



Newsletter

29th September 2017

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

Term Time Holiday Requests

Due to the rise in parents applying for term time holidays the Delta heads in Garforth have sought advice and, from now onwards, any child who has 10 or more unauthorised absences from school within a 3 month period will be at risk from a fixed penalty notice fine through the Local Authority. Our attendance officer and school staff are on hand to offer advice and support for families who are struggling with attendance and we will always have face to face discussions with families before we get to this stage.

Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning

Thank you for all your kind for donations of cakes and contributions of money for our Macmillan coffee morning this week; we raised an amazing £219.36. Thanks also to FOGL and the school council for running it so well.

Grandparents' Day Celebration Lunch

On Monday we are celebrating Grandparents' Day with a special lunch. Thank you for your amazing response to this and we look forward to welcoming our many visitors. We will be holding another lunch in the future for those who were unable to make it to this one. In general, infant children will have lunch from 11.30am until 12.30pm and junior children will be from 12.30pm until 1.30pm. Individual times have been written on your slips and these were returned home last week. If you do not have your slip with a time, please contact the office. If you have two children then our aim is that you would have lunch with both children at the same time.

Please come to the office to sign in initially and can we ask that you arrive promptly so that the lunch runs smoothly.

Academy Site

As we are a school, please do not bring dogs on to site, even small ones in your arms. Also, we are a no smoking site and this includes vaping. Thank you for your co-operation.

Data Collection Sheets

If you have not returned your signed data sheet, please do so on Monday so that we can update our files with your correct information. Please complete the boxes at the bottom of the form as well as the contact information.

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.

DATE	Activity
Monday 2 nd October	National Grandparents' Day Lunch 11.30am – 1pm
Thursday 12 th October	Early Years reading workshop & KS1 phonics workshop 6pm-7pm
Wednesday 18 th October	Year 5 trip to Jorvik Viking Centre
Thursday 19 th October	Diwali Day – All Day RE, Music, Art, DT, Geography British Values
Friday 20 th October	Parent drop in Coffee Morning with Mrs Hector, Mrs Carlisle and Miss Coles – 9am
W/C Monday 23 rd October – 1 Week	Half Term Holidays-Academy Closed
Monday 30 th October	Return from Half Term Holidays Welcome Back!

ParentPay

An increasing number of accounts are running into debit which then uses academy resources to call to ask for money. Please can all parents place money on their account before a meal is taken and, if you have an outstanding balance, please make a payment or contact the office. Please can Year Three parents remember that your meals are now payable as the Universal Infant Free School scheme covers meals up to Year Two.

E-Safety

Remember to check your parental controls on all online devices your children use in order to keep them safe online. If you have any concerns over online safety please look at www.ceop.police.uk Their YouTube clips are very useful and interesting.



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	Grandparents' Day Celebration	Tuesday	Wednesday	Barbeque Burger Day	Friday
Main Dish	Cottage Pie Minced Beef topped with Mashed Potato	Veggie Mince & Onion Pie with Bud's Spuds Vegemince and Onion Pie Served with New Potatoes	Roast Turkey with Bud's Crispy Spuds With Carrots, Seasonal Cabbage and Gravy	Burger With chips, coleslaw or BBQ beans	Crispy Fish & Chips Crispy Fish with Chips and Baked Beans or Peas
Vegetarian	Quorn Stir Fry Quorn served with Vegetables & Noodles	Pasta Pack's Neapolitan Tomato Pasta Pasta served with Neapolitan Sauce	Quorn Roast with Bud's Crispy Spuds With Carrots, Seasonal Cabbage and Gravy	Quorn Hot Dogs Vegetable Chilli	Vegetable Curry and Chickpea Wrap With Chips and Baked Beans or Peas
Deli Bar	Baked Jacket Potatoes with a Choice of Fillings				
Vegetables	Carrots Peas	Green Beans Roasted Vegetables	Carrots Seasonal Cabbage	House Coleslaw BBQ beans	Baked Beans Peas
Desserts	Treacle Sponge with Custard Fruit Salad	Crunchy Plum Crumble with Custard Fresh Fruit	Berry Chill Fruit Salad	Brownies and ice cream Fresh Fruit	Chocolate and Mandarin Sponge with Chocolate Sauce 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)

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.

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

