



Grove House School

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POWER HOUSE GAMES

Last Friday Steve Morley and staff presented the Power House Games to Grove House School. Our students enjoyed the morning playing various sports. They participated in sit down volley ball, vision impaired football, new age curling, boccia, parachute and table top games. Everybody had a brilliant time and luckily the weather was good too!



PTFA SUMMER PICNIC

Unfortunately the PTFA Summer Picnic had to be cancelled due to the weather and the field being waterlogged. It is now looking very unlikely that the Summer Picnic will be going ahead this term.



BRENTWOOD ART TRAIL VISIT

Last Thursday a few pupils went on a Brentwood Art Trail to the High Street. They met local artist David Taylor who has created a number of animal sculptures from recycled computer parts. The pupils were particularly keen to hear how keyboard parts were used to create a hedgehog and old playstation controllers became the feet of a Stegosaurus. All pupils behaved extremely well during this visit.



CHARITY SKIPPING CHALLENGE

On Friday 8th July the pupils from 3P will be hosting a charity skipping challenge and fete to raise money for the British Heart Foundation. There will be ice lollies on sale, guess the name of the teddy, bean bag challenge, and much more. The children are welcome to bring in some money to spend on the day.

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DUKE OF EDINBURGH BRONZE AWARD

Our pupils Bailey Griffiths, Philip Caton and Elizabeth O'Hara travelled to the Rendlesham area for the Duke of Edinburgh qualifying expedition on Saturday 18th June. They were supported by Mrs Currie, Mr Chalkley and Miss Rae, and showed remarkable improvement with their camping and map reading skills. Everybody had a very enjoyable time.



BRENTWOOD SCHOOL

The pupils from Brentwood School have been raising money for Grove House and kindly presented us with a cheque for £2131.11 this morning. This money will be used to purchase playground equipment. A massive thank you to Brentwood School for their generous donation!



HEALTHY EATING FORUM

On Wednesday 6th July 9am to 11am a specialist from the School Nursing Team will be attending Grove House School to give a talk on Healthy Eating to parents and carers. The specialist will also be offering a 10 minute 1-1 session to any parents/carers requesting it. Please do not forget to send us your slip back to confirm your attendance to the session.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- Mon 4th July:** Pupil's workshops on E-safety
- Wed 6th July:** Healthy Eating Parents/Carers Forum
- Fri 8th July:** Charity Skipping Challenge
- Fri 8th July:** "All About Me" Girls Special
- Wed 13th July:** Open evening – Celebration of success
- Fri 15th July:** Celebration Assembly to Parents
- Wed 20th July:** Picnic trip for 3H
- Thurs 21st July:** Board Games session for Parents/Carers 3:15-4pm (tbc)
- Fri 22nd July:** Last day of Term
- Mon 5th Sept:** Children return to school

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