



Dear Parents,

3rd time lucky! The Infant Sports Day was held yesterday afternoon in perfect weather conditions! The children gave it their all on the vast array of activities; balancing, throwing, dribbling, scoring, jumping, hopping and, of course the running races at the end were very exciting! Well done to all!

On Tuesday, 4P wowed us with their assembly all about the Rainforest. It began with beautiful yoga moves, then they told the story of The Kapotwe Tree brilliantly and finished with a moving rendition of Michael Jackson's Earth song. Well done 4P – it's wonderful to know how much you have enjoyed your learning.

Last night brought the first performance of The Lion King by Year 6 and it was amazing! The colourful and creative costumes, the breath-taking gym and dance routines, the witty and convincing acting and beautiful singing all came together to make it a stunning evening. I can't wait for tonight's performance!



Today the children have all watched M and M Theatre productions perform Oliver Twist which they thoroughly enjoyed.

You will receive your child's end of year report today and I would ask that you read it carefully and then fill in the parent comment slip and return it to us.

Staffing News

As always, the end of a school year brings with it some goodbyes to members of staff. Mrs Rinttila, who has worked at the school for many years as Assistant Head and, more recently, leadership trainer is leaving to take up a teaching position nearer home. Mrs Sayed and Mrs Casemore are both leaving to spend more time with their families, Miss Judge is leaving to return to Ireland with her family and will be taking up a new teaching position there and Miss Agnew is also returning to Ireland to make plans for her upcoming wedding and married life! Miss Mackintosh is leaving to take up a teaching position nearer to her home and we congratulate her on passing her teacher training year. Mr Beak is leaving to explore different career options and Miss French is leaving to go back to a nursery education setting. We will miss all of them, we thank them for their tremendous contribution to Goldsworth this year and wish them all the best in their various new ventures.

We will have several new members of staff joining us in September. Miss Daly is the new Otters class teacher, Miss Hiscock, Mrs McKinlay, Mrs Nastaly, Mrs Perfect and Mrs Collins are all joining the Teaching Assistant team and Mrs Mack is becoming one of our trainee teachers alongside Mrs Pickering, Mrs Lambert, Miss Dickman and Miss Stevens. We welcome them warmly to the Goldsworth team and I know you will enjoy getting to know them in September.

We have appointed three of our trainee teachers from this year as class teachers; Miss Evans, Miss Carter and Miss Molloy and we congratulate them on passing their teacher training year so successfully.

Next week is our final week of this academic year and you are all invited to join us for our final assembly on Thursday morning at 9:00, which is always a great celebration. Year 6 parents are also invited to the Leavers' Assembly on Thursday afternoon.

Have a good weekend,

Mrs Kozlowski (Head of School)



Sports News

INFANT SPORTS DAY BIG SUCCESS

On a glorious Thursday afternoon, our Infant Sports Day finally got up and running. Each year group took part in an epic carousel of sports activities designed to test and show off the children's co-ordination, balance & agility. As an excellent leadership challenge, our year 6 house captains took the lead in the organisation of the carousels this year and they put together some excellent challenges and activities for all the children to enjoy. Reports from the event tell me that a great time was had by all those taking part and the sports skills displayed by all were of an excellent standard. After the carousel, came the sprint races, the fastest three in every heat going through to the final to see who would be crowned class champion. If you were crowned class champion, congratulations to you and well done to every single athlete who ran with such gusto and enthusiasm. Thanks also to the parents for attending the event and providing such excellent support to all competitors.

Year 4 Golfers – 5th best in Surrey!

Over in Weybridge, our year 4 golf team (inspiringly mentored by Mr May who was dressed to impress in a golf outfit reminiscent of those worn by Terry Wo gan in the pro-celeb golf tournaments of old) were in fine form and enthusiastic spirits as they took on the other best golfers in Surrey at the Tri-golf tournament. Conditions were perfect -the fairways were running true and the greens immaculate. Goldsworth picked up their chosen club and judged the playing conditions perfectly to score excellent points at every station of the carousel. As the afternoon continued and the blistering heat of the sun emerged from the clouds, our finest golfers continued unphased, focussed on being the best they can be and making every putt, chip, pitch & drive count. After 2 and half hours of intense competition, our golfers were exhausted, but had done themselves immensely proud – an incredibly respectable 5th best in all of Surrey. A massive congratulations to the whole team – Sam C, Sam S, Mikael U, Namish R, Oliver T, Evie A M, Emilia B H, Tia W L, Rebecca F & Hannah J.

Cara & Otis do our district proud at the Surrey Finals



At the same venue as the golf tournament, Cara & Otis took to the running track to represent the Woking District in the Surrey athletics finals. Over 3 hours of competition, they had to take part in a 75m sprint, vortex throw, standing long jump, 600m & shuttle relay. Prior to the competition, the whole team had met twice at Goldsworth to train together and what was really lovely to see, was how in such a short space of time, 10 children from across the district had really bonded as a team, supporting each other and having a laugh with each other – they looked like an athletics team that had been competing together for years. As individual athletes, Cara stormed to victory in her 600m race and Otis was one of the best throwers of all the 110 athletes competing while are other athletes also celebrated much success. After all the points were tallied, the Woking District team found themselves in a

highly respectable 5th place overall. A huge well done to whole team – I hope you all continue to enjoy your athletics in the future!

Next week, all of year 5 are off to Winston Churchill School for their World Games Day, while here at Goldsworth our school rounders team take on the Goldsworth staff – let battle commence!

Ian Lyon
PE Co-ordinator



School Lunches – Autumn Term 2017 -18

PRICE INCREASE TO SCHOOL LUNCHES

School lunches will increase in the Autumn term, Sept 2017. The amount will increase from £2.20 to £2.25 for a school lunch.

School lunches must be paid for in advance, either weekly or half-termly. Meals cost £2.25 each, so you would need to pay £11.25 for the week or £74.25 for the next half term (33 days). It is your responsibility to ensure that there is money in the account. Should this not be the case, we will ask you to bring in a packed lunch. Please check your WisePay account and adjust your payment accordingly. Thank you.

Lee-Anne van Heerden
Office Manager

Year 3's fundraising effort

A group of thoughtful girls in Year 3 have been inspired by the recent efforts of the school in raising money for Cancer Research UK and set up a stall after school on Wednesday to help raise more money for the charity. Leah Apps, Adrija Grigaite, Madeleine Sey and Helena Petterson created a lucky dip stall for children to win Lego cards and have raised £4 so far.

The girls will be running the stall again on Wednesday, so if you fancy a go and would like to help the girls raise more money for Cancer Research UK, please come along between 3:10-3:30.

ALL SCHOOL LIBRARY BOOKS TO BE RETURNED BY THE END OF TERM PLEASE

It's that time of year again! Please could you search high and low, under beds and down the sides of sofas, anywhere you can think of where a school library book might be lurking! All books must be returned by Thursday 20th July. We will ask for missing books to be replaced or the money sent in for us to purchase a replacement.

Many thanks,

Emma Turner
Year 4 Team Leader

Year 5 – Theatre Visit

On Wednesday, Y5 walked along the canal to the Rhoda McGaw Theatre to watch the extravaganza that was the Winston Churchill School's end of year performance of "After Class." The talent shown by the Y10 children in singing, acting and music was a real inspiration to us and there was plenty of laughing from the audience. This was followed by an extraordinary dress rehearsal of "The Lion King" which has further inspired us to want to Be The Best We Can Be.

Claire Carlton
Year 5 Teacher



Swimming

Curriculum swimming lessons

There are still a large number of parents/carers who have not, as yet, made a contribution to the curriculum swimming lessons for this academic year. If you have not already done so, please can you now make payment via Wisepay. If you are unsure whether you have paid, you can check via the 'My Wise Account' section of Wisepay which shows your last 50 transactions. (This reminder does not apply to parents in year 6 and year 1 who are paying via standing order).

After school swimming programme

For those children in the after school swim programme, payment is now due for next term. All parents have been emailed the details which can also be found on Wisepay. Closing date for payments is **18th July 2017**. Please contact Lorraine Mills (lmills@goldsworthprimary.co.uk) if you no longer require the place as we have a waiting list. Thank you.

Saturday Recreational Swimming

The pool **WILL** be open this Saturday for recreational swimming. Please see our website for additional dates : [Upcoming Events](#)

Session times: 14:00 – 15:15 and 15:30 – 16:45 No need to book, just turn up on the day.

Costs : Adults £3, Juniors £2, Under 12mths Free

Ratios: Children under 4 years = 1 adult to 1 child; Children 5-7 years = 1 adult to 8 children; Children 8-15 years = poolside adult supervision required.