

GRAYSHOTT CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Acorns to Mighty Oaks'

Newsletter 9 – Friday 7th November 2025



Have you liked and shared our Facebook page?



LOVE

OUR SCHOOL VALUES ARE:
COURAGE RESPECT

JOY

NEW DATES ADDED TO DIARY DATES

December 2025

Monday 15th

School Nurse – **Red Class** Height, Weight, Vision – details to follow

January 2026

Tuesday 13th

School Nurse – **Gold Class** Height, Weight, Vision – details to follow

February 2026

Friday 13th

Vision Ambassadors Assembly, 9am – Invite only

Monday 16th – Friday 20th

Half Term

Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you for another week of good learning and efforts from our children. It was a pleasure to welcome Maria Roberts from the Good Shepherd Trust to our school this week. She spent time talking with myself and Mr Clarke before going out to speak to some of our children on the playground. She spoke very highly of the way they were playing together and having fun. It is always nice to get external validation of the work we do here and I'm happy to be able to pass it on here. Let's see what else has been going on this week.

Thank you

Richard Austin

Hitting the Mark



Pleased to announce that Grayshott CE Primary School has been awarded the Music Mark of Recognition for 2025-2026 in honour of our ongoing commitment to promoting musical education and enrichment. Thanks to **Hampshire Music Service**, **Grayshott Concerts** and Mrs Buxton for all their contributions towards this.



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Pottery Parking Reminder

Our friends at Grayshott Pottery have asked me to remind you of the following.



- Parents are **welcome to use the pottery car park in the morning** at drop off time. This is a very kind arrangement we have with them to use their private land.
- Please **do not park in the pottery car park in the afternoon** at any time. This is prime sales time for their café and shop and they have to ensure there is adequate parking for their own customers.

Please help us support this great local institution by respecting their wishes.

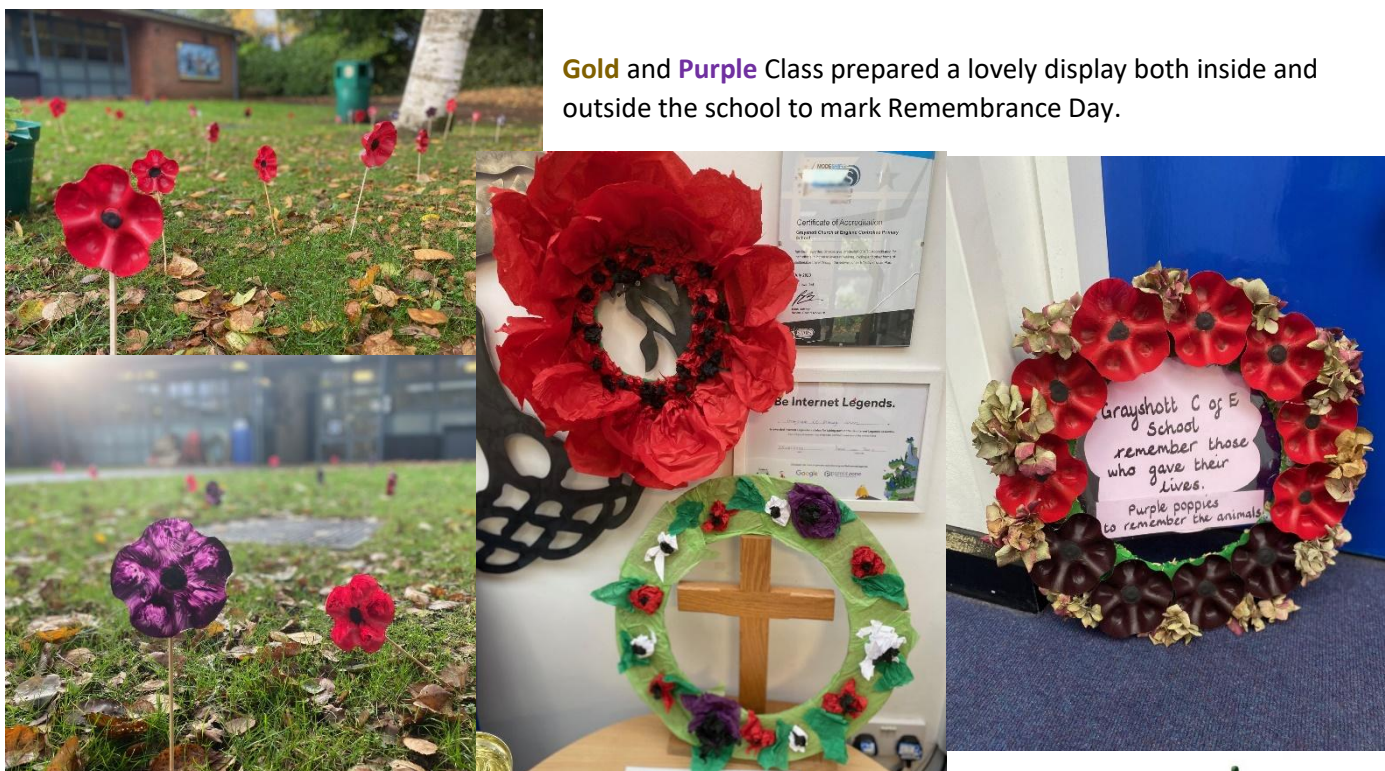
Profoundly Discussing Pandora

Silver Class are embarking on a journey into space through their new English learning Journey. Here they are narrating videos about Pandora, a moon with amazing creatures and plants. Immersion in high quality texts and ideas is the key to unlocking great writing, and we can't wait to see what the children produce.



Lest we Forget

Gold and **Purple** Class prepared a lovely display both inside and outside the school to mark Remembrance Day.



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Student Progress Meetings

Our first chance for parents and carers to come in and discuss the progress of children is coming up this month. Bookings will be open soon for the evenings of Tuesday 25th and Thursday 27th November.

Please note that **Purple** Class meetings will take place on the week commencing 8th December.



Challenging Stereotypes

Blue Class have been learning about stereotypes in their PSHE lessons. They were talking about all sorts of ideas that people have, such as 'Do only boys like football?' which its clear to see from our Lionesses this summer is not the case. I picked the right day to wear my pink shirt as I was able to demonstrate that pink doesn't have to be associated with girls either.



Weekly Reflection

So we say with confidence, "The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can man do to me?"

Hebrews 13:6



Grayshott CE Primary School



November 2025

Monday 10 th	School Photos
Wednesday 12 th	PTA Meeting, 7.30pm Fox & Pelican – all welcome
Thursday 13 th – Friday 14 th	Gold Class visit Henley Fort
Friday 14 th	PTA Quiz Night
Monday 17 th	School Nurse – Nasal Flu Vaccination
Monday 17 th	Green Class visit from Haslemere Museum – details to follow
Tuesday 25 th	Student Progress Meetings – details to follow (no Computing or Lego Club)
Wednesday 26 th	Silver Class – Trip to Winchester Science Museum
Thursday 27 th	Student Progress Meetings – details to follow (no Board Games or Basketball Club)
Saturday 29 th	PTA at Grayshott Christmas Light Event

December 2025

Friday 5 th	PTA Mufti Day – Bring bottles and cakes
Friday 5 th	PTA Christmas Fair
Monday 8 th	Yellow and Blue Classes Nativity, 2.00-3.15pm – details to follow
Tuesday 9 th	Yellow and Blue Classes Nativity, 9.30-10.45 am – details to follow
Wednesday 10 th	Red Class Christmas Celebration – details to follow
Thursday 11 th	PTA Meeting (Social)
Monday 15 th	School Nurse – Red Class Height, Weight, Vision – details to follow
Wednesday 17 th	KS2 Carol Service at St. Luke's Church, 2pm – 3pm – details to follow
Thursday 18 th	Christmas Lunch
Friday 19 th	Vision Ambassadors Assembly, 9am – Invite only
Friday 19 th	End of term, collect 1.15pm

January 2026

Monday 5 th	Return to school
Tuesday 13 th	School Nurse – Gold Class Height, Weight, Vision – details to follow
Thursday 15 th	Applications close for Year R 2026

February 2026

Friday 13 th	Vision Ambassadors Assembly, 9am – Invite only
Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th	Half Term
Wednesday 25 th	Silver Class – Young Voices at The O2 Arena, London



PTA News

PTA School Lottery



Please support us to raise funds for new laptops for the school by taking part in our school lottery. There are guaranteed prizes up for grabs each week including the chance to win the £25,000 jackpot! For every £1 spent 60p goes directly to raising much needed funds for the school.

We would be very grateful to anyone who can take part and also spread the word. The further we share it, the greater the funds we will be able to raise for the school.

“Thank you for your support”

[Click here for The Parents Lottery Link](#)

For Quiz Night tickets, please click [here](#)

GRAYSHOTT PRIMARY PTA

QUIZ NIGHT

**£8 PER TICKET / £45 PER TABLE OF 6
PLOUGHMAN'S SUPPER INCLUDED**

**DOOR OPEN AT 7PM
HELD IN THE SCHOOL HALL**

FRIDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

Join us for an exciting evening of challenges, fun & great prizes!
There will be a bar running, serving drinks and snacks.
Team tables of 6- create your own team or book individual tickets
and we will add you to a team.

REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY!

Tickets available from
<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/grayshottpprimary/index.cfm>

GRAYSHOTT PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA CHRISTMAS FAIR

DONATIONS NEEDED PLEASE...

SECRET SANTA STALL ITEMS

SUGGESTIONS OF SUITABLE ITEMS
FOR ADULTS:
GIFT SETS | DRINKS | CANDLES
STATIONARY | TOILETRIES | BOXED
CHOCOLATES | SWEETS | WINE
BOOKS | JEWELLERY

PRIZE ITEMS

HAVING A CLEAR OUT? WE'D LOVE
ANYTHING THAT CAN BE USED AS SMALL
PRIZES (E.G. JEWELLERY, SMALL TOYS,
PARTY BAG FILLERS, LITTLE CARS ETC)

TEDDIES/SOFT TOYS

FOR OUR POPULAR TEDDY
BEAR TOMBOLA!

Please place your items in the black PTA
box outside the office between
Tues 4th to Fri 28th Nov
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



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Community News and Events



We have places in **Beavers** (age 6-8, year 1 and year 2) and **Cubs** (age 8-10.5, year 3, 4, 5) and the first session is free. Enquiries should email us at hindheadscouts@gmail.com

We are also looking for a new Group Lead Volunteer, someone who does not work directly with the children but is good at overseeing a team of volunteers!

[Haslemere Museum What's On](#)



ST LUKE'S GRAYSHOTT

You're Invited to
WAFFFL
Café Church for all the family

A relaxed family style service once a month. A perfect introduction to church. All ages. Wiggly bottoms, tapping toes and chattering hearts most welcome.

Great stories,
Fun activities,
Fun songs,
Drinks, cakes and fruit
New friends.

21st Sept 4pm
19th Oct
16th Nov

St Luke's Church, Grayshott,
GU26 6LF
www.stlukes-grayshott.org



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GRAYSHOTT PARISH COUNCIL
presents

Grayshott at Christmas

Saturday 29 November

Grayshott Village Green

Main Event 3pm - 5pm
Christmas Market 1:30pm - 6pm

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Food & Drink

Children's Entertainment & Santa's Grotto
in collaboration with the Fox & Pelican Christmas Market

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