



Grange Valley Primary School

'Inspire to guide, challenge and achieve'

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NEWSLETTER

4th March 2016



Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to everyone who has supported World Book Day with us today, the children looked absolutely amazing. We started the day with a celebration of books in assembly, followed by lots of exciting lessons linked to literature. Don't forget to get your free book, available from Tesco! Have a look at the link below for more information.

<http://www.worldbookday.com/books/>

Well done to all our KS2 children who attended the Young Voices event last Tuesday evening. Everyone enjoyed themselves and was on their best behaviour, a real credit to Grange Valley.

Today we welcomed back Year 4 children from PGL. They too were a credit to us and had a fabulous time at Winmarleigh Hall.

Easter Bingo and Sale

Easter Bingo this year takes place on Wednesday 23rd March. Doors will open at 5.30pm for a 6pm start. Don't worry if you can't be there for 6pm, you can join in when you arrive. There will also be an Easter sale earlier in the day. See the flyers below.

Parents Evening Week – week commencing 14th March

Next week teachers will send out letters to arrange meetings with parents for the following week to discuss your child's progress.



Winners with the highest attendance this week Y6 with 99.67%




Person of the Week this week is for – “I value my achievements, I am proud of what I can do.”

Award	YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Person of the week Gold	Harley D	Rowan H	Alexia P	Temilade A	PGL	Connor M	Milly M
Person of the week Silver	Chloe A	Libby M	Aiden W	Richie K	PGL	Jack J	Lauren M
Person of the week Bronze	Hollie P	Reece K	Molly A	Daniel P	PGL	Emma C	Tyler U
Writer of the week	Ruby C	Maisee A	Matthew C	Hollie R	PGL	Adam A	Nina E

Outside Achievers-



Please let us know if your child achieves something outside of school.

Timetable of Events – Spring Term			
W/C 07.03.16	Before school	During school	After school
Monday 07.03.16		Dance Y5 and Y6 	Magical Maths Club KS2 Netball Club
Tuesday 08.03.16		SEAL Assembly Governors Learning walk Y4 Brass lesson Everton Y1 Y2 	Everton Multiskills Y5 Y6 Art & Design Club
Wednesday 09.03.16	Dance Y3 Y4 	Welcome Wednesday Coffee Morning Also Twisting Tots Cricket Y3 Y4	Chatterbooks Club Y3 Cricket
Thursday 10.02.16	Dance Y5 Y6	Assembly with Mr Murphy from HHS	
Friday 11.02.16		Lunchtime music lessons Celebration assembly	

Diary Dates.

14 – 18 March – Parents Evening Week

14th - 18th March – Shakespeare Week

14th – 17th March – Book Fayre

Monday 14th March – am Y1 Easter Church Visit
pm Y3

Tuesday 15th March – am Y2 Easter Church Visit

Tuesday 15th March – Dance Workshop Y3 HHS

Thursday 17th March – pm Y4 Easter Church Visit

Friday 18th March – am YR Easter Church Visit
pm Y6

Monday 21st March – 23rd – Health and Wellbeing week / Pupils First Aid awareness training

Monday 21st March – Y3 Central Library Visit

Monday 21st March – pm Y5 Easter Church Visit

Wednesday 23rd March – am Parents - Essential First Aid

Wed 23rd March – Easter Bingo

Thursday 24th March – **School closes** for Easter Weekend

Tuesday 29th March – **School Re-opens** after Easter Monday

Thursday 31st March – Haydock HS Primary Quiz

Friday 1st April – **School closes for end of Spring Term**

Monday 18th April – School Re-opens for Summer Term

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Support our Outdoor Reading Library!



Easter Sale

Wednesday 23rd March

In the courtyard outside the school hall, 3.20pm

Near the Y2/3 entrance area.



*Come and join us
for our*



Easter, Family, Fun

Free Entry!

Bingo

Raffle!

Wednesday 23rd March

In the School Hall.

Doors open 5.30 Bingo starts at 6.00pm

Don't worry if you are late join in when
you arrive.

Prizes Galore!

Easter Eggs!



Wine!

Twisting Tots



**WELCOME WEDNESDAY
COFFEE MORNING – ALL
WELCOME!
9AM SUNSHINE ROOM**



Fun toddler dance classes

(Walking to age 3)

Every Wednesday during term time in the Hall

Starting 24th February

9.00am to 9.30am

£1.50 per child

(All proceeds to raise funds for the outdoor library)

Shine Room entrance
> Nursery)



**Help us to raise
money for our new 'Outdoor Reading Garden'.
Extending our School Library!**



New Year, New Challenge! This year we are building on the success of our newly built library and looking to extend our library outdoors! The children are very excited about this prospect and are currently designing their ideas as part of a competition in school.

To do this we need to raise money! The PTFA have agreed to support us with this project with a substantial donation and will donate money raised through future events. These events include our Valentine's Disco, Sponsored Event and the Easter Bingo. Parents are also organising an Easter Craft Sale. More information about these events will follow shortly. If you feel you can support us in any way please get in touch with Mrs Barker or Mrs Threlkeld.

Please support our events as I am sure you will agree the money will be going to a very worthwhile cause.

Children who read succeed!