

Moss Lane School

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Dear Families,

We wish to welcome Mrs Stubbs who joins us as an LSA in Foxes class and Miss Glennon who joins us as a 1:1 in Bees.

As a school, we also promote resilience at every opportunity for our children. This comes through assemblies, class discussions and through the curriculum. We discuss how making a mistake is not a bad thing as this helps us to make improvements and correct our mistakes. In classrooms, we use the Learning Pit/Cellar to support the children's understanding of the importance of resilience to achieve a challenge. When you are talking to your children, please reinforce this message.....*mistakes help us to gain knowledge and lead to success!*

Thank you so much for your continued support and cooperation which really does ensure that all the children at Moss Lane achieve and have an abundant life.

Take care and have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Abbott
Headteacher

Thank you from Godalming Community Store...



From all the volunteers: a huge thank you to you, your staff, parents and pupils for the generous donation. We appreciate you choosing the store to receive the gifts from your Harvest Festival, which we know is an important date in the school calendar. The store relies on the kindness of the community to support local people who need help acquiring even the basics of life. Thank you.

Godalming Learning Partnership...

The Godalming Learning Partnership of schools are proud partners of Winchester University and have been training teachers with a blend of innovative academic study and immersive school experience for the last 5 years. We are running a number of promotional events over the coming weeks for those interested in finding out more about our unique and bespoke Schools Direct teacher training programme starting in September 2023. If you would like to find out more at one of the seminars we will be running at one of our founder schools, Godalming Junior School on **Thursday 8th December** at 6.00pm then please contact info@getteaching.org and we look forward to seeing you there.

More information can be found on the attached flier

What's coming up...

Monday 21st November

Foxes at Woodland School

Saturday 26th November

Godalming Christmas Light Switch On – Year 1 and Year 2 singing at the Pepperpot.

Monday 28th November

Squirrels at Woodland School

Friday 2nd December

PTA Mini Market

Monday 5th December

Honey Bees at Woodland School

Thursday 8th December

Burglar Bill Pantomime in school

Friday 9th December

Christmas Lunch and Jumper Day

Monday 12th December

Bumble Bees at Woodland School

Wednesday 14th December

09.30 – Year R & Year 1 Show
14.15 – Year 2 Show

Thursday 15th December

09.30 – Year R & Year 1 Show
Father Christmas visits and parties

Friday 16th December

Term finishes at 13.30

Check out our online calendar of events [here](#).

Front Gate...

Please could you ensure that you bolt the front side gate behind you and not hold the gate open for any visitors or late children even if you know them. All visitors must buzz the bell and report to the office when entering the school site.

Please can I remind that no dogs are allowed on to school grounds even if carried in arms.

What's going on in school...

Odd Socks for Anti-bullying Week



On Monday we started our anti-bullying week with Odd Socks day. Showing that it is okay to be different. We had discussions with the children about the difference between someone being unkind and bullying.

Children in Need Spotacular

The children have raised an amazing £165.30 for Children in Need! It was great to see so many spots!



Christmas Shows

Rehearsals have begun for our Christmas Shows!

Year R and Year 1 will be presenting 'Big Little Nativity'

Year R parents are invited to attend the show on Wednesday 14th December at 09.30

Year 1 parents are invited to attend the show on Thursday 15th December at 09.30

If you are unable to attend your allocated performance please feel free to attend the other showing. Year 1 and Year R children will perform in both shows.

Year 2 will be presenting 'Born in a Barn' on Wednesday 14th at 14.15

The children will have worked very hard on their performances therefore to keep audience noise levels to a minimum we kindly ask that no younger siblings attend unless babes in arms. Only two adults per child to attend please!



Toys...

We are seeing an increase in toys coming in from home which inevitably is causing problems in the classrooms. There is the risk of precious belongings getting lost or broken when they are brought into school, but also belongings from home are very distracting and cause a huge snowball effect with other children then wanting to bring their toys in too. Can we please request that toys are left at home, or goodbyes take place at the gates and toys go home with parents? Even toys that are safely zipped away in bags often find their way free so we want to remove the temptation entirely.

Illness...

You may be aware that there are a number of different illnesses going around at the moment including Scarlett Fever. One particularly nasty bug is a stomach one. It is imperative that the children are kept off for 48 hours from the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea. Also, please ensure that if the office ask you to collect your child, you make arrangements for this straight away. If you are unable to, please contact someone who can. Thank you for your understanding

PTA reminders...

Don't forget to order your Moss Lane canvas bags by **Wednesday 23rd November**.

Mini Market

21 – 22nd November
Buy your Cellophane

28th – 30th November
Bring in your gifts

2nd December
Mini Market Day!