

# Thorn Grove Gazette

Friday 31st March 2023

Dear Thorn Grove Families,

Welcome to this week's edition of Thorn Grove Gazette and what a bumper of a week it has been! We have managed to fit in a Spring Showcase, a performance of 'Plastic Pirates', an EYFS Stay and Play session and a visiting Paralympian with sponsored sport event. In preparation for today's visiting sports star, the children generated questions during Monday's assembly and I was astounded at how thoughtful and sensitive the questions were.

As we enter into the Summer term, children are now able to wear summer dresses and polo shirts; I am just crossing my fingers we get some eagerly awaited sunshine!

Have a wonderful Easter break; I look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 17th April.

Miss Vose

## Key Dates



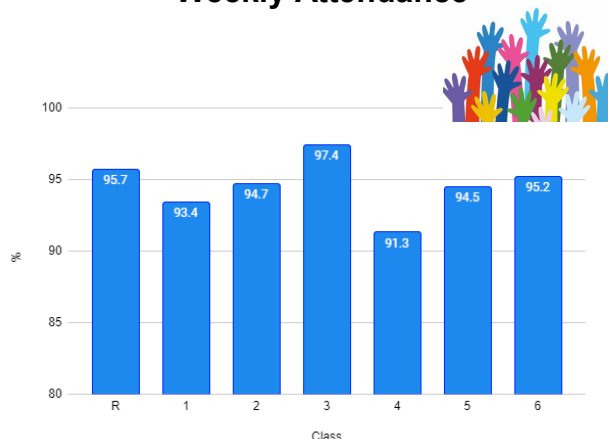
- Mon 17th Apr - First day back at school
- Thurs 27th Apr - Y3 Class Assembly
- Mon 1st May - May Bank Holiday
- Thurs 4th May - INSET day (School closed)
- Mon 8th May - Coronation Bank Holiday
- Tues 9th May - Y6 SATs week
- Thurs 18th May - Y4 Class Assembly

## Free Milk

If your child is entitled to a free school meal, they are also eligible for free school milk. If this is something you would be interested in please email [admin@tgps.uk](mailto:admin@tgps.uk)



## Weekly Attendance



This week's  
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the  
Week**



## Plastic Pirates

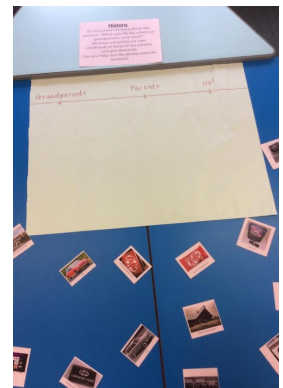
On Wednesday Year 3 and 4 performed 'Plastic Pirates' to an audience of very proud family members. I was delighted to see our children perform with such confidence. They sang beautifully, delivered their lines with clarity and well and truly brought their characters to life. I am also very proud to see the children taking risks and stepping out of their comfort zone. Performing in front of an audience is not easy. I was also delighted to see the children tackling such an important issue as plastic in our seas and oceans. At Thorn Grove we know our children want to discuss topical issues and we feel it is imperative these are part of our curriculum offer.

Well done Year 3 and 4!



## Spring Showcase

Thank you so much to everyone for attending the Spring Showcase on Wednesday. This was a Thorn Grove 'first' and it was a privilege to see so many parents and relatives in school interacting with their children and finding out about their learning. As this was the first time we have held this event, we would like to gather some parental feedback. Please could I ask you take a few minutes to complete the short [survey](#).



## EYFS Easter Stay and Play

Thank you to all who attended the Easter Stay and Play session today. The children looked amazing in their Easter bonnet creations.

