



## Dear Parents,

Once again we have been entertained by the children in their fantastic assemblies this week. It is wonderful to see their confidence and enjoyment on stage – you must be so proud of them, just as we are. Well done to 5E for their space assembly – the Planets song was amazing! Badgers treated us to a transport assembly today full of songs, dances and fantastic examples of writing. Well done to all of you!

Year 1 children also made us proud in how grown up they were on their visit to St Mary's Church in Horsell – they demonstrated the school value of respect as they learnt about all the different parts of the church, and watched as a baby (doll) was baptised.

Year 6 took part in a rugby festival on Wednesday at Winston Churchill – read the article below.

It was lovely to see the children enjoying their fruit and cakes today at the Healthy Tuck shop which has been promoted by the School Pupil Parliament. Thank you to all of you who contributed the wonderful healthy fruit salads and the wide selection of cakes. I would also like to thank the volunteers who gave up their time to run this so efficiently. Thank you.

Year 2 have really enjoyed investigating forces using their bikes and scooters today, despite the weather.

We wish you a great half-term break and remind you that it is an INSET Day on Monday February 20<sup>th</sup>, so we look forward to seeing the children back on the Tuesday.

Have a great weekend,

**Mrs G Kozlowski,**  
Head of School

## Parent Teacher Consultations

The online booking system for these consultations is open. Please see “**Dates for your Diary**” for the dates of the consultations. For information on the online booking system please click or tap on the following link:

<http://www.goldsworthprimary.co.uk/parent-information/parents-consultation-evenings>

In the event that you have problems booking an appointment, please email

[parentsevenings@goldsworthprimary.co.uk](mailto:parentsevenings@goldsworthprimary.co.uk) Remember to include your child's name and class.

**School Office**

## Sports News



Last weekend, four of Goldsworth's emerging netball stars had the opportunity to perform as ball girls at Surrey Storm's first home game of the season against Team Northumbria at the Surrey Sports Park. It was an excellent opportunity for them to see netball at its best and be inspired to further their own netballing expertise. Well done to Cara, Hannah, Lily and Mamtha who were also lucky enough to meet the Surrey Storm team. I'm sure they will take this experience and use it wisely to guide Goldsworth's netball team to great success in the future.



## Goldsworth's first ever Any Directional Tag Rugby tournament results:

Spread over 3 days of intense lunchtime action, this week's tag rugby competition has most definitely been the most exciting and evenly contested inter house tournament so far this academic year. In a truly remarkable competition, 115 tries were scored in the 12 matches played. Every game was a close encounter – in almost all games, only 1 or 2 tries became the difference between the sides. The much anticipated results can be seen in the table below:

	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	GF	GA	GD	Points
<b>Raleigh</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>+3</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Drake</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>+2</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Nelson</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>+3</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Hawkins</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>-8</b>	<b>4</b>

Congratulations to Raleigh and particularly their house captains, Cara, Emily and Lorenzo who guided their house to their first Inter House victory of the year.

In other news, all of year 6 attended a tag rugby festival at Winston Churchill school on Wednesday morning. Please read the account below written by Freya & Imogen:

*On Wednesday, we started with a carousel of warm ups practising the basic rugby skills of tackling, ball handling, and try scoring. Most exciting of all was their first experience of contact rugby, driving forwards together in a scrum. Afterwards, all schools were paired up and began a series of rugby matches where all of Goldsworth's pupils showed good sportsmanship and displayed an excellent attitude in victory and even in defeat. Irene in year 6 was quoted as saying, "I felt really nervous, but really enjoyed every moment." Overall, it seems, everyone enjoyed the tournament and would be happy to do it again.*

What an excellent opportunity for all our year 6s – I'm glad we represented ourselves so admirably.

Keep on Sporting!!

**Ian Lyon**  
**PE Co-ordinator**

## Swimming

### Saturday Recreational Swimming

The pool will not be open this Saturday, but will be on **18<sup>th</sup> of February, 2017**. See our website for further dates :

[Upcoming Events](#)

Session times: 2 – 3:15pm and 3:30 – 4:45pm. 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.



## School Lunches

School lunches must be paid for in advance, either weekly or termly. Meals cost £2.20 each, so you would need to pay £11.00 for the week, or £63.80 for the next half term (29 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.

**Lee-Anne van Heerden**  
Office Manager

## Wise Owl Club Vacancies

Are you enthusiastic and hardworking? Do you love working with children? Then we would love to have you join the successful and supportive team of staff that look after 60 children in breakfast club (07:45am to 08:45am) and 100 children in the after school club (3:20pm to 6:00pm) each day during term time.

**Wise Owl Club Manager** - We are looking to appoint a professional, energetic and committed club Manager to lead the Wise Owl Club.

**Closing date for applications: 12:00 noon, Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2017**

**Wise Owl Club Playworker roles** - We are looking to appoint enthusiastic, hardworking and playful playworkers to provide a varied and fun environment for all our children.

**Closing date for applications: 12:00 noon, 19<sup>th</sup> February 2017**

For more details on both roles and an online application form, please view the vacancies advertised on Eteach via our [vacancy page](#) on the school website.

Applicants are encouraged to visit the club informally, during club hours, prior to application. Please contact Lee-Anne van Heerden, current club manager, to arrange a visit on 01483 771321 opt 2.

## Holistic Fair

Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> May 2017, from 7pm at Goldsworth Primary School  
Massage, Reiki, Acupuncture, Nails, Clothes, Smoothie Bar, Beauty products, Herbal Tea Bar.  
For a stall / table please email [Holisticfair111@gmail.com](mailto:Holisticfair111@gmail.com)  
Booking details for treatments will be released nearer the time.

**Friends of Goldsworth**

## Recycling News

A massive thank you for all the fabulous recycling that has been taking place at Goldsworth! I have been amazed at how much rubbish has been collected this half term!

Our latest total is now £364.20!! Well done everyone! Please keep this up and remember that we collect the following waste with each unit earning us 2p:

The Air and Home Care Brigade – all brands and sizes of plastic bottle caps and plastic trigger heads, plastic air fresheners and air freshener cartridges, plastic air freshener packaging, flexible wipe packaging (used for home cleaning) and pumps and caps for home cleaning products.

McVitie's Biscuit Wrapper Brigade – biscuit wrappers from any brand of biscuit, outer wrappers and individual ones. Any wrapper that crinkles!



The Writing Instruments Brigade – any old pen, felt tip, highlighter or mechanical pencil.

Ella's Kitchen Brigade – any brand of empty baby food pouch.

We are still waiting to hear of our final position in the "Biscuit Wrapper Roundup" competition. The last update said we were 5<sup>th</sup>!

'The Freshness Champions' competition runs until March 15<sup>th</sup> and we have now moved up to 2<sup>nd</sup> place (in the whole country!!). So keep sending in all your plastic tops etc and maybe we could move further up the leaderboard!

**Mrs. Tattersdill**