



Dear Families,

It has been another busy but strange week at Greenvale. It started with a little bit of disappointment with England not winning the Euro 2020 final but we think you will all agree that the team played amazingly and we are all very proud of them regardless of the result.

## Bubble Closures

Unfortunately, having positive COVID cases in Robins, Year 3 and Year 5 meant that we had to close school early for children on Wednesday evening. This is the last thing we wanted to do but we hope parents understand that we have to follow guidance and advice and having only 7 members of staff left due to COVID isolation, we were simply left with no choice. Children have enjoyed online learning the last two days and this will continue next week with the exception of Year 6 who remain in school.

## Summer Fair Trail

Thank you to everyone who came to the Summer Fair Trail on Saturday, it was lovely seeing all of you. The Friends of Greenvale (FOG) raised nearly **£3000.00** which is amazing! A big thank you James in Year 4 who sold copies of his published book 'Astronaut Parrot' on the trail and all monies raised went to The ARC Centre. Lastly, well done to Brynly in Year 2 who won the competition prize of £100 after visiting each of the stalls!



## Robins Forest School

Robins class enjoyed going to Forest School and took their learning out of the classroom. We really are so lucky to have such amazing facilities and grounds at Greenvale.



## Stars of the Week



<b>Robins:</b>	<b>Amelia, Sebi &amp; Callum</b>
<b>Swallows:</b>	<b>Theo &amp; Annabelle</b>
<b>Chaffinches:</b>	<b>Whole class!</b>
<b>Woodpeckers:</b>	<b>Whole class! Special mention: Emily, Howie, Tommy, Oliver &amp; Hannah!</b>
<b>Jays:</b>	<b>Whole class! Special mention: Freddie &amp; Tilly!</b>
<b>Kestrels:</b>	<b>Freya &amp; George P</b>
<b>Falcons:</b>	<b>Whole class!</b>

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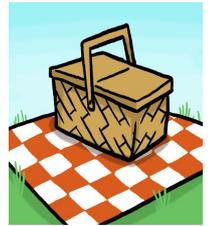
### Year 4 Trip to Bore Place

On Tuesday, Year 4 visited Bore Place in Kent which is a working farm. They spent time in the organic garden where they harvested food to use for their lunchtime meal. The children were also able to visit the dairy cows and learnt about their lives on the farm. Mrs Harrison was sad to miss the trip but heard from Bore Place that Year 4 represented the school fantastically with their behaviour and insightful questions. Well done Year 4!



### Year 2 Picnic

Year 2 enjoyed their picnic on Tuesday as part of their IPC topic 'Hooray.. let's go on Holiday'. Unfortunately, they couldn't attend their usual Brighton trip due to COVID and then their plans to go to the Bird Sanctuary had to change last minute due to staff who were going to help out having to isolate. Year 2 made the most of it and Mrs Malik was so proud of them for adapting to the last minute change that she made them all her Stars of the Week! Well done Year 2!



### Sports Day

Today should have been Sports Day for the whole school but unfortunately only Year 6 could take part in school. They enjoyed a lovely morning and had fun challenging the mums to a game of rounders afterwards! In the meantime, children at home took part in some great sporting activities to celebrate the day and talked about them during the Stars online assembly this afternoon. The Year 6 scores were as follows: 1st Oak, 2nd Beech, 3rd Elm and 4th Ash. All being well we hope to reschedule Sports Day for September.

### Year 6

As you are aware, Year 6 remained at school this week and were able to go on their Chessington trip on Wednesday, record their performance on Thursday and hopefully be able to attend their residential visit and hold their leavers' assembly at the end of next week. The performance of 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' was live streamed to parents this evening and we think that everyone will agree that Year 6 definitely deserved their Star of the Week! Amazing performances from every single child!

### ParentPay Debt

As already mentioned in the July newsletter, please can we ask that every effort be made to clear ParentPay debts. The school debt totals **£2380.65**! From September, if your debt reaches **£30.00** (not including voucher payments) your ParentPay account will be frozen which means that you will be unable to pay for any trips and your child will be unable to have school lunches or attend wraparound care until the debt is paid in full. If you pay using childcare vouchers or the government scheme, it might be an idea to make an August payment so that your account is in credit rather than arrears. Please note that **ALL** ParentPay accounts should always show a credit or a £0.00 balance. Please click [here](#) to make a payment. If you feel that you may qualify for the Pupil Premium Grant please see below.



### Pupil Premium Grant (PPG)

We are aware that lots of people's situations may have changed over the past few months due to Covid-19. If you believe that you may be eligible for 'The Pupil Premium Grant' please complete the online form [here](#). Pupil Premium funding is used by the school to support students and help them reach their full potential academically, through extra curricular and pastoral provision.

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