

Graveley Primary School NEWSLETTER

Spring II Week 4 2017



DIARY DATES FOR THIS HALF TERM

Week Commencing	Date	
Monday 20 th March 2017	Monday 20 th March Thursday 23 rd March Friday 24 th March	PM - Year 6 Easter Journey at Holy Trinity Church. From 3:30pm - Travelling Book Fair in school for a week. Mother's Day Shop open for Classes 1 and 2. AM - Fun Run / Walk Mother's Day Shop open for Classes 3 and 4. NO CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY.
Monday 27 th March 2017	Monday 27 th March Tuesday 28 th March Wednesday 29 th March Friday 31 st March	NO AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS THIS WEEK. PM - Easter Egg Hunt. 3:30 - 5:00 - Film Night (£3.00). 1:15 - Break up for Easter. Medicines (if any) & P.E. kit to be returned home.
Monday 3 rd April - Monday 17 th April 2017	EASTER HOLIDAYS	

Please note - more events may be added as the term progresses. We try hard to give as much notice as possible for events but sometimes this is beyond our control.

MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

Dear Parents,

We have had a very sporty week at Graveley! On Monday Year 5 and 6 pupils took part in the Hi-5 Netball Tournament tournament against local Stevenage schools. On Tuesday pupils from Graveley took part in the County Dance Festival at St Albans Arena. I know I am biased but I think our dance was the best! Thank you to Molly and Mrs Heritage for developing the dance and supporting the pupils. On Thursday, Year 3 and 4 pupils also took part in the Hi-5 Netball Festival and had great fun. Thank you to Ms Revels and Mrs D'Arcy for organising these netball events.

Have a good weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Massey

GUEST EDITORS

Albert P (Class 1): "I am reading a book called 'The Spaceship'. Kipper and Floppy are the main characters."

Sophia (Class 2): "I am writing a story about a girl called Elsy and her hot air balloon."

Louis (Class 3): "We have been writing poems about daffodils. I used words such as 'swayed' and 'danced' in my poem. My daffodils are light yellow with a bit of orange in the middle."

Grace (Class 4): "We re-told a Norse myth in our own words. My myth was about Baldur (son of Odin) who was one of the Viking Gods."

NOTICES & REMINDERS

FUN RUN/WALK on Friday 24th March - the infants (together with their adult runners) will start at approximately 9:10am and the Juniors will start at approximately 9:30am. Parents are welcome to watch. We are all looking forward to a fun morning!



Film Night on Wednesday 29th March 3:30pm - 5:00pm. We will be showing **Trolls**. Popcorn and drinks will be provided. Please send in £3.00 in a named envelope by **Friday 24th March** to secure a place.

Travelling Books will be in school every day after school (3:30pm) from **Thursday 23rd March** until **Wednesday 29th March**. Remember to bring lots of change!

Power Cut - on Thursday parts of Graveley Village experienced a power cut. After seeking advice from Herts County Council Health and Safety we kept the school open to minimise disruption to parents. Thank you to all the staff and pupils for coping in the dark!

Friends of Graveley (FOG) News

To keep up to date with FOG news, please join **Friends of Graveley Facebook** page. Please click on the following link and request to join:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1782218655348034/>

Mother's Day Gift Shop - the school's Mother's Day Gift Shop will be open for business on the following days:

Thursday 23rd March - Class 1 and Class 2
Friday 24th March - Class 3 and Class 4



If you would like your child to buy some gifts from the Mother's Day Gift Shop, please send in up to £5.00 in change in a clearly labelled envelope/wallet/purse.

Future FOG Events: **Quiz Night** - date to be confirmed. **FOG Summer Fete** - PM Thursday 29th June 2017. More details to follow.

Half termly value: **FELLOWSHIP**

Value this week: **QUALITY**