

Message from The Head Teacher

Our children have been busy creating poems to mark Refugee Week.

These are exceptionally thoughtful and demonstrate our pupils' genuine commitment to the British Values of Mutual Respect and Tolerance. We will be compiling these in aid of Care4Calais. UNCRC Article 22: Refugee children must be provided with appropriate assistance.



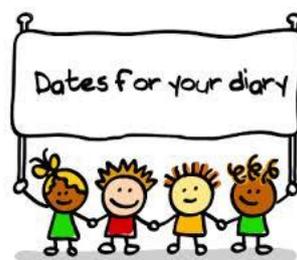
The winners of our London History Day competition to recreate one of the capital's landmarks had a fantastic time on their river cruise this week. UNCRC Article 31: Every child has the right to take part in cultural activities.

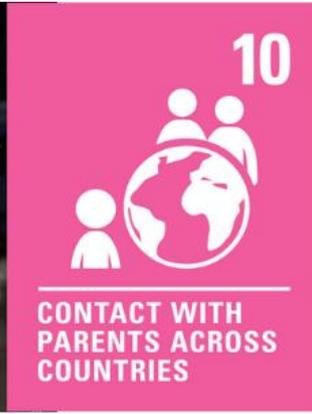
Well done to our Environment Club who hosted a plant sale of vegetables they had harvested and plants they had grown from seeds. They raised an impressive £40.50! UNCRC Article 29: Education must develop children's talents.



Diary Dates

Monday 4th July – am Year 5 Sports Day
 Monday 4th July – pm Year 3 Sports Day
 Tuesday 5th July – am Year 6 Sports Day
 Tuesday 5th July – am Year 4 Sports Day
 Tuesday 12th July – Year 6 Performance
 Wednesday 13th July – Year 6 Performance
 Friday 15th July – Y6 Southend trip
 Wednesday 20th July – Last Day of Academic Year





Refugee Week begins on June 20th to honour the bravery and strength of refugees forced to flee their home countries due to war or persecution. Refugee Week is an opportunity to show empathy and understanding for their plight while also learning more about it.

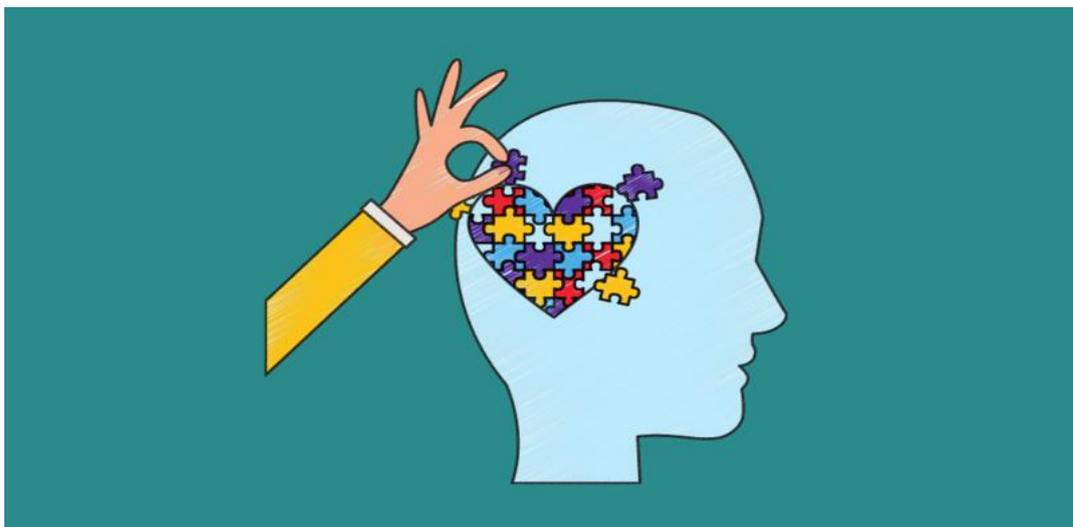
This year's Refugee Week theme is 'healing.' How can we assist in making refugees feel better? What can we do to find out more? Can we aid others to learn more about their plight?

What will you do? Will you write a poem about refugees? Read a story? Watch a film with your family?

I can only control my own performance. If I do my best, then I can feel good at the end of the day.

Michael Phelps

MENTAL HEALTH FOUNDATION - <https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/publications/looking-after-your-mental-health-during-coronavirus-outbreak>



UNCRC Article 24: Children have the right to the best possible health.

(Please Note: we are not endorsing any particular site nor are we ambassadors for it - but we are merely providing pointers towards sites that might be interesting/helpful).

Pink Bin Project Collection

Please see below details of this half term's Pink Bin collection.
Thank you in advance for your generosity.

PINK BIN PROJECT



X THE MAGPIE PROJECT

DONATIONS

DONATIONS FROM THE LIST BELOW
WILL BE GIVEN TO
'THE MAGPIE PROJECT'.

THEY PROVIDE A SAFE AND FUN
PLACE FOR MUMS AND UNDER-FIVES
SUFFERING IN TEMPORARY OR
INSECURE ACCOMMODATION, WHILST
ALSO PROVIDING ESSENTIALS.

FIND OUR PINK BINS

PLEASE PUT ANY DONATIONS IN OUR
PINK BINS AT:

GODWIN JUNIOR SCHOOL
CRANMER ROAD
(MON - FRI, 8:30AM-4:30PM)

ST. MARK'S CHURCH
LORNE ROAD
(SAT - SUN, 9:00AM - 6:00PM)

- NAPPIES (ESPECIALLY SIZES 6 AND 7)
- TOOTHPASTE
- SOAP
- SHOWER GEL
- SANITARY PRODUCTS
- OTHER NEW TOILETRIES
- LADIES SOCKS
- AS NEW CLOTHES FOR CHILDREN UNDER 6

Please donate by Sunday 1st July.

BROUGHT TO YOU BY

**St.
Mark's**
Forest Gate



Lining Up Cup

This week's winners are:
4M, 5J & 6W
Congratulations to these classes!



Attendance

Our average attendance since the beginning of the school year is:
94.9%.

Please help us to continue to work towards achieving our target attendance of 97% by ensuring that your child attends school regularly.



School success starts
with attendance

Beckton Bike Party!

As you may or may not be aware, Cycle Confident and Newham Council have been running cycle skills training, led rides and their ever-popular Dr. Bike Service from the Will Thorne Pavilion in Beckton Park for the Beckton Bike Zone project. To celebrate everything that they have achieved, they are having a FREE party on Saturday 25th of June from 11am-5pm and would love it if the children from our school could make it!

Expect all sorts of bike-based fun from skills training to snake rides and bike limbo! All ages and abilities welcome.

**WE ARE HELPING
YOU TO CYCLE MORE.**

WE ARE NEWHAM.

Newham London



BECKTON BIKEZONE IS HAVING A PARTY!

Come along on **Saturday 25th June from 12 pm - 5 pm** for an exciting **FREE** day of cycle skills games and training to celebrate Beckton Bikezone's summer of cycling fun.

ALL AGES AND ABILITIES WELCOME!

* **FUN & GAMES!** * **SKILLS ZONE** * **LEARN TO RIDE** * **DR BIKE** (10am-5pm)

Beckton Bikezone is located next to the Will Thorne Pavillion, Stansfeld Rd, E6 5LT

For more information on times and events visit: www.cycleconfident.co.uk/newham



HM Government

This project is funded by the UK Government through the UK Community Renewal Fund

BUILDING A
FAIRER
NEWHAM

Today's Achievement Awards

3D – Maheen for persevering and collaborating well during the football matches.

3K – Saoirse for being a great role model to the class.

3Q – Deniz for persevering in maths. Keep it up.

3M – Ayaan for striving to show exceptional effort and perseverance.

4K – Sara for working hard to write some amazing poems this week collaboratively as well as individually.

4I – Tayrino for being a curious learner and asking questions to learn more.

4M – Nobaira for working well with others in the class and being a collaborative learner

4V – Uworth for persevering to complete his writing assessment.

5J – Zeenat for choosing to work at school and at home in order to produce a poem she can be proud of.

5M – Rudi for considering his choices and producing some fantastic poems this week.

5T – Susi for using poetic devices to create a descriptive poem.

5Y – Esme for the perseverance she demonstrated when writing her poem.

6C – Haroon for perseverance in all areas of the curriculum.

6Z – Arsalan for showing curiosity for learning.

6W – Eesa for persevering to develop his tennis skills.

6B – Jordan for persevering during algebra.



UNCRC Article 29: Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full.

Have Your Say

It's now time for you to have your say on which projects will benefit your local community

We have had lots of exciting ideas for how to spend £100K to improve your neighbourhood. Now you have the chance to decide which projects are taken forward. Join us at your local Community Assembly to hear what ideas your neighbours and community groups have put forward. Find out how to vote for the projects that you think will benefit your local area. For more information and help to register, please contact your local neighbourhood team.

Register now to join your local assembly in-person or online.

You can join your next local assembly online via Zoom or in person. Anyone who lives, works or learns in the neighbourhood can attend. There will be a British Sign Language Interpreter (BSL) available at each event.

Forest Gate & Maryland Community Assembly

Thursday 14 July, 6-7.30pm

The Learning Zone

[Click here to join online](#)

[Click here to join in person](#)



Refugee Week – Calling all aspiring architects and engineers

Our School Council would like to invite students to design a home that would meet the needs of a refugee in the United Kingdom for Refugee Week next week. Competition entries should be submitted to class teachers by Wednesday, June 29th. The best project from each year group will be awarded a prize. Children can make a model, a detailed drawing, or present their ideas in a unique way. The School Council is excited to see what children come up with...calling all aspiring architects and engineers!

To commemorate the week, children will write class poems on the theme of 'Healing' at school. We would be delighted to include poems written at home, as well as the class poems, in a collection that we compiled last year. These should be submitted to class teachers by Friday June 24th. We intend to print and sell these in a book to raise funds for the refugee charity, Care4Calais.



Refugee Week



**PLEASE PUT
DONATIONS
HERE**

**DRIED
PASTA**

RICE

**BREAKFAST
CEREAL**

**WASHING
UP
LIQUID
(SMALL)**

**WASHING
DETERGENT
(BLOCKS)**

BISCUITS

**LOGLIFE
MILK**

TEA

JAM

COFFEE

SUGAR

SQUASH

**Please ensure everything is in
date.**

Article 24: You have the right to clean water, healthy food, a clean environment and good healthcare

Article 22: If you are a refugee, you have the same rights as any other child in the country.

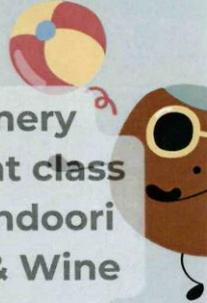
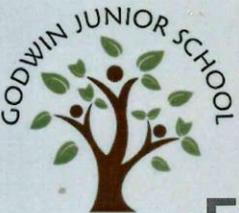
Article 6: You have the right to life, to grow up and reach your full potential.

2 ZERO
HUNGER



Forest Gate Festival

There are only 8 days left 'til the Forest Gate Festival. The Godwin Junior School PTA really needs your help!!! Are you a crafter, knitter, maker or grower and would like to donate items that can be sold at our stall? All proceeds raised will go to the school. Do you have an hour to spare on 2nd July to help run the stall? It will be a fabulous opportunity to meet our neighbours and fellow Forest Gaters! It's a fun-filled afternoon not to be missed! Please get in touch at info@godwin.newham.sch.uk



FOREST GATE FESTIVAL

GODWIN JUNIOR SCHOOL

PTA STALL

Saturday 2nd July 2022 | 11:00-18:00
Osbourne Road

Arts, crafts, plants & much more

Raffle prizes to be won

MBOX class of your choice | The Reformery reformer pilates class | The Reformery mat class | Old Slate Yard gift voucher | Aromas Tandoori restaurant gift voucher | Giovanni's Deli & Wine gift voucher | East London School of Dance ballet taster lesson & shoes | Bottle of wine from Tracks E7 | Green & Lush indoor plant | Roald Dahl collection of books | Galaxy tablet | And much more!

Come along & say hello!
Help raise money for the school

godwin.newham.sch.uk | @godwinschool



Forest Gate Community Garden

Huge thank you to EVERYONE who made it along or supported this year's Forest Gate Gardens Trail. The weekend was an amazing testament to the passion and dedication of local residents and a great celebration of the power of greening in nurturing community. We continue to work hard to keep ALL our events and activities FREE, although donations are welcome. Any donations will go directly to supporting the ongoing activities of the Community Garden.



Upcoming Events....

Rediscovering John Fothergill

Talk @Forest Gate Community Garden
Thursday 30th June (6:30pm)

Join local writer and artist Sonya Patel Ellis in the Forest Gate Community Garden for a nature-inspired insight into pioneering physician, botanist, and philanthropist Dr John Fothergill, who in 1972 established an esteemed botanic garden in the grounds of Ham House estate. Now known as West Ham Park, Fothergill's legacy is finally being more roundly celebrated with a dedicated heritage and plant trail through the ornamental gardens, tree trails around the park, and wildflower meadows established in 2015. In the same year Sonya first celebrated Fothergill's legacy via her botanically-inspired installation Hortus Uptonensis taking up residence in the bandstand for most of that summer (part of Forest Gate's inaugural Arts Trail).

Botanical Drawing Course

@West Ham Park
Ongoing Wednesdays

Learn Draw Grow is a Green Heritage project inspired by the plant collection of Dr John Fothergill (1712 -1780) at the Ornamental Garden in West Ham Park in 1762. The project explores the rich history of the plants found in the Ornamental Garden through a public arts and gardening programme. This drawing course is inspired by celebrated botanical illustrators of the 18th century such as Ann Lee George Dionysis Ehret and Johann Sebastian Muller, who made detailed drawings from Fothergill's collection of plants. We will be working from direct observation, using a range of colourful materials to represent the inspirational plants and flowers that we discover in the garden.

GREEN SHOOTS (Sundays @11am)

Our team of volunteers has been out and about tidying and planting the public beds. Making Forest Gate greener and cleaner for ALL. Would you like to see more greening projects locally? Have some ideas? Let us know or come and get your hands dirty helping water and maintain some of our local planters. We are always happy to have extra pairs of hands!

Chessfest – Sunday 17th July 2022

CHESSFEST

FRIENDS · FAMILY · FUN



ChessFest is a fun-filled outdoor event, entirely free, open to all. Starting from 11am and running till 6pm on Sunday the 17th of July. At Trafalgar Square you can look forward to:

- Hundreds of chess boards for casual chess.
- Twelve giant chess sets to play on against other ChessFesters. You will also be able to test your chess and athletic skills in speed games on these sets.
- A giant human chess match, 32 professional actors resplendent in costume take on the role of the chess pieces and re-enact famous games from chess history.
- Multiple simultaneous displays from some of the UK's top chess players, be warned, they take no prisoners!
- Free chess lessons for children led by our *Chess in Schools* tutors.
- Meet Fun Master Mike of Chesskid.com as he presents his *Puzzle Rush Challenge* and bring your children to the ChessKid tent.
- Chess Lectures celebrating the 50th anniversary of the 1972 World Chess Championship match between Bobby Fischer and Boris Spassky and the 25th anniversary of Garry Kasparov's match against IBM's Deep Blue.
- Are you smarter than a 7 year old? Meet the UK's brightest chess prospects, Bodhana and Kushal, fresh from their gold medal triumphs at the recent European Junior Chess Championships.

Whatever age, whatever chess ability, this is a great event for all.

For further details about ChessFest please visit <https://www.chess-fest.com/>





School Holiday

Bank Holiday

Pupil Day

INSET Day



Godwin Junior School 2022-23

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22 staff days

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22 staff pupils

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19 staff days

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15 staff days

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23 staff days

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10 staff days

MAY 2023						
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19 pupil days
19 staff days

JUNE 2023						
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20 staff pupils

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14 staff days

AUGUST 2023						
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