



# All Things Thurlby

Dear Parents

## Congratulations

### Tim Certificate Winners

We would like to congratulate our Tim certificate winners for achieving their very best in a particular area of learning or for exemplary behaviour this week. Our Tim winners are:

- Reception - Francesca and Lois
- Year 1 - Charlie and Charlotte
- Year 2 - Mia and Connor
- Year 3 - Ruben and Lily
- Year 4 - Kai, Jessica S and Jacob
- Year 5 - Mya and Noah
- Year 6 - Not in school (Twin Lakes)

## Attendance

Our average attendance figure, for the week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> July 2021, was 97.8% with our Year 1 children achieving 100% attendance again for the **4<sup>th</sup> time** this term. Wow! Absolutely brilliant children, what superstars you are! ☺

## New Children's Fiction for KS2 for Summer 2021

Read a synopsis for each book here: <https://www.booksfortopics.com/post/ones-to-watch-new-children-s-fiction-for-summer-2021>





## Reception

Reception have had a very busy week! They enjoyed their brisk walk out in Thurlby on Tuesday morning to visit the Tiny Steps Petting Farm, where they had the opportunity to meet the donkeys, goats, horses and sheep. A great time was had by all!



Reception have been learning about other cultures and countries this term and in support of 'Italy week' they were treated to some yummy pizzas from Il Mulino of Bourne.

It looks like the children thoroughly enjoyed their Italian food tasting experience!





We've had more visitors in school this week to talk to our children about their chosen careers.

Thank you to Mr Bell who came in to talk to our Year 5 and 6 children about the world of IT, a favourite future career for a number of our pupils and to Mrs Ogden for coming to talk to our Reception and Year 1 children about being a Dentist.

The children learnt lots of information about good oral hygiene and how to look after your teeth properly.

We have more careers talks scheduled for next week including a Royal Marine, an Astrophysicist and Author. The children have really enjoyed these talks and have found them very interesting and helpful.

We couldn't have done it without the support of our parents and local community residents. Thank you to you all.

### **Year 4 - Tudor Day**

The class thoroughly enjoyed their Tudor Day last Thursday. They all came dressed up as a rich or poor Tudor person - their costumes were absolutely fabulous! I would like to thank parents for their support in providing these.

During the day, the children took part in a range of activities, such as playing tennis which was a popular sport in Tudor times, completing Henry VIII's family tree, creating their own portrait of Henry VIII as well as making a model of a Tudor house or designing and making a Tudor type board game. We listened to Tudor music throughout the day. In the afternoon, we held a Tudor banquet where the children learned about how Tudor people ate and how the servants served everyone - it was all very exciting! Well done and thank you for an amazing day, Year 4.







### Year 5 - Summer Holiday Challenges

Next week, the children will bring home some tasks in reading, maths, grammar punctuation and spelling to complete over the summer holidays. Each task is short so your child can spend just 10-15 minutes at a time. Please bring all three completed booklets back into school on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September**. Thank you. Miss Sones, Deputy Headteacher

### Year 5 - 'Party in the Park'

Year 5 will be having a 'party in the park' on the afternoon of Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July to celebrate the end of the year. Children are very welcome to bring in a small snack/sweet treat for themselves but **please ensure it is nut-free**. Thank you, Mrs Wells.

### Year 5 - Premier Education Sessions

Year 5 have thoroughly enjoyed their PE with Mr Moutrey this term. They have learnt lots about teamwork and orienteering. The children had to try and get as many pieces of paper between a pair without touching another piece of paper or the floor. They had to work as a team to get across the 'water' using only the hoops provided as their 'island'.





## PTFA

This school year has been a very difficult one for everyone. We've all had to adapt to a different way of living. The PTFA wanted to continue to raise funds but this had to involve not being in school. With no Christmas Fayre, or Summer Fete to raise funds, we had to come up with some new ideas.

We designed and produced calendars, Christmas and Father's Day cards, tea towels, proceeds from SK lottery, we had a Break the Rules day and name the bear draw; to name a few. Thanks for bagging up your unwanted clothing too (Bag2school).

A big thank you to everyone who purchased our ideas and donated. We are very proud to announce the PTFA have raised an amazing net sum of **£4,647.02** with your support.

This year, with the funds raised, the PTFA have covered the cost of Forest School and this will continue for next year. The PTFA have purchased for the school, WWF subscriptions for each class for the year, an outside reading chair, outside play and sports equipment, Science books for years 1 and 4, new purchases for year 2 and reception classes. We have also contributed to the cost of year 6 leavers hoodies, purchased books for the children for Christmas presents, and a chocolate egg at Easter for a treat!

Thank you for your continued support. If you are interested in joining the PTFA please come along to our AGM, which will be held on the Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 7.30pm at Lawrance Park or email [thurlbyptfa@gmail.com](mailto:thurlbyptfa@gmail.com).

Please visit <https://www.thurlby.lincs.sch.uk/page/29/ptfa> for many different ways to support the PTFA.

Have a lovely summer break and see you in September!

Emma, Laura, Michelle, Lisa, Nicola, Rebecca and Odette



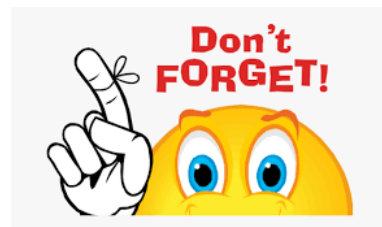
The PTFA will be selling ice creams and ice lollies at school on the last day of term, Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July.

Ice Creams £1  
Ice Lollies 50p

## Current Year 5

### Year 6 trip to Aylmerton Field Study Centre (2021-2022)

Thank you to parents who have already paid their £10 deposit for the Year 6 residential trip. We are very excited to see such a good take up so far. Please make sure that this payment is made by next Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July, at the latest.



If your child will not be participating could you please email [enquiries@thurlby.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@thurlby.lincs.sch.uk) before this deadline so we are aware of the overall number of children taking part, by this date. Thank you.

## Carrier Bags

Please can all children bring in a named carrier bag on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July to bring their books home with them on this day. Thank you.

## School Lunches - September 2021

Our new lunch menu for September is now live on the Taylor Shaw meals website. A copy of the menu and allergen list was sent out by Parentmail yesterday. The first term is available on the website, so you can order well in advance. This includes our first Theme Day Lunch, a Harvest Lunch on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October.

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August is the deadline for ordering meals for the first week of term (w/c Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September).** All orders, including free school meals, must be placed before the deadline - the kitchen will not be able to accommodate for any unordered meals. A main meal will be ordered for all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 if no order has been placed.

When you next log in to your account, you will be asked to change your child's class to the one they will move up to in September. All other account details will remain the same. If you have a child starting in Reception in September you can add them to your existing account.



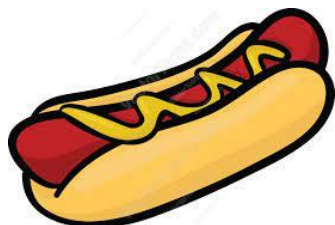
### Forest School

Just a note for the Year 2 and Year 6 parents that Forest School has now finished for the term so normal school uniform/PE kit will be required on the last day.

## Year 6

### VE Celebration Day

We are very much looking forward to the VE Celebration Day for our Year 6 children on Monday and seeing you all in your 1940s attire. Don't forget to bring in your packaged food items: Children with surnames up to K (inclusive) to bring in savoury items, and those with surnames from L to W to bring in sweet items. If your child has strict dietary requirements then we are, of course, happy for these children to bring in their own selection of both sweet and savoury foods.



### Year 6 Hot Meals - Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

For the year 6 children that have ordered a hot meal on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July, we have asked the Taylor Shaw kitchen to provide you with a special treat of hot dogs and chips to celebrate your last day. This can then be enjoyed 'picnic style' outside with all the Year 6 children. Let's keep everything crossed for continued sunny days ☺

*H. Joyce*

Mrs H Joyce  
Acting Head of School

### Upcoming Calendar Dates

Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> July -	Year 6 World War II VE celebration day
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July -	All children to bring a named carrier bag to school. Books coming home today.
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July -	Year 6 End of Year Performance to parents @ 1.45pm
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July -	Deadline for Year 6 2021-2022 residential deposit End of Term 6
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> August -	Deadline for ordering hot meals for week beginning 6 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> September -	Start of Term 1 Academic Year 2021-2022
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> September -	PTFA AGM Meeting @ Lawrance Park - all welcome