

Graveley Primary School Newsletter

Dear Parents,

My newsletter today is about giving thanks.

Thank you to Gemma and Heather in the kitchen for cooking us all a scrummy Christmas dinner on Wednesday last week.

A huge **thank you** to the volunteers who put on a great Christmas fete on Wednesday afternoon for the children and **thank you** all for supporting by either purchasing tokens or donating chocolate and filled cups.

Thank you to all the families who joined us to support the children during the Carol Concert and Nativity last week and a huge **thank you** to the children for entertaining us all so well.

Thank you to all the children for the gifts they made to spread festive cheer around the village and for the staff that took them out delivering.

A huge **thank you** to my team of staff, some of us crawling over the finish line!

And finally a huge **thank you** to you all. We really do have genuinely supportive and positive parents and a fantastic school community.

Of course, we have also arrived at the day when we say a very sad goodbye to Mrs Andrews. She has made such a positive impact on our school in so many ways and we know she will make a similarly impactful difference in her new school. The children greeted her as she arrived at school this morning with a banner and balloons and I know she has enjoyed just spending time visiting all of the classes this morning saying goodbye.



TT Rockstars and Numbots

Well done to all of those children who have taken part in our TT Rockstar tournament and Numbots this week.

This week's results:

Reception/Year 1 - Reign, Rosie, Stanley

Year 2 - Alfie

Year 3 - Sera, Tom

Year 4 - Deeana, Billie

Year 5 - Nellie, Isla-Jayne, Bethany

Year 6 - Phoebe, Kirk, Beatrix

Staffing News

We would like to announce that Mrs Sara Clark will be joining us in January to cover PPA while Mrs Stead is recovering from her surgery.

All medications will be sent home with your child today. Please remember to bring them back into school when we re-open.

I hope that you all have a super festive break - I think after several years of Christmas time being disrupted with Covid we all deserve a joyous time.

Remember all children will finish at 1.15pm today and look forward to seeing all the children back on Thursday 5th January.

Wishing you all a safe and a very Happy Christmas.

Kind regards,
Nicky Hand
Headteacher