



Friday 24th May 2019

The Grove Valer

Baggie Bird

On Wednesday, Grove Vale were presented with an award from Baggie Bird himself for all of the fantastic work we did during Fizz Free February. The council were so impressed with the school campaign, we won a competition, with the prize being that all KS2 children receive a water bottle with a fruit infuser! Well done to everyone and especially Mr Ahearn for all his hard work towards this cause.



Forest School

New classes for forest school after half term:

Year 3:

Wednesday 26th June—AM

Wednesday 3rd July —AM

Wednesday 10th July—AM

1D:

Thursday 6th June

Thursday 27th June

Thursday 4th July

Thursday 11th July

1H:

Friday 7th June

Thursday 27th June

Friday 5th July

Friday 12th July

Year 6:

Friday 6th June

Friday 21st June

Friday 5th July

Year 6 Parents

We would like to invite all year 6 parents to a meeting regarding transition to secondary. This will be on **Tuesday 4th June at 9am**. During this the transition lead from Sandwell LEA will give a presentation regarding helping your child prepare for the move to secondary school. You will also get the opportunity to ask any questions you may have. Following this she is going to speak to the pupils about the transition to secondary school again giving them opportunity to ask any questions.

House Swimming Gala Results

This week the junior pupils took part in their house swimming galas, competing in their colour teams. They had lots of fun and enjoying taking part in all the different races and relays. The results were:

Year 3: Winners—**Yellow team**

Year 4: Winners—**Yellow team**

Years 5 and 6 Winners—results to be shared after half term.

Year 2 Parent Workshop

We would like to invite all year 2 parents to the Wiggle and Crawl showcase on **Friday 7th June @ 2.30pm**. During this the children will be displaying all the work they have been completing as part of their most recent topic.

Addition School Closure

Also to remind all parents that school is closed on **Friday 28th June** for training day.

School Uniform

Can we please remind parents that children must still adhere to the uniform policy, especially wearing the correct footwear. We appreciate there are only 7 weeks left of term however it is extremely important the guidelines are followed.

Grove Vale PFA

Please look out for Bags2school in the Summer term where school can earn money from your donated/unwanted clothes

School lottery- please sign up if you can.



<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/>

Summer Fayre—Friday 21st June 3.45-6pm

The PFA will be collecting unused and good quality Grove Vale uniform for sale at the Summer Fayre. Any collections to be brought into school.

We are also looking for coat hangers so if anyone has any spare please bring into school.

The PFA will be collecting donations of unopened in date; chocolates, boxes of biscuits, toiletries, alcohol and bottles of pop in the playgrounds on **Friday 7th June** for the tombola stall at the summer fayre.

School Disco Thursday 18th July Infant 3.30-4.30pm Juniors 5-6pm

Monday 27th— Friday 31st May	HALF TERM
3rd—7th June and 10-14th June	Testing weeks (years 1,3,4,5)
Tuesday 4th June 9-10am	Year 6 parents talk—secondary Transition
Wednesday 5th June 9-11am	Pre-school Forest school Parent workshop
Friday 7th June 2.30-3.15pm	Year 2 Wiggle and Crawl workshop to parents
Friday 7th June	DONATION day (Summer Fayre)
Monday 10th June	Reception Eid celebration Day
10th-14th June	Phonics testing week
10th-14th June	Year 6 Plas Gwynant residential
Thursday 13th June @ 2.20pm	Reception father's Day workshop with parents
Tuesday 18th June 9.15-11am	Years 1 and 2 sports day
Wednesday 19th June	Yr 5 Visit Birmingham Museum and art gallery
Wednesday 19th June 9.15-11am	Years 3 and 4 sports day
Thursday 20th June 9.00-11am	Years 5 and 6 sports day
Friday 21st June 2019	Pre-school Trip to Ash End Farm
Friday 21st June 3.45-6pm	Summer Fayre
Monday 24th June @ 9.30—11.30	New reception starters stay and play
Tuesday 25th June @ 9.30—11.30	New reception starters stay and play
Wednesday 26th June	Pre-school closed; open day for new children
Thursday 27th June	Topic homework handed in
Friday 28th June	SCHOOL CLOSED—Teacher training day
Monday 1st July 9.30-11am	Pre-school and reception sports day
Tuesday 2nd July	Reception visit to Birmingham Wildlife Conservation Park
Thursday 4th July	Awards night
Monday 8th July	Yr 2 Weston Super-Mare Trip
Wednesday 10th July	End of year reports sent home
Thursday 11th July	Parents evening
Friday 12th July Evening	Year 6 Leavers Prom
Thursday 18th July	School disco

