



GLEBE

GLEBE PARENT NEWSLETTER



I hope you have all had a good week.

Summer Fete – a plea from Friends of Glebe!

FoG are in desperate need of volunteers for this year's summer fete.

All we need is 1 hour of your time to help run a stall such as the bar, sweet shop, hook a duck etc.! Instructions will be given and there will be roaming helpers on the day to assist with any issues.

Please, please help if you can!

You can either volunteer on:

www.pta-events.co.uk/glebeprimaryickenham

or via

<https://forms.office.com/e/psXiDgtXG2>

Thank you so much!

Friends of Glebe x



Staff Parking

I know I have asked this before and thank you to those of you who stepped forward to offer assistance. We are at maximum capacity for what we can offer in terms of parking in our car park.

If you can offer a place on your driveway if you live in one of the surrounding roads. We will allocate staff who work the shortest hours so we are not encroaching on your drive for longer than necessary.

Any offers gratefully received.

Weekly Attendance

2G	100%
3V	100%
4JL	100%
1A	99.3%
2F	99%
RW	98.8%
1S	97.7%
4J	97.6%
1C	97.3%
3ME	97%
6C	96.9%
5I	96.2%
RP	95.3%
5G	95%
4R	94.8%
5V	94.6%
3A	93.7%
6L	92.8%
6K	92.8%
4J	92.2%
RB	88.8%

Whole School

96.4%

FRIDAY 23RD JUNE 2023





HIGHLIGHTS

Access All Arts Week

This week, the children have taken part in Access All Arts week; a nation wide celebration in collaboration with Sky.

The theme this year is 'identity' and pupils have been encouraged to use the arts to explore their own individuality and what makes each one of us unique.

Each year group has explored a variety of arts, including: 2D and 3D mark making, photography and videography, drama, music, storytelling and poetry.

We have seen a fantastic range of activities across the school and it has been brilliant to see how enthusiastic the children have been and how proud they are of their creations this week.

Many of their creations will feature in the year group highlights.

Thank you to Mrs Jayasekera for organising the week and to the staff for planning such fun activities.

A photograph of two children in a grassy field. One child is wearing a magnifying glass over their eye, and the other is holding a small flower. The image is partially obscured by a dark blue banner at the bottom.

HIGHLIGHTS

KS1, LKS2 & UKS2 Sports Days

It has been so lovely to see so many of you coming to cheer your children on during our sports days this week.

I was delighted to see how much the children enjoyed the sessions and particularly how those children who fell just got up - didn't even dust themselves off - before continuing with the races. That is a real reflection of the resilience and determination your children are developing at Glebe.

We had to reschedule our EYFS sports day due to the weather forecast on Tuesday morning. It is a logistical challenge as we had to re-engage with the parking team at Hillingdon to suspend the parking restrictions for an additional day as well as check availability of the local secondary schools and PSD who run the sessions so brilliantly before setting a new date.

I am delighted to say that we will be going ahead with EYFS sports day (from 9.30 - 11.30am on **Monday 26th June**).

SPORTS NEWS

Team B and C Tournament

Recently, Mr Young and Mr Dwyer took 2 teams to the B and C Team tournament at Goals. Thankfully, the 2 teams were drawn in different groups so avoided playing one another.

The competition was tough and both teams had some tough sides in their respective groups. It was great to see the boys listening to the advice that we had given them and implementing it on the pitch, although unfortunately only one team progressed through the group stage. The red team got through to the quarter finals where they were beaten by Sacred Heart and the pink team narrowly missed out on getting through, finishing on 5 points.

Thanks to everyone who came along to support, it was a lovely afternoon in the sunshine. A huge well done to the pink team: Aranvir, Adam, Rahul, Tommy, Riley, Conor, Subhan, Alex and Chikay and to the red team: Aidan, Reece, George, Jack, Sonny, Alfie and William.



SPORTS NEWS

District Sports

On Monday, Mr Young, Miss Kiely, Mr T and Mr Dwyer took a group of Year 5 and 6 children to represent the school at the District Sports at Hillingdon Athletics Track. This event showcases some of the strongest athletes that the district has to offer and the competition is always incredibly tough, however, it is always a great way to end the school year.

We finished in a respectable 4th place which is the best finish we have had in my time at Glebe so a huge well done to all the children who represented the school so well in their events and cheering the others on when they weren't competing themselves.

A special mention must go to our medalists: Erin, Ava, Mia and Jas who all won Bronze in the Year 5 girls' relay; Ava who won Silver in the Year 5 girls' sprint; Finley who won Bronze in the boys' long jump and Jack and Alex who won Gold and Silver in the boys' high jump respectively.



SPORTS NEWS

Hockey Tournament

On Wednesday, our Glebe hockey team represented the school in the West London Hockey Finals and can I say, they did absolutely amazingly!

To make it to this tournament, you have to rank 1st or 2nd in the borough, which we achieved in the hockey tournament before Christmas. After being unbeaten for the first three games, we met our match in the fourth game. They gave it their all but in the end, we had to give the win to the other team. However, that didn't faze the team and we ended up winning the last two games, which resulted in a second place out of all the schools in West London.

We are all incredibly proud of their performance and teamwork; great work team!

Mr Vandorpe was so close to earning his much coveted 'Winners Jumper' that he is so desperate for - better luck next year, Mr Vandorpe!

Mr Dwyer



Mr Dwyer has posed a question for you all:

Can you spot which person in the photo forgot to apply sun cream on Wednesday?

I would just like to take this opportunity to thank Mr Dwyer, Mr Young, Mrs Long, Miss Kilty and Mr Vandorpe for giving up their time throughout the year to run the weekly training sessions as well as accompanying the children to the tournaments. Teachers are not paid for this time but they give their time so that the children of Glebe have a range of sporting teams to join and an opportunity to compete. I am truly grateful to all of them. The hotly contested Coach of the Year results will be announced in next week's edition .

CURD CORNER

Competition Time!

Hillingdon Council are running a competition for primary school children in the borough to design a different way to store food waste at home before it is collected.

More information can be found on the council's website here:

<https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/food-waste-competition>

Don't forget, the last time a Glebe pupil entered a similar competition, she won! Maybe you will too...

Good luck!

UPDATES

**THE
WEEKLY
WINNERS
ARE...**

EdShed



Spelling Shed
3ME | 5I

Doodlemaths
1S | 5V

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about

ANIME

Anime, which originates from Japan, is currently one of the most popular sources of entertainment in the world. This style of animation goes back to the mid 20th century, with a broad audience ranging from children to adults. Known for its epic stories, anime often crosses over with video games and other avenues of pop culture via adaptations or spin-offs – such as Cyberpunk: Edgerunners, an anime web series based on the popular video game, Cyberpunk 2077. The most common intersect, however, is manga: a form of graphic novel from which most anime is adapted.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

Some people assume that anime is safe for children purely because it's animation. However, a large amount is actually geared towards adults, often featuring swearing, graphic violence and nudity. Many anime series follow dark storylines, such as Cyberpunk: Edgerunners, which has swiftly become known for its extreme gore, sexual content and disturbing depictions of mental health conditions.

COMMON CROSSOVERS

It's easy for children to get drawn into anime through its many crossovers into video games, such as Fortnite and Call of Duty, while anime art styles are often used for other products, due to its popularity. Titles like the RPG Genshin Impact may look quite cute and accessible, but its loot-box mechanics can introduce young players to behaviours that have much in common with gambling.

DECEPTIVE APPEARANCE

It's easy to mistake anime graphics for a sign of harmless, child-friendly content. This style (big eyes, colourful hair and cute voices), however, can disguise some extremely adult themes. Yandere Simulator, for example, strongly resembles a child's game at face value, thanks to its art style, but in reality it features incredibly dark themes such as murder, kidnapping and torture.

ROBLOX REPRODUCTIONS

There are hundreds of user-created Roblox games which take their inspiration from anime and manga. While many of these titles will be perfectly age appropriate, there are some that prefer to focus on the storylines of adult and horror anime. Death Note, for example (based on the manga and anime series of the same name) would probably be extremely disturbing for most younger players.

MATURE MANGA

The majority of anime is adapted from manga: a form of Japanese comic book. Manga usually features an age rating on the back cover, and it's worth bearing in mind that just because it's a comic, that doesn't mean it's suitable for youngsters. In fact, most popular manga leans heavily towards darker subject matter, which is unquestionably aimed at an adult audience.

ADULT THEMES

Hentai is a type of manga, anime and video game which revolves around characters engaging in explicit sexual encounters. While anime of this kind is usually only found on pornography sites, some gaming platforms – such as Steam – do allow the sale of these titles (referred to as 'H-Games' in the community) and even feature them on the front of their store page when sales are on.

Advice for Parents & Carers

DO YOUR RESEARCH

Despite all the problematic content, there's still a lot of anime out there which is completely child friendly. Pokémon and One Piece are all long-running anime shows which have family-friendly stories and content. Make sure you check for age ratings and content warnings on streaming platforms when deciding if a particular anime series is suitable for your child.

WATCH WITH YOUR CHILD

Anime covers a multitude of topics, so it's easy to find something that the whole family can enjoy. Anime shows typically involve action and adventure, superheroes, romance, comedy and much more. Watching this content alongside your child isn't only a way to spend quality time together – it will also help you to spot quite quickly if there's potential for any difficult topics to arise in the show.

IT'S NOT JUST TV

Anime is most often in the format of a TV series, but it is also presented as films. Studio Ghibli is often referred to as 'the Japanese Disney' due to the quality and number of films they produce. Most of their movies are fine for children, though they often feature more mature subject matter than western animation: Grave of the Fireflies, for instance, is set in Japan during the Second World War.

CHECK GAMES' FEATURES

Often, crossovers with video games simply involve using anime characters as 'skins' to modify the appearance of characters while playing (as in Fortnite, for example). If your child's interested in an anime-inspired game that you're unfamiliar with, however, look online at the game's features and for any content warnings to gain a clearer idea of what your child might be exposed to.

Meet Our Expert

Daniel Upscombe is a writer specialising in technology, video gaming, virtual reality and Web3. He has also written 15 guidebooks for children, covering games such as Fortnite, Apex Legends, Valorant, Roblox and Minecraft. With work published by the likes of PC Gamer, Kotaku, Pocket Gamer and VG247, he has reviewed more than 50 games and products over the past year.



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REMEMBER



Key Information & Dates

Key Dates



** new
information*

Monday 26th June: ****EYFS Sports morning - 9.30 - 11.30** DATE CHANGE**

Year 1 trip to the Science Museum

Tuesday 27th June: Year 4 trip to Battle of Britain Bunker

Wednesday 28th June: Year 4 trip to Battle of Britain Bunker

Year 2 Mexico Day

Thursday 29th June: Multi-Cultural Evening - 3.45 - 5.00pm

Friday 30th June: Non-uniform day - bring items for school fete

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**Monday 3rd July: Year 6 performance of High School Musical - 9.15am**

**Year 6 performance of High School Musical - 2.00pm**

Tuesday 4th July: Meet the Teacher (in school - children only)

Open Evening - 5 - 7pm

**Wednesday 5th July: Year 6 performance of High School Musical - 6.30pm**

**Thursday 6th July: Year 6 performance of High School Musical - 2.00pm**

**Friday 7th July: RSPCA Day - wear something animal-related & bring in £1**

Saturday 8th July: Glebe Summer Fete

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Monday 10th - Friday 14th July: Year 6 School Journey/Activity Week

Advance Notice: School closes 1 hour earlier on Friday 21st July



Parking for EYFS Sports Day

Parking restrictions have been suspended for Monday between 9.30 - 12.00. Please place a sign on your dashboard indicating that you are attending the event.

Please park with all 4 wheels within the white lines of the parking bays - not over drive ways or on yellow lines.

Inclusion



Parent/Carer Workshops

Our next Inclusion Department workshops are:

Monday 26th June 2023 at 9:00am

How to help your child with transition and moving to the next year.

Tuesday 26th September 2023 9:00am

How can parents help their child with their learning?

Thursday 16th November 2023 2:15pm

How to manage challenging behaviour effectively.

Please email sen@glebeprimary.org to book your place.

NON-UNIFORM DONATION DAY

FRIDAY 30TH JUNE

**IN EXCHANGE WE WOULD LOVE YOU TO HELP US WITH
PRIZE DONATIONS FOR THE SUMMER FETE**

**EACH YEAR GROUP HAS BEEN GIVEN A THEME
WITH SOME EXAMPLES BELOW**

NURSERY, RECEPTION, YEAR 1

JOLLY JARS

Decorate and fill an empty jar
with sweets, treats, toys & surprises

YEAR 2

STATIONERY

Notepads, pencils, pens, pencil cases,
colouring books, rubbers, activity books

YEAR 3 & 4

TOILETRIES

Shampoo, Shower Gel, Hand Cream,
Sun Cream, Body Lotion

YEAR 5 & 6

BOTTLES

Fizz, Squash, Wine, Beer,
Sauces, Salad Dressing

**PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATION ON FRIDAY 30TH JUNE
FOR ANY ENQUIRIES CONTACT FRIENDSOFGLEBE@OUTLOOK.COM**

A Message from the Glebe School Pupil Council

Don't forget, School Council have organised an RSPCA fundraising day on Friday 7th July.

They would like the children to come to school wearing something animal related, such as animal print, animal ears or anything else they can think of.

However, this does not include a full costume or face paint.

The children can also bring in £1 to donate to the RSPCA.

RSPCA DAY –
07.07.2023



GLEBE PRIMARY SCHOOL'S SUMMER FETE RAFFLE £1 PER TICKET



£150 Home Bar Voucher

£100 M&S Voucher

£50 Amazon Vouchers donated by Lakin

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£50 Voucher Miller & Carter

£50 Tesco Voucher

Roberts Revival Uno BT Radio

Velocity Paintball for 10 People x2

1 Week Summer Sports Camp CP Soccer

Bucks Rail Family Steaming Day Ticket

David Lloyd Guest Passes for 2

Harrow Wall Kids Krazy climb for 2

HoneyBees Afternoon Tea

Clay shooting voucher for 2 – Holland & Holland

Angels Uniform – Vouchers £20

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Hamper donated by Becspoke

4 classes with CL Fitness

PT Session with CL Fitness

2 Tickets at The Comedy Bunker

Granero Lounge £30 Voucher

Hawkins Back to school bundle

Compass Theatre Dick Whittington 4 Panto Tickets

Floral Bouquet Donated by Untamed Blooms

Ninja Warrior Voucher

Odds Farm Family Ticket

Parents Paradise £20 Voucher

One Term Free classes at Premierki Taekwando

Rush High Wycombe Jump session for 2

Smiths Garden Centre £25 Voucher

Wine Donated by W Sherry Funeral Directors x4

Free MOT valid for 1 Year at Eastglade Motors

Uxbridge golf club 3 Course Cavary Meal for 4 people

Chocolate Set Donated by Co-Op

Wine donated by Co-Op

Prezzo £30 Voucher

Nona Rose £40 Voucher

Gift Hamper Donated by Scentsational flowers

Miraculous Cakes 12 Cupcakes Voucher

Hamper donated by Swallow Glazing

Pop Golf Wembley Game for 4 people

Cut & Blow Dry at Naz Ladies Salon

One free session at Buzz Bounce

Everyone Active Ice Skating Family Voucher

Everyone Active Clip n Climb Family Voucher

Hobbledown Heath Admission for 4

HOB Salon £25 Voucher

Floral Bouquet Donated by Cara McCallam



TO BE SOLD EVERY TUESDAY & FRIDAY FROM 20TH JUNE

8.40AM – 9.00AM AT THE MAIN SCHOOL GATE

TICKETS ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE DAY

DRAW TO TAKE PLACE SATURDAY 8TH JULY 3.30pm



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Do you have any pre-loved toys looking for a new home?

*toys, games, soft toys etc.

If so, please donate them to the teddy tombola and bric-brac stall at our summer fete!

There is a donation box outside the main office.

Thank you!



Glebe Primary School's

SUMMER FETE

Saturday 8th July
12-4pm

TICKETS £1 *

JOIN US FOR LOTS OF FUN!

Bring your
picnic blanket
and join us for
a fun day

- bouncy castles •
- assault course •
- giant slide •
- penalty shootout •
- face painting •
- tug of war •
- entertainment •
- The FoG Inn •
- market stalls •
- yummy food vans •
- and much more!

*£1 in advance,
£2 on the door
3 and under free,
but still require a
ticket



Tickets available from school gate every
Tuesday & Friday morning from 20th June OR
pta-events.co.uk/glebeprimaryickenham *



*booking fees apply



Nursery



Colour mixing



Junk modelling

Art week in Nursery!



Self portraits with natural materials



Exploring different textures using a variety of tools.



Stencil Art



Playing music



Nursery



GARDEN
TO
TABLE



Nursery planted a strawberry plant last term and have been busy taking great care of it. This week their strawberry plant was ready to pick. Nursery were very excited to enjoy their yummy strawberries at snack time.



GARDEN
TO TABLE



PIC•COLLAGE

Reception

*In Maths, we
have been
exploring the
composition of
numbers to 10*

*We have been
looking at
fairytales and
traditional tales*

Reception

*In Literacy we
have been
reading 'The
Gingerbread
man'*

*We had
fun
during
Art week*



Year 1

We sketched African dance moves.



Art Week in Year 1



We painted African animals.



We made African animals with clay.



PIC•COLLAGE

Year 3



*Sports day and art week!
In year 3, we have been
mark-making, story
telling through
photography, dancing,
making sounds, writing
poems and creating self-
portraits.*



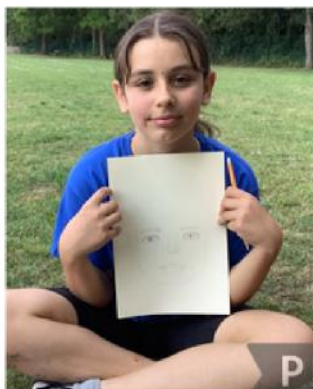
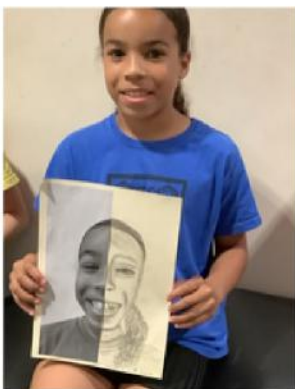
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Year 4



Year 5

YEAR 5 'ACCESS ALL ARTS' WEEK



PIC·COLLAGE

Year 6



PIC•COLLAGE



I hope you all have a
lovely weekend.

Mrs Penney



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