



PROSPECT VALE GAZETTE

We care, we strive, together we thrive

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A Message from the Headteacher

Welcome back to this week's edition of the Gazette! This issue is a little shorter than usual, but it is packed with essential dates for your diary and some wonderful news from our recent events. We'll be back to our full-length format next week, but for now, let's dive into what's happening.

Recent Successes

The Easter Picnic A massive thank you to everyone who attended our Easter Picnic! It was a roaring success and a joy to see so many families enjoying (some) sunshine. We are thrilled with the amount raised – please see below for all the details of our special afternoon.

Attendance Stars A huge "Well Done" to our attendance winners this week! As a special treat, there will be a **Cinema in the Hall** next week for the winning classes. Enjoy the popcorn!

Upcoming Events

As usual, we have our diary dates for next week, but please see some other things coming up this half-term below!

- **Friday, 8th May:** School Disco!
 - Younger children session. Details to follow.
- **Friday, 15th May:** * School Disco
 - Older children session.
 - **Year 6 Sleepover:** An exciting night in for our oldest students!
- **Wednesday, 20th May:** We will be holding our **Eid Celebration**. We look forward to coming together as a community for this special day.

A Friendly Reminder

Considerate Parking To keep our children and neighbours safe, please remember to **park considerately** during drop-off and pick-up times. Please avoid blocking driveways or parking on yellow lines. Your cooperation helps keep our community safe and happy.

Have a wonderful weekend! We'll be back next week with even more news and updates. **Well done to all our children for another great week!**

Mr Redfearn
Headteacher



Dates for your diary

Monday 20th April

- ☆☆ Cheshire Cricket in School with Year 1, 2, 5 and 6
- ☆☆ Cheshire Cricket After-school Club with 2, 3, 4 and 5
- ☆☆ Cheer Year 1/2 After-School Club

Tuesday 21st April

- ☆☆ KS2 Choir
- ☆☆ 3.15-4.15 – Recorder club
- ☆☆ Boys and Girls Football Club KS2

Wednesday 22nd April

- ☆☆ Class Photos
- ☆☆ Forest School

Thursday 23rd April

- ☆☆ Cheer, Y4/5/6

Friday 24th April

- ☆☆ Year 4 Recorder
- ☆☆ Year 5 Brass
- ☆☆ Cinema afternoon with attendance winners!



An Egg-traordinary Afternoon: The Easter Picnic!

I want to start this week's gazette with a **massive, heartfelt thank you** to our incredible PTA. We might only have a small team behind the scenes, but wow—they certainly didn't half put on a show for us! We are so lucky to have such a dedicated group of parents and volunteers who go above and beyond for our children.

The picnic was a roaring success, and we are thrilled to announce that a wonderful **£436** was raised for the Prospect Vale PTA! A huge thank you to everyone who came along to support the event and, of course, to our fabulous staff for their tireless help in making it all happen.

Highlights from the Day

The atmosphere was buzzing, and there was no shortage of "egg-citement":

- **Beat the Bunny:** Many of you took your best shot at scoring a goal against our very own Mr. Nixon!
- **The Classics:** From "Name the Teddy" and "Guess the Number of Eggs" to the new and popular "Lolly Stick Pick" in the sand.
- **Festive Winners:** A huge well done to the winners of our Paper Plate Eid and Easter competitions—the creativity was off the charts!



A Personal Note from the Head: > I have *just* about warmed up after being the target for **Splat the Headteacher!** I'll be honest—I'm not sure I can look at some of our pupils the same way again after seeing the pure, unadulterated delight in their eyes as they soaked me with those sponges!













Cheshire Cricket – Last Few Spaces

You will have received a letter from school regarding cricket club after school with Cheshire Cricket. There are only a few spaces remaining for this fantastic activity. It is open to Year 2 to 5. Don't miss out – book you're your child's place to start on Monday today!

Get your dancing shoes ready

If you enjoyed the picnic, you'll love what's coming next. **The school discos are back!** We are delighted to confirm that both discos will feature disco games, a magic show, and plenty of dancing.

- Little Disco (Reception, Yr 1 & 2): 8th May @ 4:15pm
- Junior Disco (Yr 3, 4, 5 & 6): 15th May @ 4:15pm

Tickets are £5 (including a drink and snack on arrival) and are available now at:  www.pta-events.co.uk/prospectvale/

Don't miss out—let's keep this amazing community spirit going!





PROSPECT VALE DISCO

**KEY STAGE 1
(RECEPTION, Y1 & Y2)**

**FRIDAY 8TH MAY
4:15pm to 5:15pm**

**KEY STAGE 2
(Y3, Y4 , Y5 & Y6)**

**FRIDAY 15TH MAY
4:15pm to 5:15pm**

**TICKETS COST £5 PER CHILD
AND INCLUDE A DRINK AND A SNACK**

**TO BOOK YOUR TICKET USE THIS LINK
<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/prospectvale/>**

**TO VOLUNTEER FOR THE EVENT EMAIL
prospectvale@gmail.com**



Certificate Winners

Well done to our certificate winners this week. You went above and beyond in exemplifying our school ethos!

Reception	Thomas B
Year 1	Aaliyah
Year 2	Aleen
Year 3	Eesa Q
Year 4	Mussa
Year 5	Safa
Year 6	Ruby

Well done everyone!

Dojo Certificates

Every day, children are awarded with dojo points that count towards a weekly total and an ongoing total. The weekly total winners for each class are displayed here. There are also opportunities to receive badges for children collecting dojos over time. This allows us to celebrate our school ethos at every opportunity.

Reception	Louis
Year 1	Shantul
Year 2	Harjus
Year 3	Musa
Year 4	Eshaal and Emily
Year 5	Adil
Year 6	Raima

Attendance

Well done to Year 2 and Year 5 for achieving the highest attendance this week! Keep up the great work! Our weekly attendance was 95,4

This is below our weekly target of **96%** target. We need to try our best in the summer months to get back towards our 96% average!

Reception	94.2
Year 1	89.3
Year 2	100
Year 3	98
Year 4	93
Year 5	100
Year 6	94.2
TOTAL	95.4



