



Date	Activity	Date	Activity
3 March	FoGS Spring Cake Sale	4 April	Reception/KS1 Easter Movie night – 3.30-5.30pm
6-12 March	Assessment week – avoid time off this week	5 April	KS2 Easter Movie night – 3.30-5.30pm
6 & 7 March	Parents Evening	7 April	Celebrating Differences day
20-31 March	The Big Pedal	7 April	End of Term 4
23 March	Y4 Class Assembly – 2.55pm start	24 April	Term 5 Begins
24 March	Red Nose Day	W/b 8 May	Y6 SATS week – no time off during this week
30 March	Y1B Class Assembly – 2.55pm start		
30 March	Music Evening – 6.30pm start		

Year 6 – Visit

On Friday last week Year 6 visited the International Centre for Birds of Prey in Newent. They had an absolutely fabulous day learning about many different birds of prey with a special talk and tour focusing on our owl groups. They also watched a spectacular birds in flight demonstration which included a falcon, buzzard, owl and eagle.



World Book Day

Thank you to all the children who dressed up for World Book Day yesterday, it was great seeing them all in the assembly parade. We hope this day will encourage and reinforce the importance and joy of reading. More pictures will follow on the website in due course.



Music Evening – Thursday 30 March

Just a reminder that our music evening will take place on Thursday 30 March at 6.30pm. If your child takes lessons outside school and would like to take part, please send an email to school before Friday 10 March advising the piece they would like to play.

Accelerated Reader

As you may have read in your letter yesterday a collection of children have started on phase 1 of the Accelerated Reader program. The buzz for reading has been infectious and we are keen to roll out phase 2 with more children soon. In order to do this, we need to finish labelling the rest of the books in school, we are very grateful to the parents who have offered so far but we would be grateful for more, even if you can only spare 30 minutes at the beginning or end of the day. We are also grateful to the books that have been donated so far and they have all been scanned in and have started to be enjoyed by the children. The school is also purchasing new books and we are very excited to soon take delivery of £1000 of books that will expand the choice to children. More exciting information to follow soon.

Red Nose Day – 24 March 2017



We will again be supporting Red Nose Day on Friday 24 March. Please see the poster below outlining the activities that will be organised by our Owl Council.

Celebrating Differences Day – 7 April 2017

On 7 April we would like to raise awareness of autism and support World Autism Week which is the week before. We are kindly asking for children to come to school dressed in blue “Light it up blue for Autism” and we would like to ask parents for a donation towards the charity Autism speaks. There will be an assembly in the morning introducing what the day will be about and each class will base their day on helping children understand people’s different reactions to situations. There will also be some blue art creations of children’s faces for a display. Thank you for your support.

Performances at the Everyman Theatre

We spotted that there is a theatre production of the ‘Room on the Broom’ from 28-29 June at the Everyman Theatre. There is also a production of ‘The Gruffalo’ from 19-23 July. If you are interested please visit the Everyman Theatre on www.everymantheatre.org.uk or phone the box office on 01242 572573.

As you can see, the brickwork on the new building is getting higher by the day and work is still continuing on the staff carpark.

Have a good weekend.
Mrs Lewis/Mrs Freeman

Well done to the last weeks Super Achievers who have each earned a certificate and 10 Owl Merits for their Owl Group

Reception	Freddie, Brooklyn, Joe and Elowen
Year 1	Chloe, Lily, Isabelle and Jake
Year 2	Emmie and Spencer
Year 3	Leo I and Ollie
Year 4	Jack and Charlie D-W
Year 5	Evie S and Imogen
Year 6	Out on a trip



24 March 2017

Grangefield School are raising money for children in the UK and Africa.

We have lots of activities for you to join in with so that we can raise as much money as possible:

- **Wear RED for £1** - please come to school wearing red, the redder you are, the better.
- **Break time**
- **Dance off, donations** - we are having a dance off at break time, bring your donations and see if you can pull shapes better than your friends.
- There will be a KS1 and KS2 dance off
- **Lunch time**
- **Wacky races, 50p** - Do something funny for money - we will be running some wacky races (weather permitting) so bring your donations and join in the fun.
- **After school**
- **Cake sale** - We will be having a cake sale on the AstroTurf after school.

Please support our Red Nose Day activities.

Thank you.