



All Things Thurlby

Newsletter 02
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Dear Parents

Thurlby Stars Certificate Winners

We would like to congratulate our Thurlby Stars for demonstrating one of our Thurlby Values this week. Our winners are:

- Reception** - Harry and Laken
Year 1 - Huntleigh and Robin
Year 2 - Harper and Charlie
Year 3 - Leo K and whole class for super behaviour on their school trip
Year 4 - Ella D and Arlo
Year 5 - Oliver and Maxim
Year 6 - Khaleesi and Felicia

Attendance

Our average attendance figure, for the week beginning 15th September 2025, was 95.9%.

Class Attendance Awards

1st	Year 3 and Year 6	99.3%
2nd	Year 2	98%
3rd	Year 4	94.6%

Forest School - Year 3

Last week, Year 3 had their first Forest school session of the year. After reminding themselves of the Forest school rules, they started off with an introductory game of stuck in the mud. Next, they told Miss Titman some of the facts they have learnt about the Stone Age and, together, talked about what Stone Age people might have used to create art work such as cave paintings.

Despite the rain, Year 3 were able to create natural paints using mud, flowers and berries. They chose what items to use and mixed them with a little water and used a stick to crush up and mix it all together. Once they had their paint, they created pictures on paper and the stone path. There were lots of amazing creations and some children also made wooden bead necklaces and bracelets.





Year 3 visit to Grimsthorpe Castle

Year 3 had a great day of outdoor learning at Grimsthorpe yesterday. We learnt all about deer from the British Deer Society, how animals use camouflage, watched some forestry machines in action, which fruit and vegetables are grown in the kitchen gardens, played some nature games and finally, how long tree roots can be!

The children listened attentively, asked some super questions and behaved brilliantly. Well done 😊

Thank you to Grimsthorpe Castle Countryside Learning for providing this day for our children, free of charge. A super day was had by all.





Year 6

Year 6 had an unforgettable experience this week using Now Press Play to explore life during World War II.

With headphones on and imaginations engaged, Year 6 were transported back in time to witness key moments from the war through the eyes of a child. From air raid sirens and evacuation to rationing and resilience, the immersive adventure helped bring history to life!

It sparked thoughtful discussions, deepened understanding, and gave our children a real sense of what it might have felt like to live through such a significant period in history. This experience has inspired our writing and we cannot wait to read their completed diary entries!



HARVEST 2025

On **Friday 10th October**, we will be holding our harvest assembly in school. Once again, we are going to support Bourne Foodbank, a charity local to us <https://bournefoodbank.org.uk/>. They provide emergency food and support to those in need in Bourne and the surrounding area. We would be very grateful if you are able to contribute, by your child bringing in an item to school, on this day.

The Bourne Foodbank has advised that the adjacent items are just a few things that they are running low on. For a full list of all items please take a look at the [How To Help](#) page.

Please note, the charity **does not collect fresh foods** as they do not keep very long.

Thank you for your support. Anything that you are able to give will be gratefully received.



WANTED

Coffee
Tea bags
Pasta Sauce
Tinned Fruit
Tinned Meat
Biscuits
Tinned Soup
Tinned tomatoes
Tinned rice pudding
Tinned custard
UHT Milk
Tins of Vegetables
Washing Powder
Shower gel
Toilet Rolls
Deodorant (men and women)

Celebrating Pupil Success

Well done to Arthur, Reception and Philly, Year 2, on their showjumping success last weekend.

Arthur took part in his very first show, winning his lead rein show on Moony and placing 2nd in the fancy dress as spiderman on Jack. He was brilliant all day and spoke with lots of confidence to the judges.

Philly won both the 30cm and 40cm showjumping, came 2nd in her show and 1st in the 30cm working hunter. This meant she also qualified for the championships! She didn't place, but a big achievement to be in the ring with all of the other winners who were mostly adults.

Wonderful achievements children, we are very proud of you! 😊





School Trip Payments

Year 2 trip to Grimsthorpe

£17.60 to be paid via MCAS before 6th October please.



Mrs K Finch
Headteacher

Upcoming Calendar Dates

Monday 22nd September -
Monday 29th September -
Friday 10th October -
Monday 13th October -
Wednesday 17th October -
Thursday 23rd October -

Friday 24th October -
Monday 3rd November -
Thursday 6th November -
Tuesday 11th November -
Friday 19th December -

Details to follow

PTFA AGM Lawrance Park 7.30pm
Flu vaccinations - Rec to Year 6
Harvest Assembly
Year 2 trip to Rockingham Castle
Reception 2026 Open Morning - 9.15-10.15am and 11.00am -12.00pm
PTFA 'Dare to be Different Day'
End of Term 1
Training Day
Start of Term 2
Parents' Evening
Parents' Evening
End of Term 2

NEW FOR 2023
WEEPABOARD LARK OPTION

HOLIDAY CLUB

OCTOBER HALF TERM

BUSH CRAFT
MONDAY 20TH

SPORTS FOREST SCHOOL ARTS & CRAFTS
TUESDAY 21ST

WOODLAND CHEFS
WEDNESDAY 22ND

SPORTS FOREST SCHOOL ARTS & CRAFTS
TUESDAY 28TH

AUTUMN ADVENTURES
WEDNESDAY 29TH

over the rainbow
THURSDAY 30TH

HALLOWEEN SPECIAL

CHOOSE FROM ONE OR MORE OF OUR THEMED DAYS

EACH DAY INCLUDES

- A TRACTOR RIDE ACROSS THE FIELDS
- THEMED ACTIVITIES
- CAMPFIRE S'MORES
- GAME
- & GUARANTEED ADVENTURES

HOLIDAY CLUB SUITABLE FOR 4 - 11 YEARS

9AM - 3.30PM

£40/DAY*

*DISCOUNT APPLIED FOR MULTIPLE BOOKINGS

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