



# Newsletter

22nd September 2017

Green Lane Primary Academy / Ribblesdale Avenue / Garforth / Leeds / LS25 2JX

## Roald Dahl Day

On the 13th September, Year 4 celebrated Roald Dahl day. Hazel class invented some new 'delumptious' chocolate bars, including the scrumptious Cake Bomb and the tantalising Sweet Tweet, whilst in Chestnut class, new characters were created including the Vomit Comet and the Colossal Pea.

We also explored some exciting maths, helping Willy Wonka decide how many chocolate wrappers he might need. Then, in the afternoon, we went to Year 2 to share our favourite, 'phizz-whizzing' books. We also learnt about Roald Dahl and what inspired him to become such a wonderful writer.

## Birthday Treats

If you wish to send in treats for your child's birthday please can we ask that this is limited to a small bag of sweets which can be given to take home. Parents can then decide when their children eat them.

## Head Lice

We have seen a few children scratching their itchy heads this week. In a large primary school head lice do occur but please can we encourage all families to check their children's hair each week and treat as necessary. Once treated children can return to school straight away.

<http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Introduction.aspx>

## Year 6 Residential

The Year 6 team had a fabulous time at Kingswood, Dearne Valley Residential. Visiting so soon in the school year gave us all a chance to get to know each other and we were so proud of the way in which the children pushed themselves by: trying new activities; overcoming personal challenges and developing their teamwork skills. Thanks to: Mrs Palin, Mrs Martin, Mrs Hector, Mrs Sterland, Mrs Coles and Mr Buckley who gave up their free time and looked after the children so well on their adventure. What a great way to start the term!



## Diary Dates

### **Parent Partnership- Parents are invited**

*Note: Activities, times and dates are subject to change. Up-to-date information will be confirmed on the weekly newsletters.*

<u>DATE</u>	<u>Activity</u>
<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>Individual School Photographs Day (Garforth Academy Sibling Family Photos at 3pm by arrangement)</b>
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>Macmillan Coffee Morning 9-10.30am</b>
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>Year 6 Residential Slideshow 3.30pm</b>
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>PTA meeting – please come! Everyone welcome at 7.15pm.</b>
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October</b>	<b>National Grandparents Day Lunch (Lunch time to be confirmed next week)</b>
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Early Years reading workshop &amp; KS1 phonics workshop 6pm-7pm</b>
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Diwali Day – All Day RE, Music, Art, DT, Geography British Values</b>
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Parent drop in Coffee Morning with Mrs Hector, Mrs Carlisle and Miss Coles – 9am</b>
<b>W/C Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October – 1 Week</b>	<b>Half Term Holidays-Academy Closed</b>

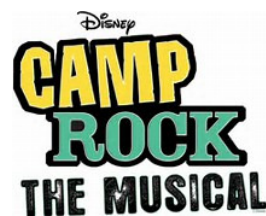
### £1 Coins

Due to the dates of our banking, we are no longer able to accept old £1 coins. If these are received we will have to return them to you.

### St Mary's Youth Theatre

SMYT rehearse at Green Lane two evenings per week and many of our pupils, past and present, attend this fantastic group. Between 23<sup>rd</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> November many of our children will be taking part in a performance of Disney's Camp Rock – The Musical. Excitement is building and we hope many of you will want to go see them in action. More information can be found here

<https://www.carriageworkstheatre.co.uk/whats-on/musical/disneys-camp-rock-the-musical/2426/#schedules>





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## Why not try ...

Barnsley museums have an exciting programme of exhibitions, events and activities on over the Autumn and into the Winter from Regency Balls, food festivals with celebrity chefs, talks and family activities – there's plenty to keep the whole family happy.

<http://www.experience-barnsley.com/content/downloads/Barnsley-Museums-Whats-On-Guide-Autumn-2017-v11-WEB-14119127.pdf>

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Main Dish</b>	<b>Mega Mozzarella &amp; Tomato Pizza</b> Served with Jacket Wedges	<b>Chunky Chicken Bite with Pasta Pack's Pasta Salad</b> Home-made Breaded Chicken with Pasta Salad	<b>Roast Pork with Bud's Mash</b>  Roast Pork with Bud's Mash & Gravy	<b>Italian Lasagne</b>  Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread Wedge	<b>Crispy Fish &amp; Chips</b>  Crispy Salmon Fillet
<b>Vegetarian</b>	<b>Pasta Pack's Veggie Bolognese</b>  Rich Tomato & Basil Sauce with Wholemeal Pasta	<b>Super Cheese &amp; Onion Quiche with Chips</b>  Cheese & Red Onion Quiche	<b>Barry's Baked Bean &amp; Cheese Bubble &amp; Squeak</b>  Baked Bean and Cheese Bubble & Squeak	<b>Sadie's Cauliflower &amp; Chickpea Korma</b>  Roasted Cauliflower & Chickpea Korma	<b>Barry's BBQ Bean Wrap</b>  BBQ Quorn and Bean Wrap with Chips
<b>Deli Bar</b>					
<b>Vegetables</b>	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Green Beans Tomato Salsa	Seasonal Cabbage Carrots	Peas Chop Chop Salad	Baked Beans Crunchy Coleslaw
<b>Desserts</b>	Silvertop's Cool Ice-Cream Pot  Fruit Salad	Raspberry Loaf Cake  Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Crispy  Fruit Salad	Silvertop's Yoghurt with Mixed Fruit Compote Fresh Fruit	Oatie Apple Crumble with Custard  Fruit Salad

Our menus run on a three-weekly cycle. For details of the other menus on offer and full allergen information please see our website.

[http://glpa.org.uk/Academy\\_Meals](http://glpa.org.uk/Academy_Meals)

Infant children receive a free piece of fruit each day as part of the government School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme. For children in years three to six we run a healthy tuck shop at morning break. Children can buy fruit and vegetables for 20p each day.



Please Note: Dinners for children in Year 3 – 6 cost £2.15 per day and can be paid by ParentPay or by cheques made payable to Green Lane Primary Academy. We always strive to improve our dinners. We welcome your comments about last week's menu. Please email [info@glpa.org.uk](mailto:info@glpa.org.uk).

Green Lane Primary Academy reserves the right to substitute menu items.