



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 Edith and Charlie
- Year 1 Francesca and Oli
- Year 2 Leanna-Rose and Olivia
- Year 3 Charlie and Henry
- Year 4 Dexter and Martha
- Year 5 Liam and Ava-Rose
- Year 6 Ethan and Lewis

<u>Attendance</u>

Our average attendance figure, for the week beginning 13th September 2021, was 96.2%. Congratulations to our Reception children for achieving 100% attendance. Super stars!



Award Success!

We are delighted to announce that Mrs Phillips, our Reception Teacher, has been declared *Inspirational Primary School Teacher of the Year* at the Spalding and Lincolnshire Education Awards 2021.

Mrs Phillips has been recognised for going above and beyond her role by tailoring her teaching to each child's requirements and taking a creative approach to learning. Her dedication to ensuring that the children meet their full potential was recognised at the awards evening.

Since joining Thurlby Academy Mrs Phillips has transformed both the indoor and outdoor areas allowing for a seamless transition between learning opportunities. Children utilise purposeful play to explore all areas of the curriculum developing their independence and love of learning.

We are very proud to have Mrs Phillips within our team!



<u> PTFA - School Calendar - Thursday 30th September</u>

The theme for this year's school calendar is 'school subjects'. Your child will be photographed on their birthday month.

The months will be as follows:

January - Mathematics February - English March - Science April - Geography May - History June - R.E. July - P.E. August - P.S.H.E. (Personal, Social, Health Education) September - Forest School October - Art November - D.T. (Design and Technology) December - Music

If you have a prop that is suitable for the chosen subject, please bring it in on the day. If not, a prop will be provided by school.

<u>History</u>

If your child has a May birthday and has worn a historical costume in school before then they are more than welcome to bring this to change into on the day.

Forest School and PE

Usual clothes worn for these subjects can be brought to school to change into when needed.

New Governors Needed!

We are looking to recruit new governors to add further strength to our local governing board.

If you are interested in supporting the development of our lovely school please get in contact for an informal conversation with Mrs Joyce, Acting Head of School. Please ring Mrs Pengelly on 01778 423311 in the first instance.

<u> Year 3 – Forest School</u>

It has been agreed moving forward that if you would prefer your child to wear their own top to school on Wednesday's you may do so, but please ensure this top is long sleeved due to the nature of the activities. Thank you.

Message from Reverand Carolyn Bailey, St Firmin's Church

Community Larder

In the church porch at St Firmin's there is a box of food, it isn't in place of food banks, but occasionally people find they are short of funds at the end of the week, and they could do without until the next funds come in.

The larder is there for those occasions, if you need some food pop down and take some, there is no one checking, nothing to sign, just take what you need.

If you have plenty and would like to donate, please drop it in but please ensure it is non-perishable.

Thank you, Reverend Carolyn Bailey, Rector of the Ness Group



Starstruck – School of Performing Arts

Starstruck Performing Arts School is excited to be opening after-school sessions at 1 Hub Bourne. The aim is to help children's mental health, wellbeing, confidence and resilience through the performing arts.



A free taster sessions can be booked on-line at https://www.starstruck-performing-arts.co.uk

Peterborough United Foundation

Please see the adjacent poster for information about local courses being run by the Peterborough United Foundation from October 2021.



Thurlby Academy Open Day - Thursday 14th October

We will be holding an Open Day on Thursday 14th October to welcome prospective parents to our school. Time slots will be between 9.30-11.30am and 1.15-2.30pm.

If you have a sibling due to join us next year and would like to have a look around then please do give us a call on 01778 423311 to book your appointment or if you have family/friends with children due to start school in September 2022 then please spread the word far and wide ©. Many thanks.



Year 6- Residential Payment Due

Don't forget the remaining deposit of £45.00 is due to be paid by Thursday 23^{rd} September at the very latest, thank you.

<u> Year 6 - Secondary Transfer</u>

Further to our recent letter, please ensure you use the Lincolnshire County Council online application system, found on their website at <u>www.lincolnshire.gov.uk</u> before the deadline of 31st October. If you apply after this date there is no guarantee that your application will be considered along with all others for the national offer date of 1st March.

Thurlby Runs - Sunday 19th September

It's not too late to enter, come along on Sunday and get signed up. Proceeds from this event are shared between Thurlby PTFA and Thurlby Scouts.





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Mrs H Joyce Acting Head of School

<u>Upcoming Calendar Dates</u>

Sunday 19th September -Thursday 23rd September -Thursday 14th October -Thursday 30th September - Thurlby 10K and Village Runs - the fun starts from 10am Year 6 deadline for remaining £45 deposit for residential trip Open Day - 9.30-11.30am and 1.15-2.30pm School Photographs - NO FOREST SCHOOL TODAY and PE KIT <u>NOT</u> NEEDED - just trainers to change into during session) Calendar props for afternoon (if you have any) Year 6 - Deadline to apply for secondary school transfer

Sunday 31st October -