



Newsletter No. 10

Pride in ourselves, pride in our school, pride in our community.

Friday 4th July



YEAR 4 ASSEMBLY

Year 4 were very lucky to have Helen from the charity 'Making Me' visit them to discuss any transition worries they might have. We focused on how they might be feeling and what they can do if they are worried. The children engaged fantastically and it was great preparation for step up day.



YEAR 2

This week, Year 2 took part in a cutting and tasting activity. They practised safe cutting skills and explored a colourful variety of fresh vegetables and herbs. It was a great opportunity to try new flavours, well done to the children for giving it a go.

TRANSITION

The children have really enjoyed spending the day in their new classroom today, getting to know their new teacher. Don't forget that we have our **Open Evening on Wednesday 9th July from 5.00-6.30pm**. This is another opportunity for your child to see their new classroom and teacher, as well as visiting their current classroom. We hope to see lots of you there!

JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL
GOTHIC MEDE ACADEMY
SUMMER FETE
FRIDAY 11TH JULY
FREE ENTRY
3.30pm - 6pm
LIVE PERFORMANCES | BBQ | CRAFT STALLS | GAMES
HELD ON THE FIELD BEHIND GOTHIC MEDE ACADEMY, HIGH STREET, ARLESEY, SG15 6SL

UPCOMING EVENTS	
Wednesday 9 th July	Acorn Summer Party
Wednesday 9 th July	Open Evening 5:00pm – 6:30pm
Friday 11 th July	Year 2 Firefighter Visit

Friendly Reminder
Hoppy wants to remind you, your school's clothing collection is soon! Get your bags ready. Bring as much as you can, even use extra bags if needed. More donations mean more funds for the school's reinvestment! Let's make it count!

Your Collection Date is:
Friday 11th July 2025
at Gothic Mede Academy

www.happy-school-bags.co.uk



THIS WEEK AT GMA



SPORTS DAY

Sports Day on Wednesday was brilliant! The children gave it their all in a variety of events, all cheered on by classmates, staff, and proud families. A huge well done to all our pupils who showed great sportsmanship and determination throughout the afternoon. Thank you to everyone who came along to support. Thank you also to our PE leader, Mrs Howard, and to our staff team who organised such a successful and enjoyable event! **Congratulations to our winners, Purwell Team!** Thank you to Max and Imogen for accepting their trophy. Photos will be posted to Facebook next week.



YEAR 3 ROMAN DAY

Ashley from Roman Britain Schools Workshop visited Gothic Mede on Tuesday to deliver a Roman workshop to Year 3, and what a fantastic experience it was! From dressing up to taking part in Roman inspired crafts, games, and battle formations, the day was packed with immersive learning and fun. Pupils explored Roman culture, language, and daily life, deepening their understanding of this fascinating period in history.

WATER FIGHT

The Great Gothic Mede Water Fight of 2025 was a success! To help beat the heat, pupils (and staff!) enjoyed a water fight at lunch time on Tuesday, which was a fantastic way to cool down! With lots of laughter, splashing, and smiles all around, it was the perfect activity for a sunny day!



Golden Book

Children are nominated by Teaching Assistants and Teachers for a Principal's award which is entered in the Golden Book. The award can be for living one of our Values or special achievement. Sporting awards/achievements gained through a regular commitment to a club or group are also celebrated.

Ash	Kylie has really settled into Ash class well and has quickly learnt the daily routine.
Oak	Kayla for her sensible attitude and team spirit during sports day practice.
Beech	Alessandro for always thinking of imaginative ideas and writing some super sentences about our Storm Whale story.
Elm	Anayah for working hard to develop her reading skills. Anayah shows a positive attitude towards reading and has worked hard to improve her fluency.
Willow	Zoie for hard work in writing. She has worked hard to come up with some lovely descriptive writing for our George and the Dragon story.
Maple	Hallie for excellent skills and effort during all PE lessons last week including our yoga wellbeing session.
Chestnut	Isla for her continued positivity to her English writing working hard to make her sentences fantastic while still fitting in with our story genre.
Sycamore	Yumi for the pride she takes in all her work.
Birch	Scarlett for her hard work and focus when creating her independent writing in English.
Hazel	Oakley for his determination and perseverance in maths over the year and smiling when everything starts to connect and fall into place.



CELEBRATIONS

- *Ada (Willow) was awarded a certificate and medal for gymnastics*
- *Grace (Willow) was awarded a certificate and medal for gymnastics*
- *Jessica (Hazel) was awarded a gymnastics medal*
- *Ivy-Leigh (Oak) was awarded a gymnastics medal*
- *Charlotte (Oak) was awarded a medal for completing the London 13 Bridge Challenge*
- *Cairo (Sycamore) was awarded 4 Football trophies!!*

FROM THE KITCHEN

Next week, we are on Week 2 of the menu. Please click the link to view our menu.

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