

# Gateway Gossip Fortnightly

Dear all,

It's been a great two weeks since I last wrote the newsletter .. so very much has happened !There have been many outings and trips for the children which has been wonderful.

This week we saw Team Gateway attend the Sciathalon event at Blackpool Sixth Form and I am proud to say we came joint first! Well done all attending, we are very proud of you. Pictures can be seen later in the newsletter.

This week it has been Science week with lots of activities and assemblies linking to this. A big thanks to Mr Snelling for all of his planning and preparation.

I was very honoured, along with some Year 4 and Year 6 children, to be able to attend the opening of the new North West Ambulance Hub on Waterloo Road this week. This has been a work in progress since before Covid and all that work began remotely. Our school had been chosen to get involved and over the development,

Gateway children have been involved in burying a time capsule on site with a picture of an ambulance design for the future. The capsules will be uncovered in 20 years time ! The event was wonderful to include the unveiling of a commemorative plaque by the Lord Lieutenant of Lancashire, Lord Shuttleworth. The children were treated to a visit around the station and the opportunity to look round the ambulances and speak to many paramedics.

It is Parents' Evening next week and we want to talk to everyone. You can visit school or have a telephone call appointment. Please Dojo your teacher with your preferred times and they will get you booked in

Don't forget to come along to our Parents' Forum meeting on  
Wednesday 22nd March at 9.00am.

We hope to see you there.

Have a great weekend.

With my best wishes,

Mrs Robinson



## Dates To Remember

### Every Tuesday

Parent and Toddler group  
9.30am-10.30am.

### Tuesday 21st March

Year 3-6 Parents Evening.  
Please book your  
appointment with your  
class teacher.

### Wednesday 22nd March

Parents' Forum 9am  
EYFS-Year 2 Parents  
Evening. Please book your  
appointment with your  
class teacher.

### Thursday 23rd March

PTFA Bingo 3.30pm-  
4.30pm

### Wednesday 29th March

Easter Competition  
entries in.

### Thursday 30th March

PTFA Disco 3.30pm-  
4.30pm

Parents/Carer to stay  
with their child/ren.

### Friday 31st March

School closes for Easter

# Let's Celebrate!

## Star Award

N - Jasmine  
RB - Bobby  
RG - Yusie  
1B - Lyla-Lou  
1G - Hela  
2B - Amy-Jade  
2G - Marcell  
3B - Emily  
3G - Hope  
4B - Binar  
4G - Ruben  
5B - Joshua  
5G - Chase  
6B -  
6G - Alexa



N - Joshua  
RB - Layilah  
RG - Jas  
1B - Layla  
1G - Ellie-May  
2B - Hunter  
2G - Daisy  
3B - Kurtiss  
3G - Elisa  
4B - Ryan  
4G - Codie-Wade  
5B - Wa'izah  
5G - Leo  
6B - Maria  
6G - Lacey

## Core Award

N - Freddie  
RB - Ella  
RG - Noah  
1B - Logan  
1G - Jacob  
2B - Daniel  
2G - Kuba  
3B - Nancy  
3G - Lucas  
4B - Poppy  
4G - Rocky  
5B - Jaxon  
5G - Alfie  
6B -  
6G - Johnathan

## Attendance

**1B**

**4G**

Headteacher  
award

## Staff Shoutout

Team Rainbow Room

For providing the Rainbow Room  
children with a stimulating and  
warm environment.

## Reading

Xander  
Lucia  
Mustafa  
Nazira  
Oliwia  
Romeo  
Tamara

Denver  
Molly-Rae  
Lily-Mae  
Riley-James  
Sienna  
Raluca  
Brooke

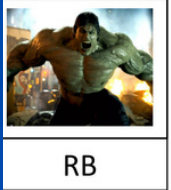
Well done to all our winners!



# Class Dojo



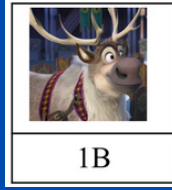
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775 points



500 points



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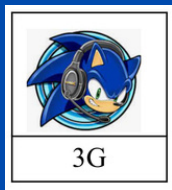


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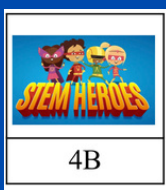


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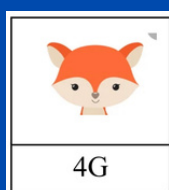
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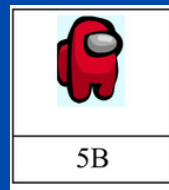
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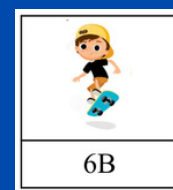


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points



430 points



627 points

## Ambulance Hub Opening





# **This week at Gateway!**

## **Nursery**

Wow what a week! The children have loved our new topic on Handa's Surprise and have embraced the culture of the story. See pictures below. We want to thank all our grown ups who come to our Afternoon Tea event. It was great to chat to you all and the children had so much fun!

## **Year 1**

An amazing week using our creative and DT skills! Look at our pop up dolls we created in year 1! The children had a wonderful time designing 3 different dolls and choosing 1 of their designs to become reality! Good job year 1!

## **Year 3**

Year three have been working hard over the last few weeks. We have completed our own character descriptions in English, been exploring multiplication and division in the three and four times tables in maths and in science we all acted as pollinators (and eating cheesy puffs in the process) to help with our understanding of the pollination process and the important part that bees and other insects play. We have also enjoyed our House Science competition of building boats from tin foil as part of Science Week this week. Next week brings persuasion texts and more exploration into North America. Exciting times ahead!!

## **Year 5**

**Super week in Year 5.**

## **Reception**

The children have enjoyed starting their learning about Handa's Surprise. They have read the story and looked at what happens to the fruits. They have also looked at Africa and the similarities and the difference between the way we live.

## **Year 2**

Year 2 have been enjoying their science work on habitats- they have investigated microhabitats around our school and they have been thinking about the different animals around the world and where they live. They are continuing to work hard and develop their arithmetic skills and we ask that your child completes the SATs pack they were given at the start of the term, thank you.

## **Year 4**

Year 4 continue to work hard everyday. At swimming, the children continue to make amazing progress and all are becoming confident in such an important life skill. In maths, we continue to practise our times tables and we appreciate all the support given at home. We look forward to seeing you at Parents' Evening next week!

## **Year 6**

**Year 6 have worked hard this week.**

Well Done to our Year 6 representative who won at the inter school Sciathalon. You did a fantastic job and we are all so proud of you!



# Our Pictures



## Gateway Extra

We currently have spaces in our  
Breakfast Club 7.45am-8.45am and After  
School Club 3.15pm-5.30pm.  
Please use ParentPay to book your child's place.

## PTFA Notice

Bingo 23.3.23  
3.30pm-4.30pm  
Tickets available on the door.  
Disco - 30.3.23  
3.30pm-4.30pm  
Parents to stay with child/ren  
Tickets to be brought from the office on 27th, 28th and 29th between 3pm-3.30pm.

**Have a lovely weekend!**



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