

# Weekly Newsletter

14th June 2024

Gosford Park Primary School

## Year 2 Trip!

9.7.24 Twycross  
Zoo. Payment is  
now open

## Year 3 Trip!

16.7.24 Lunt Fort  
Payment is now  
open

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## Speed Challenge

On Thursday 18th of July every child in school will take part in a Speed Challenge. The Speed Challenge is a giant inflatable football goal with a speed checker on it. Every child will get a certificate for taking part and there are some prizes to be won too.

The more each child can raise, the more prizes they will win. The prizes include, drinks bottles, gym bags, stationary, medals, trophies and footballs! All sponsorships need to be cashless and can be done via Pro Strike's secure website. <https://www.prostrikeevents.co.uk/product/gosford-park/> or the QR code below.



We are fundraising to buy new goalposts for the whole school to use at lunchtime and for sporting events as our current ones are very tired.



Letters for this with more information on will be coming home next week.

## PTA Annual General Meeting

On June 28th at 2:45pm the PTA invite you to join their Annual General Meeting. This is where the current committee step down and there is an opportunity to elect or re elect to the following roles;

Chair (co-ordinating the whole PTA)

Treasurer (responsible for the finances for the PTA)

Secretary (Minuting minutes and organising communication)

Anyone and everyone linked to school is welcome to attend the AGM and this will take place on; **Friday 28th June 2:45pm** at the school and virtual QR code here:

Everyone is welcome to join the PTA!



## Dinner Time Discussions:

Our PSHE question of the week (fortnight this week) is;

How would you describe your own identity?

## Chess Competition

Well done to Miss Gardner and her 'chess champs' this week for taking part in a chess competition at Hollyfast Primary. The children all loved the experience!



## Housepoints

This week's winner: **South**

Last week's winner: **East**

## Last Week's Weekly Attendance:

1st: Coffantre 96% (5 Dojos each)  
3rd: Memorial and Baginton 95% (3 Dojos each)



## **It's National School Business Leader Day!**

Thank you to our School Business Manager, Mrs Laura Baldwin for all that she does for our school.

This is a message from a parent we have had today;

*'I am writing to let you know how satisfied I am with Laura.*

*She is not only professional but also kind and friendly. She always reply my queries immediately, I never feel uncomfortable when I have to ask something.*

*This morning I observed how kindly and patiently she treats people and pupils.*

*I know that meeting everyone's needs is not easy, but Laura knows how to solve this somehow very well.*

*Keep it up Laura and thank you for your patience.'*

## **Thank you Mrs B!**



# Gosford's Greatest

Reception Memorial: Henry and Ali

Reception Swanswell: Abu and Shady

1 Humber: Kai and Louis

1 Jaguar: Aden and Zofia

2 Whittle: Remi and Akua

2 Cash's: Flavio and Liya

3 Westwood: Jemimeh and Benjamin

3 Baginton: Honaz and Rayan

4 Coffantre: Whole class

4 Sherbourne: Whole class

5 Phoenix: Kroni and Taja

5 Dunlop: Brendon and Hemasri

6 Whitefriars: Abia and Jonathan

6 Greyfriars: Scarlett and Tara

## Celebrations to be proud of outside of school

Jiya in Year 3 has been awarded her Rainbow swimming certificate this week, well done Jiya!



Seb, in Yr 5 got to meet some of the D Day veterans on Saturday. He shared this wonderful experience with his class, but what an amazing opportunity, Seb.



The veteran in the picture is 100 years old. That is incredible!

If your child has competed or taken part in an activity outside of school and you would like this shared on the newsletter please email

[enquiries@gosfordpark.coventry.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@gosfordpark.coventry.sch.uk) and let us know!





# Autumn Winter 2023

Week 2

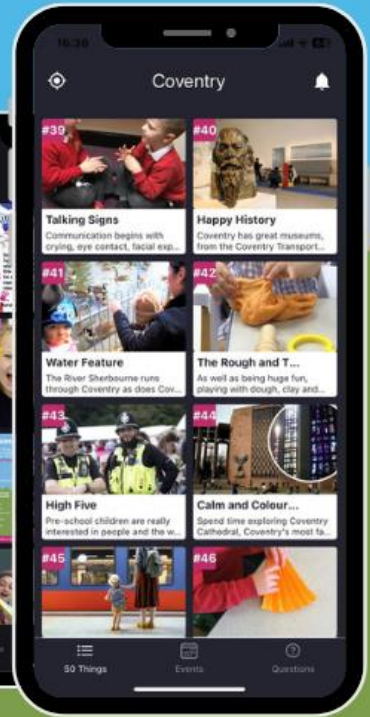
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Red</b> ▲	Breaded Chicken Gyojoms with sauteed potatoes & peas. ▲	Chicken Curry with basmati rice, peas & carrots. ▲	Roast Chicken with roast potatoes, carrots, peas, sweetcorn, green beans & gravy. ▲	Cottage Pie (Beef) topped with crispy potato & served with carrots & peas. ▲	Fish Fingers with peas or baked beans & chips. ▲
<b>Green</b> ▼	Quorn Dippers with sauteed potatoes & peas.	Quorn Casserole with basmati rice, peas & carrots.	Leek & Potato bake roast potatoes, carrots, peas, sweetcorn, green beans & gravy.	Vegetarian Cottage Pie topped with crispy potato served with carrots & peas.	Quorn Nuggets with peas or baked beans & chips.
<b>Dessert</b>	Strawberry Trifle	Marble Cake	Fruit Crumble with custard.	Chocolate Flapjack	Iced Sponge Cake
<b>Brown</b>	Jacket Potato with either grated cheddar cheese, baked beans, or tuna mayonnaise				
<b>Silver</b>	Either hot plain pasta, hot cheese & tomato pasta, or hot tomato pasta. ▼				
	Fresh bread, salad, yogurt, fresh fruit, Jelly or mousse available daily				

**\*\*Please pre-order with your child on the school gateway app\*\***

# Free fun for Coventry families

50 things to do before you're five

With this list of 50 playful activities to enjoy with your under-five, inspiration is always at hand.



## Simple inspiration

Low or no cost activities to do at home or when out and about.

## Find local events

Find free and affordable events near you on our app's events page.

## Support their development

Your day to day interactions can support early language, motor skills and, building resilience.

## Play anytime

Use the free app and website at your own pace, enjoying the activities time and time again.



#10 Sharing Books



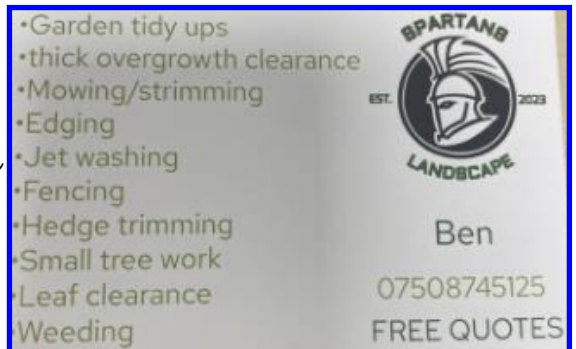
search '50 Things To Do' on Apple or Android

coventry.50Thingstodo.org

## Small Business Shout Out

A huge thank you to Jemimeh in Year 3, and her Dad, Anthony for seeing the request for support with a van last week. Anthony was able to deliver a whole van full of equipment that will enhance our OPAL learning! We are so grateful.

He was helped by his nephew, Ben, who left his business card for us in case anyone needs any work!



## Gosford's Greatest Grown Up

Each week staff nominate someone (or occasionally a few people) who have gone over and above for our Gosford Park Community.

This week's Gosford Greatest Grown Up is... Mrs K Miller, who stands on the gate every day with a smile and makes everyone laugh. She is doing a fantastic job with speech and language at school.





# Learn to Swim

**COVENTRY SWIM SCHOOL**

PATHWAY TO  
CITY OF COVENTRY SWIMMING CLUB

## Lyng Hall

Blackberry Lane,  
Coventry CV2 3JS

## Alan Higgs

Allard Way,  
Coventry CV3 1HW

Lessons for young children from the age of 4, which takes your child through the Swim England teaching programme.



[www.coventryswimschool.co.uk](http://www.coventryswimschool.co.uk)

Further information is available by emailing [enquiries@coventryswimschool.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@coventryswimschool.co.uk)

# Mini polo

12.15pm – 12.45pm

Lyng Hall on Sundays

- \* Have Fun!
- \* Make new friends
- \* Be part of a team
- \* Learn new skills
- \* improve fitness



**Extra monthly fees**

Stage 5 or above.

An exciting Mini Polo class within **COVENTRY SWIM SCHOOL** leading to **COVENTRY WATER POLO**



## Beginners

at Lyng Hall Fridays

4.15pm – 6.45pm

## Adult Improvers and Advanced.

at the Alan Higgs Centre  
Sundays 4–5pm

# Adult Lessons



QR Link code for joining form.



### Sports Day and Family Picnic Invitation

Our House Captains and Mrs Graham, our PE lead, would like to invite you to our annual Sports Day celebration.

Where: School Field

When: 15th July

Time: 10am– 12:30pm Sports Day activities

12:30-1:30– Family Picnic (bring your own food or order lunch for your child on the app)



### Gosford Park Summer Fair

Where: Gosford Park Playground

When: Friday 12th July

Time: 3:00pm-4:00pm

Year 6 children will be selling their two enterprise items, there will be an ice cream van and an opportunity to visit the PTA stall.

All parents, carers and family members are invited, please bring cash!

## OPAL

### Grown Up Working Party Needed!

We would like to do some general OPAL related maintenance at school over the summer holidays. We are looking for anyone available to give their time to painting/ digging/ gardening/ sweeping/ building who can help us on July 31st, August 1st and/ or August 2nd.

Any time you could offer would really support the school and all of our children.



## Dates For Your Diary

### June 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
17 Eid	18 Year 4 Swimming	19	20	21 Gosford's Greatest
24	25 Year 4 Swimming Year 1 Trip- Transport Museum	26	27	28 Gosford's Greatest PTA AGM 2:45

### July 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 Transition Week	2 Year 4 Swimming Transition Week	3 Year 6 Transition Day Meet the teacher	4 Transition Week	5 Transition Week Gosford's Greatest
8	9 Year 4 Swimming Yr2 Trip Twycross 2:30 Yr5 Parents in	10	11 Year 6 performance to parents- info tbc	12 Gosford's Got Talent Summer Fair
15 Aspirations and Get Active Week  Sports Day, and family picnic	16 Aspirations and Get Active Week  Year 3 Trip Lunt Fort -payment open	17 Aspirations and Get Active Week  Year 6 Party after school- info to follow	18 Aspirations and Get Active Week  Speed Challenge at school- sponsorship  1:45pm Year 6 Leav- ers Assembly- par- ents invited.	19 Teacher Training Day  School Closed
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31 OPAL Helper Day	1 OPAL Helper Day	2 OPAL Helper Day

### August 2024- School Closed

**Training Days 2024-25- School will be closed for children**

September 2nd 2024, September 3rd 2024, 25th October 2024, 2nd June 2025, 21st July 2025



You can share your update pictures of your sunflowers with the enquiries email for the newsletter, this wont be the final height photo, but we'd love to see how they are growing!