

The Gorseley Weekly

ANNUAL PARENT SURVEY

A reminder that our annual parent/career survey is now live and we would love as many of you as possible to take the time to complete it for us to help us in our end of year school evaluation and in planning for next academic year.

The survey can be accessed on the link below and should only take a few minutes for complete. Thank you in advance for taking the time...

<https://forms.office.com/e/hnXUUHBjuy>

PTA UPDATE

Summer Social

Plans are well underway for this year's Summer Social on Friday 14th June. Further details are on the attached flyer. Book in the date and please keep an eye on the WhatsApp groups for ways you can support the event.

Gorseley Golf

Tee off for this year's Gorseley Golf is only 56 days away and places are booking up fast so if you would like to be involved please visit www.gorseleygolf.co.uk The event this year is taking place on Friday 12th July at Prestbury Golf Club.

Discos

Our summer term discos are booked in for Thursday 27th May (KS1 at 3.15-4.15 and KS2 6.30-7.30). Details on how to get hold of tickets for these events can be found on the flyer being sent alongside this weeks GW. Many thanks to Helen for organising these again!

LAURUS TRUST UPDATE

Since joining the Laurus Trust in 2016, our school has received a huge range of support in terms of the school site, opportunities for developing staff and the sharing of teaching and curriculum expertise to name but a few.

We have also benefitted from working alongside colleagues in our two other Laurus Primaries in Cheadle Hulme and Woodford. From September we are welcoming two additional Primary Schools to the family - Crown Street Primary in central Manchester (which is opening as a new school beginning with Pre-school and Reception classes) and we are also very excited to announce the addition of Hazel Grove Primary School to the Trust.



**CROWN
STREET**
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Hazel Grove Primary will be the first fully established Primary to join Laurus and we are looking forward to learning from the great practice that exists there as well as sharing our own approach with their team. We have been liaising with colleagues at Hazel Grove for many months including full due diligence exercises (both educational and non-educational) to ensure the schools are sufficiently aligned to make this a positive match in the interests of both school communities.

The addition of Hazel Grove will bring a small change to my role. Whilst I will still be Head of School at Gorseley, I will also be supporting Hazel Grove Primary in an Executive Head capacity. This will involve me spending time at Hazel Grove each week during which time Gorseley will be in the very capable hands of Mrs Bell and the rest of our brilliant Leadership Team. Hopefully it goes without saying that we all remain absolutely focused on driving Gorseley forwards to ensure our pupils have the very best primary education we can offer.

I will look forward to sharing further updates on the continued partnership working across the Laurus Primary Schools from September.



KIDS CLUB UPDATE

Allocations for September

Thank you to everyone who has requested places in our Kids Club for September. The form is now closed and the team are working on the distributions of sessions which as previously communicated will be shared with parents via the MCAS app during the course of the day on Wednesday 22nd May. This will ensure everyone is able to view their allocated sessions by the end of the day.

Staffing update

We are currently in the process of recruiting a new Kids Club manager following the departure of Alicja Crowther last week and will share details of this appointment in due course. In the interim the everyday provision is being led by existing member of the team supported by school staff. A full list of the Kids Club Team can be found on our website [here](#). If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Kids Club Team at kidsclub@gorseybank.org.uk



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- UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD NUTS, OR ANY
PRODUCT CONTAINING NUTS, BE BROUGHT ON TO SCHOOL
PREMISES.**

FAMILY HUBS

Cheshire East Family Hubs support children and young people from 0-19 (or up to 25 for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities). They bring the very best of council, health, and community services together.

The hub journey is broken down into three key steps; Start for life (0-5), Primary (5-11) and Young Persons (11-19).

The new digital offer which can be accessed via the link below, launched in April and supports our face-to-face delivery, which includes Babies Together, Toddlers Together, Stay and Play and Little Stars (a friendly groups for children with SEND aged 0-11).

The digital offer is there to signpost families to the very best of services that are available in their locality.

The Family Hub can be accessed by clicking on this link.



CRICKET SUCCESS!

Our Year 4 cricket team went to Wilmslow High School last week to take part in a tournament against other Wilmslow primary schools. The team played brilliantly and managed to win every game, showing great leadership and organisation throughout in particular. They scored plenty of runs to achieve some large winning margins, demonstrating a good understanding of the sport in the process. The team returned to Gorsey proudly wearing their winning medals - well done to all involved!



DATES FOR THE DIARY

24th May - Sports Day (9.30am)

24th May - End of term

3rd June - INSET Day

4th June - Start of term

12th June - Onjali Q Rauf Author Visit

13th June - Y3-5 Play with the Hallé concert

14th June - PTA Summer Social

19th June - New Reception Induction Evening

12th July - Changeover Day / Uniform pop-up

17-18th July - Learning Review Meetings

23rd July - Last day of term

ARTICLE 23

If you are disabled, either mentally or physically, you have the right to special care and education to help you develop and lead a full life.

