



# Guilden Sutton Church of England Primary School

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30<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear Parent,

Quite a quiet week in comparison to most!

Last week's **Midsummer Parade** in Chester, was very well attended and if you looked close enough, you would have spotted some of our **Year 3** children who represented our school brilliantly; the **Active Travel competition winners** were announced in Smiley Face assembly.

This week, **Year 3** consolidated their learning about **Egyptians** at the Liverpool World Museum; we celebrated our annual Interfaith Week; class swaps were a great success and everyone enjoyed meeting their new class teacher.



The **choir** were amazing at **AmaSing!** Thank you to **Miss Doak, Mr. May, Mrs. Jones, Mr. Harding and Mrs. Donovan** for their enthusiasm and support throughout the day (and night!). I am sure all parents were extremely proud because I know I was!



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## School Development Priorities 2022 - 2023

- **To trial, purchase and implement a new computing scheme of work.**  
KAPOW scheme of work is now successfully embedded across the whole school: clear progression documents and assessment tools are being used effectively.
- **Maintain the exceptional standards of behaviour and attitudes to learning throughout the whole school.**  
The children continue to make us proud. All staff have extremely high expectations of behaviour, manners and attitude towards learning, which is clearly evident as I walk round school.
- **To continue to improve the school building, especially the roof and the entrance.**  
The second phase of the new roof is underway and we have also been successful in a bid to secure a grant for a new entrance which will hopefully begin in the Autumn Term – fingers crossed!
- **To further develop and resource the EYFS Learning Environment.**  
The EYFS learning environment continues to be further refined. It is inviting, stimulating and a place which nurtures our children to flourish!
- **To ensure the new SLT staffing structure is rigorous and robust.**  
Having Mrs. Cawley as Assistant Headteacher and Mr. May as part of the Senior Leadership Team has been a huge success. From **September 2023, both Mrs. Cawley and Mr. May, will be Assistant Headteacher.**



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2024 – 2025 Holiday Dates have been agreed by governors and are now on the school website.

<b>Save the Date:</b>	
<b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July</b> 1pm – 4:30pm	<b>Guilden Sutton Summer Fete!</b> 
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Reports out!</b> If you would like a paper copy of your child/children's report, please contact the school office so they are printed out ready to go out on the day.
<b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July</b>	<b>Term ends</b>
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>INSET Day</b>
<b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July September</b>	<b>Term starts</b>
<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September</b>	<b>Welcome BBQ 5pm – 7pm. More information to follow.</b>
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September</b> 6:00pm – 7:30pm	<b>Whole School Reading and Maths Information Evening for parents.</b>
<b>Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October</b> After drop off – 9:30am	<b>Call in Friday. Please enter through the main reception area and into the school hall.</b> <b>Emotional Literacy Support (ELSA) Parent Workshop (9:30am – 10:00am) – more information to follow.</b>
<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Donations for Harvest Festival</b> 
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Messy Church</b> 
<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October</b> <b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Parents' Evening</b>
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>MacMillan Coffee Morning</b> <b>End of Term</b> 
<b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Children return to school</b>
<b>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November</b>	<b>Call in Wednesday. Please enter through the main reception area and into the school hall.</b>

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Unfortunately, **juice** the children can buy at morning break is out of stock for the foreseeable future. Mrs. Rees will continue to use the juice that is currently in stock but there will be **no juice available** to purchase from **September 2023**. I will communicate any changes if/when they happen.

**Our average school attendance** is **96.1% (even higher than last week!!)** so thank you to everyone for making this a priority!

**Absence requests** will be authorised only if the circumstances are deemed **exceptional**.

The **safety** of our children is of the utmost importance – please ensure you **phone, email or send a School Spider** message to **Mrs. Lloyd or Mrs. Taylor** in the office to report an absence and/or changes to pick up arrangements.

If you would like to see anything in particular in my weekly newsletters, please feel free to email me your suggestions.

Have a great weekend,

Theresa Rainford



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