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Newsletter 27th March 2020

Dear Parents,

School has been very strange this week, a skeleton staff have been in to receive any front line workers' children who cannot be looked after safely at home. I know teachers have been communicating daily with families and so far things seem to be going well. I love one photo that a parent put on our learning platform, it was their child with several screens in front of them as they worked. She was also Face Timing a class mate so they could work together—brilliant.

I have had a lovely idea from one parent—adding an extra item in the newsletter each week to wish a very happy birthday to the children who'll be celebrating at this time. We're going through a very unusual situation and children won't be able to see their friends or have a party on their special day. If you would like to email me a message (and photo if you wish) for one of our pupils, who has a birthday, I will cut and paste it in the newsletter for us all to share and celebrate.

Please keep sending me children's achievements for the newsletter for us all to celebrate. These might be learning to sew a button on, bake a cake, work out the change for the shopping, create a mega structure (e.g. Lego), conduct a science experiment, learn a new tune on their instrument, teach a sibling something new etc.

Staff will not be setting work in the same way as they are at the moment over the Easter break. However, they would like your child/ren to join in with the Easter Poetry Project—more info. on page 2.

Hoping you all keep safe and well.

Miss Atkins—a head teacher who is very proud of Goostrey School and everyone associated with it.

The school's official communication with families comes through the newsletter, website, class pages, messages through the app, email and occasionally paper letters. We do not have an official Facebook account for information.

Holiday dates are on the school website.

SENCo: mrs.freeman@goostrey.cheshire.sch.uk .

Useful information

Before school club: booking form available on school website http://www.goostrey.cheshire.sch.uk/serve_file/48433

Superkids after school club: enrolment - 0161 474 7743 / contact during club - 07746 559400

School uniform: www.myschoolstyle.com/school/goostrey

On-line payment website address www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schoolshop

Happy Birthday Harry Tunmore!

Wishing you a wonderful 10th birthday on Friday 27th March and have a great day.

Lots of love from Mum, Dad, Jack and your Year 5 friends at Goostrey School xxxx



Harry has been busy helping his dad to build a new pond so our goldfish and Koi Carp have got more space to swim around!

Useful contacts and numbers.....

If there's any other information that you feel should be added to this page, as a weekly standing item, please let me know.

www.goostreypreschool.org.uk

Telephone: 07471 756720 - available during pre-school hours only.

SUPERKIDS

If you want to enrol your child into SUPERKIDS, our after school club. then please ring the Superkids office on 0161 474 7743 or you can come to the Junior hall, between 3.30 and 6pm. This number can be used for registration details, bookings adding people to Vizilogger etc.

Superkids also have a mobile phone number you can contact to advise about your child's attendance at the club or if you are running late to collect your child.

The mobile phone number is 07746 559400

Before School Club

If you would like to enrol your child for Goostrey Before School Club, please either download a booking form from our website www.goostrey.cheshire.sch.uk or collect from the reception desk. The cost is £3.00 per session and the club operates on each school day, from 8 .00 AM to 8 55 AM. Please note no food is served at this club.

The Chair of Governors and the Head teacher meet at least once a week. If you have anything you would like them to discuss / consider please let us know. We will always respond to you.

The web address for ordering school uniform is:
www.myschoolstyle.com/school/goostrey

Class pages, on the school website have lots of up to date information for your child's class. Please keep looking at these as they are updated every week for you. Thank you

Compliments and Comments and Suggestions. Name:.....

Please use this slip if you wish to give school general feedback about any aspect of school life. It is not essential to provide your name but will be necessary if you want a response. Please return to Mrs Williams/Mrs Carroll or the class teacher.

Alternatively you are always welcome to e mail staff or pop in to see them—school operates an open door policy.