



All Things

Thurlby

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Dear Parents/Carers

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** - Laken and Sienna
- Year 1** - All of Year 1
- Year 2** - Joshua and Rory
- Year 3** - Freya and Alek
- Year 4** - Shanice and Jack
- Year 5** - Kavan and Rohan
- Year 6** - Pip and Nik

Attendance

Our average attendance figure, for this week, is 93.8%.

Class Attendance Awards

1st	Year 5	100%
2nd	Year 1	97.4%
3rd	Year 3	93.4%

Year 1 Trip

Our trip to Sandringham was a truly wonderful day from start to finish! We began with a tour of the beautiful gardens, where the children were amazed to see an incredible 800-year-old oak tree. After enjoying our lunch together, we were lucky enough to visit inside the King's house. The children asked thoughtful and interesting questions and were praised by the guides for their excellent manners and beautiful behaviour.

To finish the day, everyone had a fantastic time in the play area, full of smiles, laughter, and adventure! Throughout the trip, the children represented our school wonderfully and made us all incredibly proud.





Year 3 and 4 - TTRS Champ!

Congratulations go to Alek for being our champion on Times Tables Rock Stars this week. Well done on your award! 😊



Please see an update below from the Lawrance Park Trustees:



Dear Resident

Lawrance Park Trustees would like to provide an update on the work on the trees in the park. The trees were planted 50 years ago and enhance the aesthetic appeal of the park. With maturity comes some issues: Cherry trees diseased and beyond normal life expectancy, trees with co-dominant trunks splitting, trees with root rot, and sickly trees restricting the growth of healthy trees.

As a result, the Trustees have developed a plan to regenerate the tree population in the park. Initially this will involve 1 felling and pruning other trees, 2 grinding out roots, and 3 planting new trees. Stage 1 will be carried out in early/mid-June, stage 2 in mid/late June, and stage 3 in the early spring 2027. Work to fell the cherry trees in the car park was completed at the end of May taking advantage of half-term.

The work programme has been developed in consultation with, and recommendations by our tree consultants in association with our arborist. This is an extensive and expensive programme and we are indebted to the generosity of the Thurlby Causeway Estate Charity Feoffes. We are hopeful that no further work on the trees will be required over the next ten years, other than the annual dead-wooding and crown lifting.

Trees are living organisms and therefore what happens to them cannot be guaranteed: new diseases and hotter weather, for instance may have an impact. However, by doing this work now, the Trustees believe that the tree population and the beauty they bring to the park will be secured for years to come. We also believe the works will help increase the safety of the park for all visitors. New trees will be planted with consideration of the ground conditions, the proximity to neighbours and other trees, suitability of trees and longevity.

The Trustees apologise for any inconvenience caused during the works and would ask that you respect any safety barriers put in place by the contractors.

Weather conditions may dictate when the works are carried out, but the plan at the moment is to commence the work on Fri 5th June and continuing the whole of the week Mon 8th to Fri 12th. **Please note that the playground will be closed Tues 9th to Thurs 11th**. The team will return on Tues 16th to Thurs 18th to undertake the root grinding.

If there are any changes to the schedule, we will post the revised dates on the village Facebook pages, as well as our own Thurlby Community Hall Facebook page,

Celebrating Pupil Success

On Monday, Thea, Year 6, had an incredible 16 inches cut off her hair to donate to Little Princess Trust, who help to provide wigs for children and young people who have lost their hair due to cancer treatment and other conditions. ❤️ Thea currently has raised an amazing **£490** in sponsorship and this money will go towards the cost of making a wig. This is an amazing amount, well done Thea, we are very proud of you!

Should you wish to sponsor Thea and support this cause, please see the link below:

<https://fundraise.littleprincesses.org.uk/fundraising/theas-fundraising-page1370>



Trip payments

To be paid via MCAS please:

Year Group	Trip	Payment Amount	Payment Due by
Reception	Tattershall Farm Park	£15.80	Today please
Year 2	Great Fire of London Day	£14.45	Today please
Year 4	Swimming	£15.00 (last instalment)	Wednesday 1 st July
Year 5	Lincoln Zoo	£26.00	Friday 19 th June



As per our earlier MCAS announcement, please read the information below if your child has hot meals:

MCAS MENU CHOICE ERROR - WB MONDAY 22ND JUNE

It has come to our attention that the MCAS meal selection on week beginning Monday 22nd June is incorrect.

Please note that, as per the menu on our website, the Armed Forces Theme Day should be showing as the meal choice on Friday 26th June **NOT** Thursday 25th June.

If you have already ordered for Thursday 25th June, please do not worry, as we will use these selections for your child's meal on Friday 26th June.

However, the meal selection on MCAS for Friday 26th June is NOT correct. If you have ordered either Battered Pollock and Chips or Mexican Enchilada and Chips on this day, please complete the very quick google form (link below) to confirm your new choices.

<https://forms.gle/VMMGcPuYKBbZdGLu6>

Correct choices are:

Option 1 - Rainbow Vegetable Pizza with Homemade Wedges

Option 2 - Cheese and Spring Onion Loaded Potato Skins

If you have ordered any of the other choices on Friday (i.e. baguette, jacket potato, pasta pot) these will still be ordered as normal and no parental action is required.

If your child does not want either Option 1 or 2 you still have time to change your order via MCAS for the 3 remaining options (until midnight Tuesday 16th June).

If you have yet to order your child's meal for Thursday 25th June, please order via MCAS if your child wants baguette, jacket potato or pasta. If they wish to order pizza or cheese and onion roll, please order via the google form linked above.

If you have yet to order your child's meal for Friday 26th June, please order via MCAS choosing from the options that are listed for Thursday 25th June and we will internally transfer it over to the correct day.

Please accept our sincere apologies for this.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Pengelly.



Mrs K Finch
Headteacher

Upcoming Calendar Dates

Monday 8th June -

Tuesday 9th June -

Thursday 11th June -

Friday 12th June -

Tuesday 23rd June -

Friday 26th June -

Saturday 27th June -

Monday 29th June

Tuesday 30th June -

Wednesday 1st July -

Friday 3rd July -

Tuesday 7th July -

Wednesday 8th July -

Thursday 16th July -

Wednesday 22nd July -

Details to Follow

PTFA - Deadline to order Father's Day items

Information Evening for new Reception 2026 parents @ 6.00pm

Year 4 Class Assembly @ 9.45am

Forest School for Year 2 today

Year 2 - Great Fire of London Day

PTFA - Dress Down Day for Summer Hamper donations

Sports Day - EYFS/KS1 10am, KS2 1.30pm

Year 6 - Bourne Academy Transition Day

PTFA - Summer Fayre - Lawrance Park Field @1.00pm

Reserve Sports Day

Year 6 Gala Dinner 6.00-8.00pm

Reception trip to Tattershall Farm Park

Year 6 - Bourne Grammar Transition Day

Year 5 trip to Lincoln Zoo

Year 2 Class Assembly @ 9.45am

Year 4 - Last Swimming Session today

Rocksteady Concert for participating pupils @2.15pm

Year 6 Leavers' Production to parents @ 6.30pm

End of Term 6

Local Club

Sessions are on Mondays, 4-5pm at Redz Arena, Bourne and is designed for all school aged children of all abilities and experience levels.



All children can attend for 3 weeks for free too!

The poster features a photograph of children playing football on a grassy field. Below the photo is a blue banner with a yellow border. At the top of the banner is a circular logo with the letters "FF" in yellow and a soccer ball. The main text on the banner reads "Football Fun & Development" in large, white, bold letters. Below this, in smaller white text, it says "WEEKLY FOOTBALL FUN AND DEVELOPMENT FOR CHILDREN AGED 5-12 YEARS OLD". At the bottom of the banner, it says "REGISTER FOR A 3 WEEK FREE TRIAL" and "THEFOOTBALLFUNFACTORY.CO.UK" with a white arrow pointing to a QR code. Above the QR code, the text "SCAN HERE" is written in yellow.

Calling all Budding Artists.....

Bourne United Charities are currently organising a painting competition based on the landscapes and scenery of Bourne, and they would love to invite our children to take part. The competition is aimed at encouraging creativity and celebrating our local area through art. Please see the poster below for more details:

CHILDREN'S ART COMPETITION

THEME: "Bourne & Surrounding Scenery"

Capture and celebrate the beauty of our local area—landscapes, landmarks, parks, streets, or favourite views.

OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN
AGES 4-16

AGE CATEGORIES

- AGES 4-7 (EARLY YEARS)**
- AGES 8-11 (INTERMEDIATE)**
- AGES 12-16 (ADVANCED)**

PRIZES & EXHIBITION

- 1 WINNER FROM EACH AGE GROUP WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE
- TOP 3 ENTRIES FROM EACH GROUP WILL BE DISPLAYED TO THE PUBLIC AT THE RED HALL HERITAGE WEEKEND & R.A. GARDNER EXHIBITION 19TH – 20TH SEPTEMBER

SUBMISSION DEADLINE	DROP-OFF	ENTRY GUIDELINES	IMPORTANT
28 TH AUGUST	RED HALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">A3 MAXIMUM.ONE ARTWORK PER ARTISTSCENERY ONLY (NO PORTRAITS).	ARTIST CONTACT DETAILS MUST BE INCLUDED

GET CREATIVE & SHARE YOUR VIEW OF BOURNE!

PAINTING IN THE PARK

in Collaboration with
BOURNE UNITED CHARITIES
and the
OLD TOWN HALL

A CREATIVE COMMUNITY DAY

Join us for a relaxed and friendly outdoor art event where everyone is welcome to get creative and enjoy the beautiful surroundings of Bourne.

SATURDAY 22ND AUGUST | **11:00AM – 3:00PM** | **WELLHEAD PARK**

- ✓ A free, drop-in event for all ages
- ✓ Free art materials provided (paper, paints, easels)
- ✓ A welcoming space to relax, paint, and enjoy the outdoors



MEET LOCAL ARTISTS

Local art groups/ artists will be in the park to:

- Paint and draw live
- Chat about their work
- Share skills, tips, and creative ideas
- Inspire others to get involved in art

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

Free drop-in workshops running throughout the day perfect for young creatives to explore and have fun.



EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITY

Take part in our Heritage Weekend Exhibition at The Red Hall

19TH – 20TH SEPTEMBER

A great chance to showcase your work and be part of a celebration of local art in Bourne.



GET INVOLVED!

We'd love to have you join us! Come along, get creative, or simply enjoy the day.

Other Local Events planned by Bourne United Charities:

HERITAGE WEEKEND and R.A. Gardner EXHIBITION

In collaboration with
Bourne United Charities & The Old Town Hall





19TH – 20TH SEPTEMBER

10:00AM – 4:00PM (EACH DAY)

THE RED HALL, BOURNE

Join us for a special exhibition celebrating the work of R.A. Gardner alongside talented local artists.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- A collection of paintings by R.A. Gardner
- Artwork by local artists from the community
- Selected entries from the Children's Painting Competition

CELEBRATE LOCAL ART & HERITAGE

A wonderful opportunity to explore local creativity, support artists and step back in history at the Red Hall.






