



The Glebe Gazette

Friday 23rd September 2016

Thank you to all parents who have worked with us at the start of the term as we move over to **Parent Mail**. If you are still having issues registering please contact us and we will be happy to support you with the process. We hope that this will improve communication with all parents as you will be able to receive letters and information, make payments, access the school diary, book parents evening slots, authorise trips and report a child's absence via the APP as we continue to set it up this half term. Currently nearly 80% of parents have signed up to the new APP with feedback from parents extremely positive.

Key Dates for this term:

September 16	
30	Macmillan Coffee Morning/Parent session 8:30am – 10am
October 16	
4	Trip: Y5 to National Space Centre
5	Y6 and Y1 Parent Meeting: 4-5pm
6	Roald Dahl Dress up Day Y2 Parent Meeting: 4-5pm
10	Individual photos
11	Individual photos Y3 & Y5 Parent Meeting: 4-5pm
12	FS1 & FS2 Parent Meeting: 4-5pm
13	Trip: Y3 to Kandy Factory Y4 Parent Meeting: 4-5pm
20	Trip: Y6 to Manchester Imperial War Museum
21	School Closes at 2:45pm for half term
November 16	
1	School Opens – TUESDAY 1 ST
8	Parent Conferences: 3-5:30pm
15	Parent Conferences: 3-7pm
18	Y2 Class Assembly – 8:45am
29	Super Hero Day (Dress Up)
December 16	
6	Parent Session – 1:30pm – 2:30pm
7	Trip: FS1/FS2 Churnet Valley
8	Christmas Lunch
9	Y6 Class Assembly – 8:45am
14	Key Stage 1 Concert – 2pm & 6pm
15	Christmas Buffet
16	School Closes for Christmas at 2:45pm
January 2017	
4	School Opens – WEDNESDAY 4TH
5	Pantomime for Y1-Y6

Parent Information Meeting

Parent Meetings for each year group will take place this term for each year group. These will be led by the classteachers who will share an overview of topics, the types of work, methods, skills and end of year expectations for the year group and also give you ideas of how you can support your child's learning at home.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Commando Joes

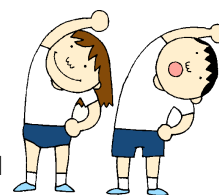
Some of you may have seen Commando Joe in and around school on Wednesday's.

Commando Joes is an elite team of military who use their extensive experience to help build character and confidence in schools across the UK.

Funded by the Department for Education, they aim to work with schools to develop courage, co-operation, resilience, resourcefulness in pupils. Teaching children about strength of character, positivity under pressure, and resilience. For us this is based around developing team-building, linked to the National Curriculum, with challenges and obstacles to overcome. Commando Joes are also running an after school club with fun team activities which the pupils are already loving!

P.E Kit

A reminder to all parents to ensure that pupils have a full P.E kit in school. Please ensure your child's P.E kit is in school **all week** and that it is clearly labelled and placed in a named P.E bag.



Pupils are expected to wear black shorts/joggers and a white plain T-shirt for P.E and black pumps/trainers.

For cooler weather a black jogging top can be also be worn

Are you following us?

Our twitter account is another way of informing you about events happening in school and will enable us to share some of the many fun activities we do in school. Make sure you are following us on:

GlebeAcademy@GlebeAcademy

