



All Things Thurlby

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Dear Parents

Congratulations

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 - Rory and Mollie
Year 1 - Florence and Olly
Year 2 - Elissa and Joel
Year 3 - Daphne and Sasha
Year 4 - Aaron and Desi
Year 5 - Ethan and Harry
Year 6 - Romulo and Izzy

Attendance

Our average attendance figure, for the week beginning 20th May, was 92.7%. Unfortunately, we have seen a dip in our attendance over the last few weeks due to a number of our children taking holidays in term time.

Please remember that holidays during term time are not permitted and will be unauthorised. It is pivotal, however, that you do not ask your children to lie to us if you do book a holiday. We understand that families do not want to be fined but we do find out that you have been away and when your children then tell trusted adults in school that they have been 'ill', this is not helpful for their future learning and teaches them that lying is ok.

Class Attendance Awards

1st	Year 4	96.3%
2nd	Year 1	95.8%
3rd	Year 3	94.2%

Stay Safe Partnership's Upcoming Online Safety Q+A events for Parents

Being able to keep up to date with the latest apps and trends in order to keep your children safe can feel like an overwhelming task. Lincolnshire County Council's Stay Safe Partnership deliver Online Safety workshops in Primary and Secondary schools across Lincolnshire every day.

In this event, the Stay Safe Partnership will give you the most up to date information and tools, so you feel confident that you can keep your children safe from online harm whilst still allowing them to explore the online world. Whether you want to know more around age-appropriate apps, online trends, parental controls, social media or any other burning questions this is the event for you! Sign up is required.

Stay Safe Partnerships Online Safety Q+A for **Parents of Primary Aged Children 5th June 2024**
6-7:30pm FREE TEAMS event sign up required: <https://buytickets.at/staysafepartnership/1238483>

Stay Safe Partnerships Online Safety Q+A for **Parents of Secondary Aged Children 19th June 2024**
6-7:30 pm FREE TEAMS event sign up required: <https://buytickets.at/staysafepartnership/1238529>

Wildlife Club

This week the wildlife club focused on birds. After a short bird quiz, the children split into two groups. One group had a relaxing time creating simple bird feeders whilst listening to bird song in the classroom. The other group enjoyed exploring the outdoors to find natural materials which they used to create their own transient bird artwork.



The pumpkins seeds, which were planted during the first session, have germinated well. They are now young, healthy plants ready to be planted out at home and in the school garden. If your child does bring home their pumpkin, pumpkins are thirsty plants and will need regular watering. We would love to see pictures and measurements of your pumpkins in the autumn - who can grow the largest or heaviest pumpkin?



Eco-Warriors in Action

Well done to our eco-warriors who have been out litter-picking this week. They have shown an admirable determination to ensure our school grounds are free from any litter which could prove harmful to the local wildlife.



Year 2

Year 2 have been learning about the work of Orla Kiely in art this term. They used different objects to print repeated and rotated patterns and then created nature inspired motifs. They used printing ink and rollers to make monoprints and then completed their work by overprinting, using a contrasting colour. The finished designs are all eye-catching, bright and colourful . Well done Year 2.



Year 4

Year 4 had a wonderful performance from Emmie and Desi this morning. The musicians had worked together to create chords for Desi's violin and Emmie sang lyrics that she had written herself. Maybe one day we will see you in the top charts! Well done!



PE and Forest School - Term 6

Please see the following information regarding PE kit days and Forest School for term 6.

Reception - Tuesday and Friday

Y1 - Monday and Thursday

Y2 -Wednesday*

Y3 -Tuesday and Wednesday

Y4 - Tuesday and Thursday

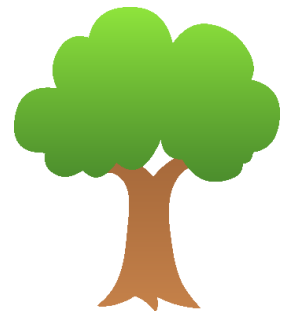
Y5 - Monday and Tuesday

Y6 - Friday*

Forest School

* Please note that Y2 and Y6 will be having Forest School in term 6 on Thursdays, starting on Thursday 6th June, so will need appropriate kit as they will go out in all weathers.

- Waterproof coat
- T-shirt
- Jumper
- Jogging bottoms/old jeans/waterproof trousers
- Wellington boots (in a separate named carrier bag)
- Sun cream/hat (weather dependent)



EYFS/KS1 Parent's Reading Coffee and Cake Session - Teaching your Child to Read

Just a reminder that you are warmly invited to attend the above session on Wednesday 5th June from 8.50-9.30am. The PTFA will be providing refreshments to enjoy during this session.



If you would like to join us, please complete the short Google form (link below) with the number of seats you require. <https://forms.gle/EGPRwP1SKxzru8157>

Year 6 Helpers - PTFA Summer Fayre

Just a reminder to complete the Google form (link below) if your Year 6 child would like to help at the PTFA Summer Fayre on Saturday 22nd June. Their support would be very much welcomed to help run some of the activities on the day. This may be for a one-hour slot or for the full duration of the fayre which is running from 1pm-4pm.

Please complete the form by Friday 7th June

<https://forms.gle/YCyDUh6JbxGuVZj9>



Thank you for your support.

We wish all our Thurlby families a wonderful half term holiday. Let's keep everything crossed that the sun makes an appearance 😊. We look forward to welcoming our children back, on Monday 3rd June, for our last term of this academic year. As you can see from the upcoming calendar dates below it is going to be a very busy term, filled with lots of exciting trips and events to look forward to!

K Finch

Mrs K Finch
Headteacher

Upcoming Calendar dates

Monday 3rd June -
Wednesday 5th June -
Thursday 6th June -
Friday 7th June -
Friday 14th June -
Saturday 22nd June -
Friday 21st June -
Monday 24th June -
Thursday 27th June -
Monday 1st July -
Wednesday 3rd July -
Monday 8th July -
Tuesday 9th July -

Wednesday 10th July -
Friday 12th July -
Tuesday 16th July -
Wednesday 17th July -
Thursday 18th July -

Friday 19th July -

DETAILS TO FOLLOW

Start of Term 6
Parent's Reading Coffee and Cake Session (EYFS and KS1 8.50-9.30am)
Year 5 visit to Sri Guru Singh Sabha Gurdwara, Peter borough
PTFA Dress Down Day
Sports Day KS1 - 10am, KS2 1.30pm
PTFA Summer Fayre 1-4pm
Year 4 Tudor Day
Reserve Sports Day
Summer Disco - EYFS/KS1 5.45-6.30pm, KS2 6.45-7.30pm
Year 6 Gala Dinner for parents 6.00-8.00pm
Singsation! Theatre Royal, Lincoln for participating Y2-Y6 pupils
Reception and Year 1 trip to Tattershall Farm Park
LAST SWIMMING SESSION TODAY
Year 6 afternoon trip to Bourne Academy - 'High School Musical'
Year 4 trip to Norwich Theatre - 101 Dalmatians
Year 3 Greek Day
Year 6 Leavers' Performance to parents @ 6.00pm
Year 5 trip to National Space Centre, Leicester
Rocksteady Concert for participating children @ 2.15pm
Year 2 - Great Fire of London Online Workshop
Year 6 trip to Spalding Bowl (return by approx 1.00pm)
End of Term 6

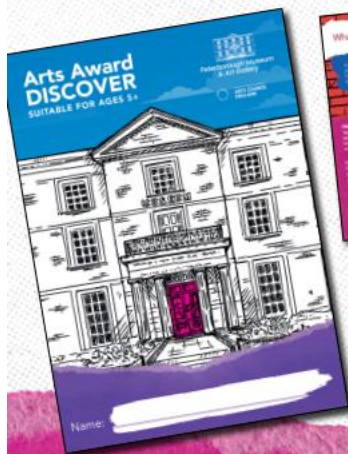
Half term Activities

Complete the Arts Award DISCOVER with Peterborough Museum & Art Gallery

Jun - Nov 2024
Suitable for ages 5 - 11

The Arts Award inspires young people to grow their arts and leadership talents - it's fun, creative and valuable.

- Learn about an artist
- Get super creative
- Share the experience with others



Following successful completion, you will receive an official Arts Award certificate from Trinity College London!

Find out more and book on today

📍 Priestgate, Peterborough, PE1 1LF 📞 01733 864663

✉️ museum@peterboroughlimited.co.uk 🌐 peterboroughmuseum.org.uk



ZOO SEUM

AT PETERBOROUGH MUSEUM

Tue 28 - Thu 30 May
10.00am - 4.00pm
(last entry 3.00pm)

Do you love animals? Are you barmy about birds? This half term Peterborough Museum is becoming Peterborough ZOO-seum and the birds are taking over!

Meet live birds of prey with their expert handlers, plus discover the Museum's wildlife collections, find out how scientists know what an owl had for breakfast, and try fun family crafts and trails.

Admission
Children (under 16s) - £3.50
Adults - £4.00
Under 5s - FREE

Families* - £15
*2 adults, up to 3 children

Find out more and pre-book at peterboroughmuseum.org.uk/events

VAULTS

PRIESTGATE TOURS

Tue 28 May - Sat 1 Jun, 11.00am

Have you ever wondered what goes on underneath one of Peterborough's most haunted buildings?

Take part in a Vaults tour and venture down into the Museum's cellars where you will explore layers of history rarely seen by the public and hear the stories (some of them scary!) of the people who once lived and worked within the building. This immersive tour uses digital projections and sound to bring the past to life!

Find out more and pre-book at peterboroughmuseum.org.uk/events

Admission
Under 16s - £3.50
Adults - £5.00
*Vaults tours are perfect for ages 8+

GO WILD

WITH THE ROMANS
at Flag Fen

**Join us for
some Roman
themed half
term fun!**

Wild crafting
Make your own unique Roman leaf crown and use your findings from the parkland at Flag Fen to print your own clay penny.

Wild questing
Follow the Roman Army trail to uncover the life of a Roman soldier, try out tests you would need to master to become a new recruit and win a prize.

Wild digging
Become an archaeology specialist in the Roman villa themed dig tent, learning how to identify your finds and what they mean.

Find out more about our Roman events and book at flagfen.org.uk/events

£3 per child
+ normal admission fee.



MAY HALF TERM

FOOTBALL FUN DAYS

£20
per day

9AM-
3PM

FUN & INCLUSIVE
SKILLS & GAMES
QUALIFIED COACHES
MULTIPLE VENUES
BOYS/GIRLS AGED 5-12

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WHY ONE TOUCH FOOTBALL?

Our football fun days are delivered by experienced, fun, qualified FA coaches. The aim of the game is simple..FUN and lots of it! With skills sessions, games and inclusive fun to suit all abilities our camps are brilliant for building confidence and self esteem

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