

THORN GROVE GAZETTE

FRIDAY 7TH NOVEMBER 2025



Dear Thorn Grove Families,

Welcome to this week's edition of Thorn Grove Gazette and welcome back to the new half term. Thank you to everyone who attended the Spooky Disco, all the effort in creating the fantastic costumes, to all our PTA members for organising this event and our musical treat from the Mr and Mrs Hall.

Have a lovely weekend,
Miss Vose

Key Dates

Tue 11th Nov - UKS2 Dodgeball

Wed 12th Nov - Individual School Photos

Wed 12th Nov - EYFS Dental Visit

Wed 12th Nov - Bags2School Pickup

Mon 17th Nov - Pupil Flu Vaccines

Tue 18th Nov - UKS2 Hockey

Wed 19th Nov - LKS2 Dodgeball

Fri 21st Nov - Non Uniform Day/ Hamper Donations

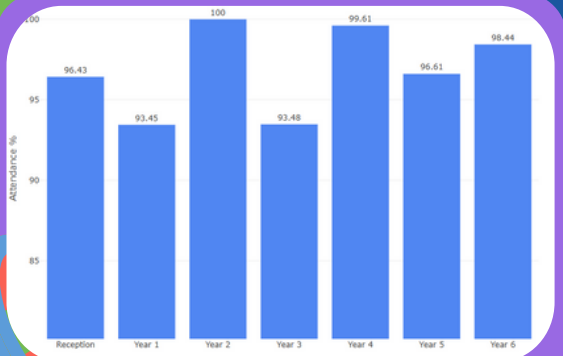
Collaboration Value Champions



Assembly of the Week

This week we used our assembly to discuss the new behaviour ladder to be used across school. We started by talking about our value for the half term: **RESPONSIBILITY** and how this links to our behaviour choices.

We talked as a group about low level behaviours that we do not want to see in and around school and how the behaviour ladder can support this. Our children asked lots of questions to ensure they understood.

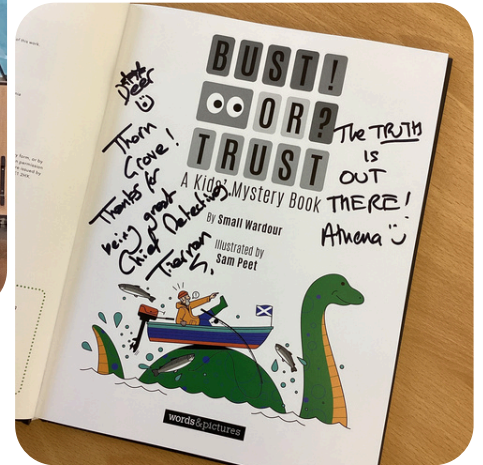


Weekly Attendance

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Bust or Trust? A live podcast for KS2

On Tuesday, KS2 spent the afternoon with Tiernan and Athena - better known as the hosts of award-winning family podcast Bust or Trust. Exploring the myth of dragons, they looked at all the available evidence, along with legends from around the world, to decide whether or not these creatures have ever actually existed. Ultimately, the children decided to bust that myth! We have two copies of the excellent new accompanying book in our school library, for all students to borrow and enjoy. A huge thank you to Simply Books for their help in organising this visit.



Christmas Tree Donation

A friend of our school, Reverend Sarah, has asked us to take part in the Christmas Tree Festival at our local All Saints Church. Mrs Williams is going to work with a group of talented artists from across the school to create some hand made decorations linked to the theme of joy. They will then be displayed at the church from the 12th-15th December. Does anyone have a spare Christmas tree they no longer use we could have to do this? If so please email admin@tgps.uk; we will be very grateful.



Bonfire Night In Team Carle

This week in EYFS Team Carle have been celebrating bonfire night. We have explored colour and texture whilst talking about colours and patterns. We finished the week off making patterns with sparklers. We talked about how we handle a sparkler and how we keep ourselves safe whilst using a sparkler. The children were so responsible and showed so much confidence whilst having fun. Well done Team Carle, Mrs Harding is proud of you all.



Individual School Photos

On Wednesday 12th November individual school photos will be taking place in school. Please make sure your child/children are photo ready and are wearing correct uniform. If this is there PE day, please ensure they wear their uniform to school and bring their kit in a bag.

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