

Issue No 9 - 13th January 2023

Each week, on a Friday, year group news will be shared with families on Teams or Tapestry so that you can share your child's learning with them.

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****Don't forget to check your child's Year Group Teams page regularly for the latest curriculum updates ****

Dates for your diaries

For all upcoming events and activities, please look at the school [Calendar](#) on the Goosewell website.

Friday 20/1/23 9am	2K Family Assembly Drama Hall (entry via back of Drama Hall, Furzehatt Villas)
Friday 27/1/23 9am	1T Family Assembly Drama Hall (entry via back of Drama Hall, Furzehatt Villas)
Friday 3/2/23 9am	REH Family Assembly Drama Hall (entry via back of Drama Hall, Furzehatt Villas)
Friday 10/2/23 9am	2P Family Assembly Drama Hall (entry via back of Drama Hall, Furzehatt Villas)
	Last day of term 3
13/2/23 - 17/2/23	Term Break
20/2/23	First day of term 4

Updated Term Dates 2022-23

Due to the King's Coronation in May 2023, the government has approved an additional Bank Holiday on Monday 8th May 2023. Please see the link to updated term dates below [here](#)

Jo Penk - Parent Support Advisor

The [PSA](#) section of the Goosewell Academy website has information on ideas, support and activities for families. This week, you can find information on:

- [Plymstock Chapel - Messy Church - Wednesday 18th January](#)



Celebration Assembly:

Goosewell Primary Academy's Rise to Greatness, Writing, Maths & Reading Awards

Here are this week's winners collecting their Rise to Greatness, Writing, Maths and Reading awards in each phase, with our Reading award winners able to choose a winning book from our new book vending machine. Well done to the following children for receiving their well deserved awards this week:

W/E 13/01/23	Reception	Key Stage 1	Lower Key Stage 2	Upper Key Stage 2
Maths Award	Harry S RWH <i>For his enjoyment of number and his practical application of his learning.</i>	Elliot H 2P <i>For getting stuck straight into our maths and showing his strength with numbers. Super start, well done!</i>	Charlie R 3C <i>For being resilient with his maths and contributing amazingly to whole class discussion.</i>	Georgia W 6WS <i>Georgia has persevered with division and multiplication of decimals this week; it has been great to see her smiling in maths lessons!</i>
Writing Award	Evelyn R REH <i>For applying her phonics skills with confidence when writing sentences.</i>	Zachary D 1T <i>For a fantastic retell of Dick Whittington.</i>	Rocco B 4L <i>For using a thesaurus to help him make some incredible word choices in his recent piece of writing. A future wordsmith!</i>	Olivia U-W 6T <i>Olivia is showing great enthusiasm for writing linked to our Britain at War project. She has produced a lovely emotive diary entry which included detail from our story 'Stay Where You Are and Then Leave' and additional imaginative detail of her own. She used interesting vocabulary and rhetorical questions and has also earned her pen licence this week. Well done Olivia.</i>
Reading Award	Scarlett S R <i>For enjoying books and being able to retell a story with ease.</i>	Oliver C 10C <i>For fabulous reading in his phonics sessions and for always being perfectly well behaved at all times.</i>	Jacob H 3GB <i>For making 2 years of reading progress on his STAR reader quiz in 4 months! Keep it up Jacob!</i>	Jude E 5C <i>I am so pleased that Jude has almost tripled his AR word count from Year 5. It is great to see him quizzing regularly and successfully. Keep working hard towards your next certificate Jude.</i>

This week's **Rise to Greatness Award** was awarded to:

Every Reception Stage Child

Well done to every single Reception child for showing how well they could behave when they went to the Theatre Royal this week to watch a performance of Pinocchio. They made all of their teachers and Mr Leader very proud. Well done Reception!



Sport News:

We've had a sporty week at Goosewell. The Plymouth Schools Sports Partnership have delivered 'New Age Curling' sessions in Years 4 and 5 as well as an indoor rowing session for each Year 6 class. It's great for our children to have opportunities to try out these different activities.

