

# Gedney Hill Church of England Primary School



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## Catch-up Friday 23 June

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Sacrewell Farm

The children had an amazing day on Monday when they visited Sacrewell Farm.

What fabulous perseverance they showed covering nearly five miles during their tour of the farm! They saw pigs, goats, sheep, horses and many other animals; listened carefully to how the animals are looked after and even got to stroke some of them. They were creative artists in the sensory garden, looking carefully at the plants and using all the drawing skills they have been learning this year. As a group of friends, they played Pooh Sticks and had great fun in the Play Barn.

They were wonderful ambassadors of our school and were complimented on their behaviour by members of the public. Well done Robins!

### Sculpture Park Trip - Monday 26 June

All pupils in Swallows should be in school by 7.20am on Monday for a prompt 7.30am departure as it is a long journey. Children can bring a book or fidget toy on the bus, but no electronic devices.

We are due to arrive back in school at 5.30pm. Mrs Buddle will keep the closed face book page updated with any changes and there will be someone in school, and contactable, if there are any changes.

Children all need a packed lunch, a refillable water bottle, sun cream, a sunhat and a light bag to carry all their belongings. A rucksack-like bag would be best as they will be responsible for their own things and carrying their bags all day. They need to wear comfortable walking shoes or trainers – there will be a lot walking - and lightweight trousers.

### Family Library

Tuesday 4 July - 3.20pm – 4pm

This will be the last Family Library session of the year. The Junior Librarians and I are looking forward to welcoming you, sharing stories and sharing all the great activities on offer.

There will be:

- Time for the children to share and borrow books to read at home.
- Story Time for the EYFS and KS1.
- Computers available for the children to use for homework, research, TTRockstars (normal school internet safety rules will apply).
- A craft activity – flags of America (Independence Day).

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- A book swap for adults – a collection of books for you to browse and borrow. It would also be great if you were able to bring books that you have enjoyed reading and swap them for a different book to take home and enjoy.
- Free tea and coffee for the adults.

## PTFA News

Federation Summer Fete 2023- 12-4pm on 9th July at Shepeau Stow School Field.

Please email [info@ghssptfa.co.uk](mailto:info@ghssptfa.co.uk) with any queries, offers or for any help.

## Other Diary Dates and Reminders

New dates highlighted in yellow.

26 June	Swallows' visit to the Yorkshire Sculpture Park	More details to follow.
26 June	Federation Assessment Week	
29 June	New Parents Meeting	
5 July	KS1 Mini Olympics with Sport2Day	Within the school day
11 & 12 July	Federation Production (Years 2,3 4, 5 & 6)	Details to follow
20 July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly	2pm Year 6 families only
21 July	Last day of the Summer Term	Normal hours

Kind regards,

Mrs J Barmby  
Head of School  
Gedney Hill C of E Primary School