

# Graveley Primary School NEWSLETTER

## Spring 1 Newsletter No. 3 2018



Dear Parents,

I can hardly believe we are approaching the end of January already! We are always so busy in school that time seems to just fly. This week has been no exception. I was proud to take eight Class 3 children to the Stevenage Speed Stacking finals yesterday where not only did they behave impeccably but also achieved 2<sup>nd</sup> place overall. They showed off their skills in assembly today and wowed everyone – well done!

As the end of term approaches, don't forget to secure your child's place at the FOG Spring Disco (further details below). Also please make sure our Open Afternoon at 2:30pm on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February is in your diaries – it provides a lovely chance to share your child's work and learning from this half term.

I hope the sun continues to shine over the weekend whatever you are up to.

Kind regards,

*Mrs Andrews*  
(Deputy Head)

### KEY SPORTING DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March: 9:00am Fun Run! (Please note - this is the NEW DATE FOR THE FUN RUN).**

We have changed the date to fit in with Sports Relief Week.



**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June: 10:30am Sports Day and family picnic.**

Provisional plans include a 10:30am start to allow us to also have a family picnic on the field – further details to follow! There will also be **Open Afternoon at 2:30pm.**

### DIARY DATES FOR SPRING TERM 2018

Week Commencing	Date	
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> January	Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> January	PM – Y3/Y4 Mini Olympics at Stevenage Leisure Centre.
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Free Reading Week.
	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February	No Afterschool Clubs this week.
	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	4:00 – 5:00 – FOG Spring Disco.
		2:30 – Open Afternoon.
<b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February - HALF TERM</b>		
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Children return to school.
	Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> February	Afterschool clubs start.
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Year 5 Maths Challenge.
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day.
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>9:00am – FUN RUN*</b>
	Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	PM – Easter Party.
		1:15 – Break up for Easter holidays.
<b>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April – EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>		
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Children return to school.
		Afterschool clubs start.

\*Please note NEW DATE for FUN RUN – now on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March at 9:00am

### CELEBRATION BOOK



**WELL DONE** to the following children for their fantastic **MATHS** learning this week:

**Class 1: Jilystia C**  
**Class 3: Stanley K**

**Class 2: Ruby C**  
**Class 4: Jacob P**

The following children received the **Headteacher's Award** for demonstrating this week's Value (**HAPPINESS**):

**Class 1: Beatrix B**                      **Class 2: Taylor P**  
**Class 3: Speed Stacking Team (Ellie, Rose, Lauren, Jane, Albie, Charlie, Cody, Oliver)**  
**Class 4: Rosie F**

### REMINDERS



**FOG (Friends of Graveley)** have organised a **Spring Disco** after school on **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February (4:00pm – 5:00pm)**. **Prices are as follows: £2.00** – includes drink and snack. **£3.00** – includes drink, snack and photo. If you would like your child to attend, please send the money in a name envelope by Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February.

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/>