

CHARITY NEWS



Harvest Gifts—Forum Housing, the Charles Thompson's Mission and Response were delighted with the wonderful harvest gifts you sent into school for our Harvest Celebration this year. The food and toiletries were given to homeless people supported by these charities. Thank you for your continued support.



Children in Need—We are looking forward to our special "Wear Spots for Pudsey" charity day on 12th November. Please be creative and find different ways to share your spots with Pudsey and bring a donation for this very worthwhile charity.



The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal



After half term we will be selling poppies to raise money to support members of the Armed Forces, veterans and their families. Please give generously to support this amazing charity.



Light Up Greasby



If you would like to support the Light Up Greasby charity by making a Christmas Bauble, please return your envelope and £5 donation to school by 3rd November. Please check your emails regarding this activity and for any further information please contact the Light Up Greasby Team.

lightupgreasby@gmail.com



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Dear Parents

We have had a very busy time in school so far this term. I hope that you found the recent curriculum afternoons useful and a good opportunity to find out more about the way we teach Literacy and Numeracy. I hope you all have a good rest over the half term break and we are looking forward to lots of exciting activities planned for next half term.
Best wishes

GREASBY INFANT SCHOOL

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



OCTOBER

22nd Staff Development Day - closed for children
25th-29th Half Term Holiday

NOVEMBER

1st Children return to school
5th Individual Photos
Wb 8th Parent-Teacher Meetings
11th Flu immunisation
12th Children in Need Charity Day

DECEMBER

9th Year 2 visit to Greasby Methodist Church
13th Year 2 Christmas Concert 1.30pm
14th Pre-School and F2 Christmas Concert 1.30pm
15th Pre-School and F2 Christmas Concert 9.15am
15th Year 1 Christmas Concert 1.30pm
16th Christmas Party Day
17th Pantomime pm
20th— 3rd Jan Christmas Holiday

JANUARY

4th Staff Development Day—closed for children

HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION



Tummy Bugs It is very important that if your child is absent from school due to a tummy bug they should not return to school for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness or diarrhoea. This is the advice given by the Health Protection Agency to ensure that viruses are not passed from one child to another throughout the whole school community.

Please can you also encourage your child to adopt good hygiene practices, remembering to wash their hands after using the toilet.

COVID-19

Thank you all for all your support throughout this half term. It has been a busy time getting everyone back to school and used to the new routines. The children have been fantastic and are really enjoying being back with their friends and are settling in well.

If your child is absent from school because they have COVID symptoms it is important that they do not come to school and you book a COVID PCR test. Please inform school that they are unwell and let us know the outcome of the test as soon as possible. If the test is negative and they are feeling better, they can return to school. If the test is positive they need to stay off school for at least 10 days and only return if they are feeling better and have not had a fever for at least 24 hours.



Class Attendance so far this Term

2JB 98.7%



15C 96.1%

F2LS 97.2%

2HB 97.0%

F2WT 95.9%

1CP 94.8%

Well done class 2JB, keep up the good work everyone!

Rotary Shoe Box Scheme

This year the school is once again supporting the **Rotary Shoe Box Scheme**. The scheme provides gifts for children and families in Eastern Europe, who live in very poor circumstances.

There are three different types of shoe box that you can fill:

- Toys for the younger children (hats, scarves, gloves etc)-no sweets/foodstuff
- Teenage items for boys and girls up to 18 years old-no sweets/foodstuff
- Household items for families, (this can also be used for older folk) - no sweets/foodstuff

If you would like to fill one of these shoe boxes please email the school office and send in your £2 donation in a named envelope so we know who to give them out to.
(schooloffice@greasby-infant.wirral.sch.uk)



Recent School Activities

Black History Month— October is Black History month which is an opportunity to ensure that all young people, no matter their background, learn about Black history, the achievements of Black Britons and their contributions to British society. On 18th October Anna Turnbull from the Minority Ethnic Achievement Service came to our assembly to talk to the children about Black History Month. She explained to everyone what a wonderful diverse place we live in and how British culture is made up of many other cultures.



Harvest Celebrations—This year we were delighted to be able to invite parents back into school to celebrate our Harvest Festival with us. Thank you to all the parents who came to the celebration wearing face coverings, sanitising their hands and carrying out LFT tests the day before. Hopefully we will be able to have other opportunities to welcome you into school again soon.



Judo Lessons—Year 2 have been enjoying their Judo lessons on a Wednesday morning with Coach Chris. These will continue for the rest of the term, until Year 1 begin in January.



Our Summer
Doodle Competition
winners

Our School
Council

