



# Grove House School

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## Newsletter

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### GANG AWARENESS

Gavin McKenna from Reach Every Generation came into to speak to 3P and 3H on Gang Awareness. Our pupils listened carefully and asked interesting and pertinent questions.



### LIBRARY CLUB

Our library club is now up and running and has been extremely popular with our children. Well done to Mrs Newton & Mrs Lang for setting this up and managing the club.



### GROVE HOUSE BABY

We are delighted to tell you that we are expecting our first Grove House baby! Mrs Ivey will be leaving us temporarily at the end of summer term to begin her maternity leave. She will, of course, stay in touch and return to school mid-2018. Mrs Ivey will be working with us to secure a replacement Speech & Language Therapist to cover her time away. We are all very excited!

### SOCCABILITY

Selected pupils from 3H and 3P went to Shenfield High school to enjoy a moment of football fun. They learnt new skills and played matches against other local schools.



### DUKE OF EDINBURGH WEEKEND

Congratulations to Philip, Bailey, Elizabeth and Robbie on achieving their Duke of Edinburgh bronze award. Angela Dellar, Team Leader for Duke of Edinburgh in Essex, presented them with their award. We are all very proud of our students especially as only 3% of young people their age achieve this award. Also many thanks to "DofE" Dave and the staff team that enabled our youngsters to undertake this remarkable achievement. Well done!



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## PTFA COFFEE & CATCH UP

Our next PTFA coffee & catch up is on Monday 22nd May at 9:15am. We will be continuing with our "gardening" theme along with a coffee & chat. Please do come along and join us.



## 100KM LONDON TO BRIGHTON



Everyone at Grove House School would like to wish Mr Brockway luck on his 100KM London

to Brighton challenge on 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> May 2017. He is raising money for Grove House to go towards our stage lighting & sound system. If you would like to make a donation please visit the following link; [www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/darren-brockway?utm\\_id=2&utm\\_term=mVykJrx3](http://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/darren-brockway?utm_id=2&utm_term=mVykJrx3)  
Thank you for your support.

## SAINSBURY



The last day for handing in the Sainsbury's active vouchers is 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017. So please don't forget to hand them in.

Thank you so much!

## NEW NET AWARE

Please visit the new and improved Net Aware site on [www.net-aware.org.uk](http://www.net-aware.org.uk) which gives parents & carers an insight into children and young people's online experience and helps parents keep their children safe online.

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

**Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> May:** PTFA coffee & catch up

**Fri 26<sup>th</sup> May:** 3D – Forest School

**Mon 29<sup>th</sup> May:** Half Term begins

**Mon 5<sup>th</sup> June:** Children return to school

**Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Jun:** 3D – Forest School

**Mon 12<sup>th</sup> June:** 3H trip to Brentwood Sainsburys

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**Fri 16<sup>th</sup> June:** 3P trip to Brentwood Sainsburys

**Sat 17<sup>th</sup> June:** DofE qualifying weekend

**Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun:** 3D – Forest School

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**Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> July:** 3H trip to Brentwood High Street

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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