



Greasyby Junior School

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Care, Courtesy and Consideration

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Merit of the Week



Year 3: Oliver G & Sophie S
Year 4: Thea W & Nova B
Year 5: Dudley S & Niamh W
Year 6: Bella B & Oscar B

Attendance

Year 3: 97.3%
Year 4: 95.7%
Year 5: 94.8%
Year 6: 95.9%
Whole School: 96%



Values Awards

Year 3: Sophie S & Rose T
Year 4: Bobby G
Year 5: Temi-Rose B
Year 6: Rosie R



Golden Table Awards

Year 3: James L
Year 4: Amelia J
Year 5: Freya P
Year 6: Oliver S



What's on at school next week? (see club timetable for clubs)

(Week beginning 23rd March) Year 5 Careers Week

Monday: Usual Monday clubs
Y4, 5 and 6 walk to church for Easter Service (**Y5 parents welcome to watch**)
Easter bonnets/ears can be worn
Cross Country after school

Thursday: Usual Thursday clubs
Y5 Bikeability
School Disco (3:45pm – 5:15pm)

Tuesday: Usual Tuesday clubs

Friday: Usual Friday clubs
Y5 Bikeability
Egg decorating entries
Egg rolling competition
Winning house own clothes day - SHAW

Wednesday: Usual Wednesday clubs
Y5 Bikeability
Golden Table (12:00pm)
Girl's Football Tournament (1:00pm)



In the classrooms this week:

- Year 3 and 4 had a wonderful time at the Royal Philharmonic Hall this week. They visited on Thursday afternoon and enjoyed a wonderful afternoon of live music and singing. The children were beautifully behaved and represented Greasby Junior School brilliantly. Thank you so much to the volunteers to coming along and supporting us.
- Year 5 have been working so hard on their final preparations for their Easter Service coming up on Monday afternoon. The singing coming from the hall has been a delight to listen to – we can't wait for Year 5 parents to enjoy the service with us on Monday (23rd March).
- Our Year 6 Football team enjoyed great success this week in a competition at Liverpool FC's training ground. The Year 6 Tag Rugby group also excelled in their recent event at Birkenhead Rugby Club. See Dojo for more information about how we got on! In the classroom, the children have come up with some very creative designs as part of their DT project 'Digital World'. Well done everyone!

Easter Service/Early Collection on Monday

A reminder that Year 4, 5 and 6 will be attending Greasby Methodist Church on the afternoon of Monday 23rd March in order for Year 5 to perform their Easter Service, with Years 4 and 6 supporting with singing. **Year 5 parents only** are invited to attend the event due to limited capacity in the church. **Doors will open at 1:40** in time for a 2pm start. A Google form has been shared with you to clarify which pupils will be collected at 3pm from the church (this is relevant for Year 4, 5 and 6 pupils) and which pupils will be walking back to school with staff.

Children will be asked to leave all bags and belongings here at school on Monday as there is nowhere in church to store them. Please bear this in mind on Monday and only bring to school items which are absolutely necessary such as homework books, water bottles etc. especially if pupils are being collected from the church at 3pm rather than back at school. If children would prefer to bring their lunch in a carrier bag on Monday so that it can be disposed of here and not leave lunchboxes here overnight, they are welcome to do this for Monday only.

Menu change after Easter

After the Easter break, our kitchen team will be using the following new menus. These will be in place from **Monday 13th April**.

MENU WEEK 1		SERVED W/C:			2nd Mar, 23rd Mar, 13th Apr, 4th May, 15th June, 6th July		Hutchison	
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Main Meal	OPTION 1	Margherita pizza & oven baked wedges	Mixed bean bolognese with penne pasta	Vegetable sausages with roast potatoes & gravy	Pea-powered vegetable stir fry with carrot rice	Vegetable nuggets, chips & tomato ketchup		
	OPTION 2	Pepperoni pizza & oven baked wedges	Beef & lentil bolognese with penne pasta	Roast gammon with roast potatoes & gravy	Creamy coconut chicken & chickpea curry with carrot rice	Fish fingers, chips & tomato ketchup		
Veggies		Broccoli	Carrots & peas	Carrot & cabbage	Broccoli & Cauliflower	Baked Beans		
Sandwiches		Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Cheese Tuna mayo		
Panini		Cheese	Ham Cheese	Cheese	Ham Cheese	Cheese		
Sweet Treats		Lemon shortbread biscuit	Chocolate & banana brownie sponge	Apple Strudel & Custard	Baked apple & cinnamon sponge	Chocolate Shortbread		
Available Every Day – Crunchy colourful Salad Bar & Jacket Potatoes with Cheese, Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise & Cheese & Beans								
KEY Wholegrain 🌾 Vegetarian 🌱 Nutritionist's Choice 🌈 Vegan 🍃								



MENU WEEK 2		SERVED W/C:			9th Mar, 20th Apr, 11th May, 1st June, 22nd June, 13th July		Hutchison	
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Main Meal	OPTION 1	Margherita pizza & oven baked wedges	Pea-powered vegetable pie & new potatoes	Cheesy cauliflower pasta bake	Veggie all day breakfast	Quorn dippers, chips & tomato ketchup		
	OPTION 2	Tomato, spinach & salmon pasta	Chicken & vegetable pie with new potatoes	Roast turkey breast, roast potatoes & gravy	All day breakfast, with pork sausages (beef casings)	Fish & chips with tomato ketchup		
Veggies		Broccoli	Peas	Carrots & cauliflower	Baked beans	Peas		
Sandwiches		Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham Cheese Tuna mayo	Cheese Tuna mayo		
Panini		Cheese	Ham Cheese	Cheese	Ham Cheese	Cheese		
Sweet Treats		Traditional Flapjack	Oaty apple crumble & custard	Chocolate Mousse	Carrot cake with orange glaze	Chocolate fruit crispie cake		

Available Every Day - Crunchy colourful salad Bar & Jacket Potatoes with Cheese, Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise & Cheese & Beans

KEY: Wholegrain, Vegetarian, Nutritionist's Choice, Vegan

Next week's menu (current menu week 1)

MENU WEEK 1		SERVED W/C:			THE FOOD EXPLORERS		Hutchison	
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
MAIN MEAL	OPTION 1	Cheese & Bean Lasagne	Margherita Pizza & Wedges	Lentil & Stuffing Pastry Roll	Bolognese with Penne Pasta	Vegetable Nuggets & Chips		
	OPTION 2	Ham & Cheese Pasta	Traditional Creamy Beef Lasagne	Roast Gammon & Gravy	Sweet & Sour Chicken with Rice	MSC Approved Fish Fingers & Chips		
VEGGIES		Carrots & Peas	Broccoli	Roasted Potatoes Carrots & Parsnips	Peas	Beans		
FILLED ROLLS		Ham Cheese	Chicken Egg	Ham Cheese	Tuna Mayo Ham Cheese	Egg Cheese		

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY Our crunchy colourful salad & jacket potatoes with cheese, beans, tuna mayo or cheese and beans

SWEET TREATS: Blueberry Cookie Bar, Chocolate & Banana Brownie, Strawberry Yoghurt & Strawberry Sauce, Apple & Cocoa Sponge, Raspberry Jelly

Desserts available every day - a choice of jelly, fruit or yoghurt

KEY: Nutritionist's Choice, Vegetarian, Vegan, Added Wholewheat

A Friendly Reminder to Our School Community

Please support us in keeping our school grounds and surrounding area safe for our children by parking safely and carefully on the road (not staff car park). We understand that Mill Lane can get extremely busy at drop off and collection times, but we urge parents to avoid double parking or stopping cars in any way that make it difficult for other cars to pass, or for pupils and their families to cross the road. Thank you for considering the needs of others and helping to keep our school site safe.





GJS EXTRA-CURRICULAR TIMETABLE – SPRING 2

Yellow = Get a first lunch.

MONDAY

Club	Where?	When?	Who?
Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Cullum
Y3/4 Dance Club	Hall	12pm	Florrie, Libby & Pippa
Middle Recorders	6P	12.30pm	Miss Price
Y5/6 Writing Club	Art Room	12.30pm	Bonnie & Pearl

TUESDAY

Club	Where?	When?	Who?
Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Cullum
Craft Club	4JR	12.30pm	Mrs Wetherall
Y5/6 Tag Rugby	Upper Playground	12.30pm	Mr Owen

WEDNESDAY

Club	Where?	When?	Who?
Y5/6 Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Cullum
Choir	Hall	12.30pm	Miss Brown/Miss Price

THURSDAY

Club	Where?	When?	Who?
Y3/4 Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Cullum
Drawing and Colouring	3MC	12.30pm	Mrs McIlveen
Y3/4 Judo	Hall	12.20pm	Chris
Time Out Thursday	Miss Walker's Room	12.30pm	Miss Reddington
Cross-Country	Field	12.30pm	Mr Owen
Chess	Upper ICT	3.35pm	Mr Battersby

FRIDAY

Club	Where?	When?	Who?
Film Friday	Miss Walker's Room	12.30pm	Mrs Swift
School Council	4JR	12.30pm	Miss Roberts
Y6 Netball	Playground	12.30pm	Mrs Allport
Choir	Hall	12.30pm	Miss Brown/Miss Price

Community events



Give your young ones a confidence boost and a fun packed week they will never forget at The Floral Pavilion Theatre this Easter. The Stage-ed West End Easter Holiday Performing Arts Club is back! Open for ages 5 to 21 in Junior and Senior age groups, they will work on the likes of Annie, Hamilton, The Greatest Showman, Oliver and Zootopia amongst others!

We are at the Floral Pavilion Theatre from Monday 30th March – Friday 3rd April, a second different week from 6th April – 10th April and then a further 4 different weeks from 27th July to 21st August 2026.

For more information head to our website <https://stage-edholidayschools.com/> or email us at admin@stage-ed.com

 A promotional leaflet for Hall Star Holiday Clubs. The top section features the 'HALL STAR' logo and the text 'HOLIDAY CLUBS'. Below this, it states: 'Hall Star is delighted to be working alongside Edsential this Easter to deliver an action-packed week of fun.' A list of activities includes 'CARTO STACKS', 'NEW WARS', 'STAR', 'Easter Egg Hunt', and 'LASER TAG'. A list of sports includes 'Dodgeball, Archery, Football, Benchball, Dance, Yoga, Gymnastics, Parachute Games, Hockey, Basketball & much more...'. The leaflet provides the location 'Black Horse Hill Junior School, West Kirby, CH48 6DR', dates 'Mon 30th Mar - Thurs 2nd Apr 9.00am - 3.00pm', and age group 'Children Aged 5-11'. It also lists the price '£28' and 'Includes Hot Lunch'. There are two QR codes: one for booking with a smartphone and another for free school meals. A discount section at the bottom offers '10% OFF Sibling Discount + 10% OFF Whole Week Discount = 20% OFF When Both Are Applied'. The footer includes the website 'hallstareducation.co.uk', social media handles, and an email address 'holidays@hallstareducation.co.uk'.

Parents of a child receiving Free School Meals can access a very limited number of FREE places available at Hall Star Easter holiday club at Black Horse Hill Junior School.

They even provide your child with a FREE healthy lunch, drink and snack!

Booking can be made through EEQU and the link is available via the attached leaflet.





REE Easter Holiday Camp – RISE Wirral CIC

We're pleased to share a FREE Easter Holiday Activities & Food (HAF) programme for local children.

Dates: 6th – 9th April

Locations:

New Brighton Rugby Club, Leasowe CH46 3RH

Courtney Park Community Centre, Rock Ferry, CH42 1QS

Who can attend: School Years 2–11

Years 2–7: 10:00am – 2:00pm (both venues)

Each session includes:

- Sports & physical activities
- Fun games & group activities
- A meal provided

Spaces are limited and must be booked in advance using this link: <https://forms.gle/sQzf4J2mxzDjz9YA9>

IT IS FREE FOR ALL CHILDREN

Love Music Trust

We are excited to announce the Love Music Trust Vocal Day on Saturday 25th April. This year, in order to allow more young singers to attend, the event will take place across 2 locations - namely Sandbach School, Cheshire East and West Kirby Grammar School, Wirral.

Both courses will run on Saturday 25th April 9am - 5pm and finish with a celebration concert from 4pm for friends and family. The Vocal Days are open to all students, from Year 3 - 7 in full time education, across the borough who love to sing and want to learn more about stagecraft, vocal technique and solo / ensemble singing. The course will consist of a variety of workshops for all attending, plus age appropriate classes. A vibrant mix of warm-ups, games and songs will be explored over the fun packed day.

The cost for the day is just £25 per participant and the link for more information and sign-up is as follows; <http://www.lovemusictrust.com/vocal-day>

The closing date to sign up for our Vocal Day is Friday 17th April 2026.





Easter Camp at Oxton St Saviours 30th, 31st March, 1st April Mon-Wed

Age 4-11 years are invited to Shadow's Easter camp, for a fun packed course of Dance, Sports, Games, Arts & Crafts, and Outdoor play! Our provision is 8 am- 3.30pm

When?-

Mon- Wed 30th,
31st March, 1st April

Where

Oxton St Saviours C of E Aided
Primary School
Holme Lane
Prenton
CH43 2HT
Just £25 per day!

What to bring?

- Comfortable clothes for physical activity
- Spare outdoor trainers
- Coat
- Lunch, snack and water bottle
- A smile and lots of energy!!

Thank you for your continued support. Wishing everyone an enjoyable and relaxing weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Lucy Swift, Acting Headteacher

INSET Days

Monday 1st September
Friday 24th October
Monday 5th January
Friday 13th February
Monday 20th July