

January Newsletter 2019

Welcome

Firstly, a very warm welcome to all of the children and families who are newcomers to Grosvenor. This is the first newsletter of 2019 and we would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year, if it is not too late to do so!

Information

A lot happens at Grosvenor and there are several ways in which you can keep yourself informed. Firstly, of course, there is this monthly newsletter, which tells you what has been happening and gives you important dates for your diary. In addition, look on the whiteboards outside each room, where you will find daily messages. The TV monitor just inside the main entrance provides an overview of the week/month, as well as important reminders. Also remember to check our website, www.grosvenor.bolton.sch.uk, under 'Events' and don't forget, of course, to find us on Facebook.



Friends of Grosvenor

Our Christmas Fair was a huge success and the grand total raised by the Friends of Grosvenor was a massive £1,664.80. A huge Thank you to all those who supported the event, either by donating or attending on the day and to those who helped with the organisation. We will let you know as soon as we have decided what to spend the money on, along with that which we raised in September through the Sponsored Rhyme-Along.

If you would like to join the Friends of Grosvenor, our next meeting is on Thursday 28th February at 1pm.



Library Books

Our Nursery Twos lending library takes place every Friday. Children may keep their library book at home for a week before returning it and exchanging it for another.

Online Learning Journals

Please provide us with your email address and complete a consent form, if you have not already done so, so that we may invite you to view your child's online Learning Journal. Your child's learning at home is invaluable, so please remember that you can add photos and comments to your child's Learning Journal - only 3 nursery school parents have done this so far.

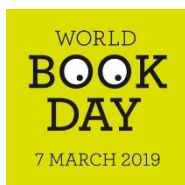
Dates for your Diary

Half Term

We break up for the half term on Friday 15th February. School re-opens on Monday 25th February.

Photographer

The photographer will be in school on Monday March 4th. More details nearer the time.



World Book Day

Thursday March 7th is World Book Day. We would like to invite you to arrive half an hour early when you collect your child and bring his/her favourite story book to read with them.

Throughout that week, we will be selling new children's books for £2.50 each.

Red Nose Day

Comic Relief is on March 15th this year. More details nearer the time.



Tooth-brushing

We have members of the oral hygiene team visiting on 14th March who will talk to the children about how to look after their teeth properly and the importance of brushing them regularly. You will receive a letter about this a week or so beforehand.

Parents' Evening

This term Parents' Evening will be held on March 26th and April 3rd 4-6pm. Please make the most of this opportunity to speak with your child's Key Worker about his/her progress and to discuss next steps for learning. Appointments will be available nearer the time.



Mothers' Day

This year we will be celebrating Mothers' Day on March 28th with morning coffee/afternoon tea. This will be held at 11am (morning children) and 3pm (afternoon children).

Children will be able to buy small gifts in school for their Mummy, or other special person, on Wednesday 27th March, so please send your child with £1 so that he or she may choose a gift to give.

If anyone has any small unwanted Christmas gifts such as soap, bubble bath, etc. that we could sell for a small price as a gift, please bring them in.

Stay and Play

We will be holding 'Stay and Play' sessions at 10.50 – 11.30am (morning children) and 2.50 – 3.30pm (afternoon children) for each group on April 5th.

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