



# NEWSLETTER

ISSUE DATE  
24th March 2023

## Lost Property

Lost property will be laid out during both "Parent Evenings". Anything which is left over will be donated to the Air Ambulance.

Changemaker Ceremonies will take place after Easter. We will notify you of the date as soon as we are able to.

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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday	28th March	Y4 Northampton Museum
Tuesday	28th March	KS2 Netball Skills
Monday	27th March	Maple Group 2 Swimming
Wednesday	29th March	Maple Group 2 Swimming
Friday	31st March	Y4 Northampton Museum
Friday	31st March	End of term 4
Monday	17th April	Start of term 5
Wednesday	19th April	Poplar Group 1 Swimming
Wednesday	19th April	Y6 IOW Parent evening either 9.15 or 17.00hrs
Monday	24th April	KS2 Dodgeball at Parker E-Act 3.45pm to 5.45pm

Tuesday	25th April	14:30 - Y3 Assembly
Wednesday	26th April	Poplar Group 1 Swimming
Tuesday	2nd May	14:30 - Y4 Assembly
Wednesday	3rd May	Poplar Group 1 Swimming
Tuesday	9th May	14:30 - Y5 Assembly
Wednesday	10th May	Poplar Group 2 Swimming
Wednesday	17th May	Poplar Group 2 Swimming
Wednesday	24th May	Poplar Group 2 Swimming
Friday	26th May	Term 5 Ends

Y6 Assembly will take place later in the year

# Attendance Matters

THE GRANGE SCHOOL  
DAVENTRY, NORTHAMPTONSHIRE

Weekly Attendance for week commencing - Monday 13th  
March-Friday 17th March 2023

Ash 93.3%	Willow 91.0%	Acer 97.5%
Fir 97.1%	Yew 94.2%	Bonsai 94.9%
Oak 81.9%	Maple 92.8%	Hawthorn 87.9%
Lime 92%	Poplar 88.6%	Sequoia 95.3%
Birch 96.7%		<b>Sycamore 97.6%</b>
Palm 91.0%		

Our whole school target for attendance is **96%**  
Last week our whole school attendance was **92.7%** - This  
must improve!

Well done to all **323**  
children who had 96%  
or above attendance last  
week!

**96%**

## Nursery News

Are you looking for a Nursery place for your child?  
We have places available here at The Grange  
Nursery, from April and September 2023.

**Monday -Friday 9am-12pm sessions available**

Please speak to Mrs Best in the school office if you  
would like more information, or to register for our  
Nursery.

## Residential Visits - Parent Meetings

### Y6 IOW Residential

Choose one of

9:15 Wednesday  
19th April

OR

17:00 Wednesday  
19th April



# Safeguarding & Online Safety

**Top Tips for Adopting SAFE & HEALTHY ONLINE HABITS**

Everyone has so much going on in their lives, and that includes children from exams and deadlines to anxiety and mental health struggles. It's only when we spend research, read news and notice about the things that stress us, that stress and the last time you... on your mind. It's time to make it a moment to share something that's positive instead! In fact, when did you last stop and think about your family's digital resilience? There are lots of ways that children can become more resilient to these online risks and guided together here are some positive strategies to help.



**WHAT IS DIGITAL RESILIENCE?**

Resilience doesn't mean being so tough that nothing gets to you, but it's about "putting up with things and it's about being able to get on with life after a setback. Everyone faces setbacks, setbacks, setbacks or setbacks. It's how we respond and deal with these situations which is important. Digital resilience is about helping children to be able to cope with setbacks when we're using digital devices. Building your child's digital resilience will help reduce the impact of potential risks and their struggles with and navigate around the online world.

**REACH OUT FOR SUPPORT**

- If you have a problem online, don't be afraid to ask someone that could help.
- Follow people on social media who have the same values and interests as you.
- You could always talk to a friend, or a trusted adult like a teacher or family member for some advice.

**PUT SAFETY FIRST**

- If you see something online that seems dangerous, it's probably best to report it to someone you trust.
- You should also report the content that's making you feel uncomfortable or that's abusive or app that you're not sure if it's safe, so they can be taken down.
- Another option is to block the person or the account that you could go any further by totally blocking the app you were using.

**GET THINGS CLEAR IN YOUR HEAD**

- Ask yourself what kindness online actually looks like. Can you be nice and supportive towards your online friends? Did they do it?
- Think about how it makes you feel if someone sends you a positive message online.
- What about the opposite? Has anyone ever been nasty or unkind to you online? What did they do and how did it make you feel?
- If someone's behaviour online is causing you stress, try to think yourself of all the things you can do to help yourself and make you feel better about being online.

**KEEP YOUR HEALTH IN MIND**

- Try to factor in regular breaks offline and away from your screen - whether it's reading, a walk or a stroll to your local shop can really work wonders.
- Sometimes to brilliant sleep - because even a walk around the block or a run or a stroll to your local shop can really work wonders.
- So the more you're about putting devices away in plenty of time with a good night's sleep, which is essential for overall health.

**Meet Our Expert**

Dr. Sarah-Jane...  
@nationalonline\_safety

**National Online Safety**  
#WakeUpWednesday

Twitter: @nationalonline\_safety  
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Years of this guide are in their own discretion. Availability is subject to change. Current as of the date of release: 16.03.2023

## WELLBEING MATTERS



Children from our 'Community Changemakers' will be providing a selection of springtime activities during our 'Wiggle on Wednesdays' session on Wednesday 29th March. They are very excited about meeting some of our youngest children.

## Donation of coats for children

We are working closely with a local charity who is supporting schools with coats for kids. If you need any support please contact Mrs Hennessy [mrs.hennessy@thegrangeschooldaventry.net](mailto:mrs.hennessy@thegrangeschooldaventry.net)



**FREE!**

# DAVENTRY YOUTH HUB

**AGE 11+**

**EVERY FRIDAY**  
(Term Time Only)  
**4.30PM - 6.00PM**

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## Easter Multi-Activity Holiday Club

**Mon 3 - Thurs 6 & Tue 11 - Fri 14 April 2023**  
**The Grange School, Daventry**

Over 20 activities!

**Enrichment Activities**  
Laser tag - Scooters - Nerf Wars - Disco  
A different one each day

Limited Spaces!

Our Ofsted registered Multi-Activity holiday clubs held at **The Grange School, Daventry** is open from **Mon 3-Thurs 6 Apr & Tue 11-Fri 14 April**. The venue has fantastic facilities including; indoor areas, indoor hall, playground, a large field and outdoor exploring areas.

Each full day consists of 4 guided activity hours where children take part in 'Sports Starz' & 'Creative Starz' activities. Accompanied with free play and weekly themed activities, there is something for everyone!

Places available - Max free childcare accepted!

THIS EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT AVAILABLE! BOOK BY 22/03/2023

### WHAT'S ON THIS EASTER?

Activities to try: Den building, Scooters, Themed Arts & Crafts, Puzzles, Quiz's, Circus Skills, Talent Show, Nature Explorers & more!

Sports we play: Running Games, Dodgeball, Nerf, Indoor Curling, Archery, Ball Games, Football, Cricket, Outdoor & Adventure & more!

Free Play: Football, Ball Games, Hoops & Skipping, Gong Ball, Air Hockey, Table Football, Ping Pong & more!


 Easter Bunny Hunt  
 Thurs 6 April 10.00am-12.00pm


 TOP SECRET  
 Tue 4 April 10.00am-12.00pm


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PARENT AND CARER

Wednesday 19th April

# Coffee meeting

2:15 to 3:15pm  
At The Grange School

Please come and join us for a coffee, meet other parents, ask advice and see a friendly face



Jenny, our Place2Be family practitioner will be running a parent **selfcare** workshop during our coffee meeting on Wednesday 19th April at 2:15pm.

We look forward to seeing you there.



## A Spotlight on Special Needs



### THE IASS NORTHANTS SERVICE IS CHANGING



April  
1  
2023

Please note, from this date, there will be one service for the North of the County and one for the West of the County:



**North Northants**

Tel: 0300 373 2532

Email: SENDIASS@northnorthants.gov.uk



**West Northants**

Tel: 0300 12 61039

Email: SENDIASS@westnorthants.gov.uk

# GAME ON! JOIN OUR TEAM

**DRAYTON GRANGE FC**

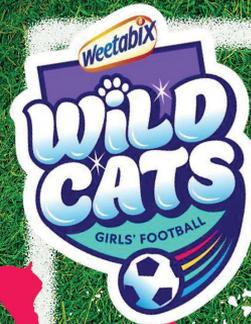


**ALL AGE GROUPS (4 to 18yrs)**

We are looking for players to join our 4-6yr minis  
and all other youth age groups for the current season

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL [treasurer@draytongrange.net](mailto:treasurer@draytongrange.net)  
OR MESSAGE/CALL 07803 084502

[www.draytongrange.net](http://www.draytongrange.net)



# GIRLS FOOTBALL

**STARTING APRIL**

Come and join our girls only fun and friendly football training sessions

**9-11YRS** Mon April 17th 6-7pm | **4-8YRS** Tues April 18th 5.30-6.30pm

At Mayfield Park SC, Royal Star Drive, Daventry NN11 9FZ  
£3 per session, 1st session free

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**HAVE FUN & MAKE FRIENDS WHILST PLAYING FOOTBALL**

# Upcoming Parents Evenings

Parent Evening appointments are Wednesday 29/03/23 and Tuesday 18/04/2023, with the exception of Palm, Lime and Poplar classes.

Appointments are face to face at the school.

Please don't hesitate to contact the school office should you have any questions.

Tickets for the Disco will be on sale until 29/03/23 between 3.15-4pm

On Monday 27th, you will be able to purchase tickets via the office during school hours. Alternatively, you can email [admin@thegrangeschooldaventry.net](mailto:admin@thegrangeschooldaventry.net) for ticket requests.



## TICKETS are £2

Ticket sales are available from Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March. Pop to the school office between 3.15pm – 4pm to get your Disco Ticket!

## Disco Date: Friday March 31<sup>st</sup>

Refreshments provided with an Easter surprise to take home!

KS1: Reception to Year 2 from 5pm to 6.15pm  
KS2: Year 3 to Year 6 from 6.30pm to 7.45pm

Tickets £2 from the school office.

*This event is sponsored by FROGS*



# World Cup

## FEMALE FESTIVAL

WELLINGBOROUGH  
OLD GRAMMARIANS  
NN8 6BS

SUNDAY 23RD  
JULY 2023

10AM - 4PM



### Tournament

5-A-SIDE  
U9 | U11 | U13  
9-A-SIDE  
U15

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# Female FOOTBALL OPPORTUNITIES

There are a number of different opportunities for females to play football around Northamptonshire

## OPPORTUNITIES

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GRASSROOTS | RECREATIONAL  
WALKING FOOTBALL

5-11 YEAR OLDS



12 YEARS OLD +



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