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25th May 2023

# Gateway Gossip Fortnightly

Dear all,

It's been a busy two weeks since I last wrote in our newsletter. Year 6 have visited Go Ape, Year 1 have been to the synagogue and Reception has been to Ridgeway Farm. We have met New to Reception parents and held a Staff and Parent Forum. Very busy times indeed but all thoroughly enjoyable and the sun shone all the way through! Not forgetting the cake sale yesterday of course with some fabulous fundraising. Thanks to all who attended and helped raise money for our chosen charities. A lovely end to the half term with the gift of giving featuring so high in the event. A big thanks to Mr Percival for all his hard work in planning and organising the event.

Don't forget about all of the after school clubs after half term. The list has been shared so make sure children are booked in ready for Summer 2!

Today sees the beginning of the half term break. I hope you all have a wonderful week and the forecast is great so enjoy the outdoors with your families!

We look forward to seeing you all on Monday 5th June; remember the gates now open at 8.35am. See you then!

With my best wishes, Mrs Robinson



Every Tuesday Parent and Toddler group 9.30am-10.30am. <u>Friday 26th May</u> School closed for one week. <u>Monday 5th June</u> School opens. Year 4 Multiplication week. <u>Tuesday 6th June</u> Year 6 Photograph - Please read below

#### **Dates To Remember**

<u>Monday 12th June</u> Class photos - more details soon. Year 1 Phonics screening week. Please practise at home and check out the links on your dojo pages. <u>Monday 19th June</u> Health Week Youth Games - more details soon. Reception Transition start - please check dojo for all the dates. <u>Tuesday 20th June</u> Years 3-6 Sports Day - More details soon. <u>Wednesday 21st June</u> EYFS and Years 1-2 Sports Day - more details soon. <u>Friday 21st July</u> School closes for Summer at 2pm. Let's Celebrate!

N - Faith RB - Shaun RG - Jake 1B - Aurora 1G - Evie 2B - James 2G - Zackary 3B - Tamara 3G - Josh 4B - Lily-May 4G - Shaye 5B - Alfie

5B - Alfie 5G -6B - Richie 6G - Callum N - Ashleigh RB - Mazikeen RG - Lincoln 1B - Liliana 1G - Brookelyn 2B - Terrence 2G - Dylan 3B - Olalekan 3G - Daniel 4B - Macy 4G - Scarlet 5B - Jesmin 5G -6B - Tala 6G - Riley <u>Core</u> Award

N - Ryan RB - Riley-Jay RG - Sophie 1B - Lily-Rose 1G - Sahara-Rose 2B - Thea 2G - Aaron 3B - Ruby 3G - Connor 4B - Ryan 4G - Rico 5B - Sienna 5G - Maisey 6B - Cobain <u>6G - Hamza</u>



Headteacher award



Well done to all our winners! Freddie Ella Kaitlyn Macauley Ruby Amelia Holly Maddison Hope Isla Layton Delia Lonya

Reading



624 points

550 points

points

820 points

Year 6 need to wear full smart uniform including Gateway Jumper - (Not leavers hoodies) on 6.6.23 as the Gazette are coming in to take pictures of our lovely Year6 leavers and this will be published in the paper.





324 points



793 points

Malala House £70 Rashford House £58.20 Austen House 49.60 Attenborough House £34

368 points



Last week, we began to complete an ordinary timetable once more, now that SATs have finished. We have enjoyed starting our new topic in History WW2 learning about the origins of the war and what happened during the blitz. On Wednesday, Year 6 went to Go Ape. The bus ride to Go Ape was extremely enjoyable. Although the trees were very high, we had fun looking at them. Some Year 6 students were screaming out of excitement – it was an amazing experience! Nicola 6B

## Learning at Gateway!

#### Nursery

We have had a lovely week in Nursery developing our mathematical skills and learning our RWI sounds. The children have enjoyed learning our poem for 'Jasper's Beanstalk' and have created their own beanstalks using their own ideas. On Monday our Nursery Two children had their graduation photographs. They all used their biggest smiles and we can't wait to see the photos! We hope you all have a great half term holiday. We look forward to seeing you all for our last half term of the year.

## Year 1

Another half term has passed and the children have been working so hard with their sounds and reading real and nonsense words! Please continue with their hard work over the May half term holidays and we look forward to our last half term together! The Year 1 team.

#### Year 3

In Year 3 we are learning about how we have changed since we were babies and have been looking at a fable called 'The Mouse and the Lion'. We hope you all have a wonderful half term break.

#### Year 5

What a fabulous half term we have had. Thank you to all our parents who came and watched our assembly. We hope you all have a pleasant half term break.

#### Reception

Wow what a fantastic week! We have been to the farm and got fed the animals, played on farm toys, been on a bear hunt and learnt all about different habitats! The children have had such a lovely day and have behaved excellently! Have a lovely half term. Well done Reception!

#### Year 2

What a fabulous half term we have had. Thank you for all your support this half term. We hope you all have a delightful half term break.

#### Year 4

As we reflect on an other half term, the children have worked very hard across all of our curriculum areas. Over the holidays it is essential that you continue to support your child practice for their statutory Multiplication Tables Test. Thank you for your continued support, the Year 4 team.

### Year 6

Year 6 have had a fantastic couple of weeks post SATS. We have been on our amazing trip to Go Ape! Started our new maths topic and also been looking at Evolution. We hope everyone has a brilliant halft term!



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