Neurone Disease. Fantastic fundraising efforts Franklin, well done!

If your child has some 'happy news' that they would like to share, please email [admin@goosewell.plymouth.sch.uk](mailto:admin@goosewell.plymouth.sch.uk) with the title 'Happy News', your child's name and class, and we will share with your child's teacher, as well as give them a little mention in the newsletter.

## Jo Penk - Parent Support Advisor

The [PSA](#) section of the Goosewell Academy website has information on ideas, support and activities for families. If you are a military family and you have a **family member who is currently deployed**, please ensure that we have the deployed family member's email address on our records so that you can keep up to date with email communications sent from the school. You will also find the school website a useful source of information whilst you are away, particularly the '[News](#)' section to keep you in the loop.

## Goosewell Garden Revamp - Help!

We would love to resurrect our garden area on the school field which, due to recent Covid times has felt somewhat neglected! We want to revamp and clear the garden so that this valuable resource can be available as a useable outdoor space for our children's enrichment. Before we can plant anything with our children, we need to make the garden a little more accessible as the weeds have taken over! If you have a little time to spare in the coming weeks, we would be grateful for any willing volunteers to help Mrs Penk and a merry band of school staff to pull up some weeds and do a general garden tidy up!

If you would like to help, please bring your wellies and some gardening gloves along to the school office on **Thursday 4th May** and **Thursday 11th May** and we'll head out to the school field from 3.30pm for an hour. All help would be greatly appreciated - let's get this garden back in action for our children.



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**And finally....**

- **SCHOOL CROSSING PATROL**

A reminder that there is currently **no School Crossing Patrol on Furzehatt Road**. Please talk to your children about crossing safely on this dangerous road. If you would be interested in

applying for the position of School Crossing Patroller, the vacancy has now been advertised on the Plymouth City Council website, with a closing date of 2nd May 2023

[School Crossing Patrol Advert - job ref CS/3010](#)





## And finally....

It was wonderful to welcome so many families back into school again today for our May Day Dance celebrations. We really hope that you enjoyed sharing the dances, songs and smiles with your children this afternoon - what a fantastic afternoon of celebrations.

