



Greenfield Primary School Newsletter

Excellence and Enjoyment for All

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Dates for your diary



Our stars this week!



Date	Event
28.01.26	Year 4 Assembly at 9am
09.02.26	Parents' Evening
11.02.26	Parents' Evening
03.03.26	Year 5 visits to Methodist Church
05.03.26	Hazel Class visit Ordsall Hall
10.03.26	Elder Class visit Ordsall Hall

	09.01.26	16.01.26
Nursery	Freyja	Leo
Reception	Mila and Jaxon	Lily and Kyren
Year 1	Harry	Harley
Year 1/2	Scott	Elijah
Year 2	Rome	Charlie
Year 3	Ethan & Lucy C	Grayson & Florence N
Year 4	Frankie	Jacob
Year 5	Max R and Henry	Jacob & Tilly
Year 6	Lillie	Joseph

Inner Strength of the newsletter: Honesty

Honesty is telling the truth, even when it is hard.



This week's news

Our **Reception** children have been enjoying the story *We're Going on a Bear Hunt* and have become experts at acting the story out! They have also created their own amazing Bear Hunt maps using different collage materials to help find the bears.



Our **Year 6s** were shocked to see that their classroom had transformed into a Victorian classroom as part of their history topic. Tables were moved into strict rows and the children experienced what life was like for children who went to Victorian schools. They had rules that were very different to the ones we have today, had to write lines using chalk and some even found themselves wearing a dunce hat!





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A Message from FRoGS (Friends and Relatives of Greenfield School)

Happy New Year from everyone at FRoGS! We hope you all enjoyed a lovely festive break. The autumn term was a busy and successful one:

- Two **Spooky Discos** before half term, with matched funding from two parents boosting our total by an extra £1,000.
- Break the Rules Day** raising £470
- The Boarshurst Band Club Christmas Show** was a fantastic joint event featuring our school band and choir, selling out and raising £583 thanks to all the performers and organisers.
- Almost 100 people booked **Santa Dash** tickets through FRoGS, raising £564.
- Donations from **Christmas Jumper Day** made wonderful prizes at our **Christmas Fair** thanks to everyone's generosity.
- Children enjoyed a Christmas-themed film inside an **inflatable Planetarium Dome**, a first for our school and feedback has been extremely positive.

Alongside fundraising, we were pleased to support the Saddleworth Round Table by collecting warm clothing for Our Community Wardrobe Oldham, as well as donating toys and books for their Toy Appeal. We'll be running more events during the spring term, so please keep an eye on ParentMail, our blog (greenfieldprimarypta.home.blog), and year group WhatsApp messages.

Get Involved: It's never too late to join FRoGS — everyone is welcome! We have an active group involved in planning and decision-making, and a support group who help when needed, such as wrapping books or sourcing donations from local businesses. To find out more, please contact our Chair, Beth Lee-Wilson (07821 739023), email us at greenfieldpspta@gmail.com, or come along to one of our regular meetings, usually held in the second week of term (see the blog for details).

More News

We enjoyed a special **basketball assembly** on Wednesday from a coach for the Sport For All team, who told us about basketball sessions available for children to join. In the assembly, some of our children impressed everyone by showing off their basketball skills!



Well done to the children in Year 3, 4 and 5 who took part in a multiskills event this week, where they had the opportunity to try a range of fun and challenging activities including bowling, basketball and parachute games. They showed excellent teamwork, coordination and enthusiasm and received certificates in today's assembly.

Star Writers this week!

	09.01.26	16.01.26
Year 1	Ronnie	Adriana
Year 1/2	Killian	Killian
Year 2	Archer	Agnes & Harriet
Year 3	Bobby and Evie	Hattie and Freya
Year 4	Harmony	Imogen
Year 5	Elaine and Tilly	Lottie and Emily Cl
Year 6	Theo B	Lucy C

Maths Stars this week!

	09.01.26	16.01.26
Year 1	Freddie	Jack
Year 1/2	Effie	Harriet
Year 2	Eric	Max
Year 3	Grace and Jude	Betty and Stanley
Year 4	Megan	Francesca
Year 5	Maya and Oscar	Olivia C & Nathan
Year 6	Niamh and Hudson	August

Well done to **Ash class** who won our attendance award on **19th December** with **98.7%** attendance and **Juni-per class** who won on **9th January** with **99.2%** attendance! Both classes won 10 minutes extra break!

Our current whole school attendance is **95.5%** for this academic year and our target is **96%**.