



Grove House School

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Newsletter

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EASTER ASSEMBLY & RAFFLE

We held our Easter Assembly on the last day of the Spring Term and what a lovely end to the term it was! It was great to see so many parents/carers & family come and proudly watch our children deliver a great assembly. Our PTFA raised an amazing £275.50 from the Easter Raffle. Thank you so much for supporting and helping us raise this and a very special thank you to our PTFA for all their hard work. Keep up the hard work!



HOPEFIELD ANIMAL SANCTUARY

Before the Easter Break pupils from 3H went on a trip to Hopefield Animal Sanctuary. The children were very well behaved and had an amazing time!



PLEA FOR SPIN DRYER

We are teaching our pupils independence skills and one particular skill is laundry. We have purchased an iron and ironing board to teach ironing skills. We now require a spin dryer. If anyone knows of a spare spin dryer needing a new home we would be very grateful. Thank you so much!

NEW SCHOOL MENU

We are offering the children our new summer menu. Many of the dishes have changed, so please take the opportunity to review the menu with your child and discuss which dishes they like to eat.



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BIRDS OF PREY DISPLAY

Before the easter break Eden Falconry visited Grove House and put on a display of different species of Birds of Prey. The children were fascinated by the birds and even got to hold the owls & stroke them!



DRUGS & ALCOHOL AWARENESS

Carla Andrews from Motivated Minds came in to deliver a very interesting useful session to pupils in KS3 about drugs and alcohol awareness and how to be safe.

PTFA BINGO EVENING

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Our PTFA are holding a Bingo Evening on Saturday 30th April from 5PM TILL 7:30PM AT Grove House School. Tickets cost £8.00 each and includes entry to play and fish & chips! Please come along to support this wonderful event and bring your friends and family. Everyone is welcome!

Our next PTFA meeting is on Wednesday 20th April at 6:45pm at Grove House. All parents are welcome to attend.

NEW AUTISM HUB

A new Autism Hub has been launched on the Living Well Essex website. The hub is designed to support people with autism as well as parents, carers and professionals connected with the condition. It is well worth exploring! Please visit www.livingwellessex.org/autism-hub/ for more info.

SCHOOL TRAVEL BEHAVIOR

Paul Dale, School Travel Behavior Project Officer from Essex County Council, came to Grove House and delivered some training in all of our classes about travelling safely. He covered how to be safe on all forms of public transport and explained the consequences of unsafe behaviour.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Fri 15th April am: Archery for KS3 pupils

Fri 15th April pm: Go Girls

Sat 16th April: DoE overnight stay

Fri 22nd April: Go Girls

Fri 29th April: Go Girls

Sat 30th April: PTFA Bingo evening

Tues 3rd May: Inset Day – School Closed

Fri 6th May: Go Girls

Mon 9th May: Core First Aid Training for KS3 pupils

Fri 13th May: Go Girls

We would value your comments on any matters relating to your child's education at Grove House School. Please address these to Miss Christodoulides, Head Teacher