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Thurlby

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 Leo and Freddie R
- Year 1 Jimmy and Hugo
- Year 2 Rosie and Grace
- Year 3 Ella D and Ralph
- Year 4 Maxim and Teddi-Flynn
- Year 5 Desi and Bella
- Year 6 Mia and Jack

Attendance

Our average attendance figure, for the week beginning 3rd February 2025, was 95.9%

Class Attendance Awards

1s†	Year 5	99.3%
2nd	Year 2	98.5%
3rd	Year 4	97.4%

<u>Mental Health Week</u>

This week was National Children's Mental Health Week. We incorporated activities into whole school assemblies, key stage assemblies and lessons. The Guinea Pigs, with some help from Mrs O'Loughlin, made all the children a card to remind them how special they are:



Forest school - Year 4

Our Year 4 children have been very busy at Forest School in the last 2 weeks. Last week, the children followed a map around the site and had to look out for objects that did not belong in nature. They also had to create things that would benefit the wildlife and think of ideas to help our school be more eco-friendly.





This week, the children have been practising bearings using compasses; they found North, South, East, West, Northeast, Southeast, Southwest and Northwest. We created a giant compass on the floor and used sticks and logs for the points and labels. They had to create their own treasure trails for their friends to follow and some of the children were very creative in making their own treasure.











Fashion Club

The children have been working hard in Fashion Club creating mood boards for their designs, using material, magazines and coloured paper.



This week the children completed these by adding colour and fabric swatches. These are now being used to create their final designs which they will be completing next week.





Well done children, your creations are looking fabulous! 😊

Charles Worth - 200

As you are all aware, we ran a competition in recent weeks in celebration of the 200th birthday of local fashion designer Charles Worth, who lived at Wake House in Bourne. Children from all the local primary schools were asked to create a befitting logo for the event scheduled this year. Well done to all our children for entering this competition, we had a number of commended entries. We are also absolutely thrilled to announce that 2 of the 3 potential winning logos were created by children from Thurlby Primary Academy.

Huge congratulations to Holly, Year 1 (Logo 1) and Kaleb, Year 3 (Logo 2) on their logos below. The ultimate winner is in the hands of the public and voting is taking place on Facebook at the moment. You can cast your vote by clicking on the link below:

2025 is the 200th birthday of local fash... - Worth 200





<u>TTRS Champ!</u>

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





Big-Hearted Friday

Today is a very special day as it is Big-Hearted Friday. A special charity, called 'Little Hearts Matter', have made this an important day to spread the word about special hearts, including Congenital Heart Defect (CHD).

This charity is supported by our very own Lili, from Year 1, who gave a wonderful speech in assembly to spread awareness of this condition, the charity and how everyone can help.

Lili says 'Little Hearts Matter' are amazing and give lots of support and advice to families in need. If you would like to know more and have a look at what they do, please click the link below. You can also donate too, if you are able to do so:

<u>Single Ventricle Heart Condition Charity - Little Hearts</u> <u>Matter</u>

We are incredibly proud of Lili, who was super brave to talk at the front of the hall this morning and is an inspiration to us all every day.









Family Learning - KS2

Following our recent Parent mail, there are still a few places available (only 12 available in total) on the forthcoming KS2 workshop, should you wish to get booked on.

The first session for KS2 will focus on reading, please see the adjacent poster. These sessions will involve parents working with Mrs Markham and Mrs O'Loughlin, with the children joining the session later on for some collaborative work.

Our first session on Winter Crafts with Reception and KS1 was a huge success last week so we are looking forward to welcoming our KS2 parents and children. Sessions will be run at school and are free of charge.

Please complete the google form below as soon as possible to secure your place.

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An invitation to Family Fun

An opportunity for mums, dads, grandparents and carers to join Mrs Markham as she shares ideas with you about how to make reading an enjoyable experience for everyone! Resources for the activities are provided.



Would you like to have some strategies to help your child with reading?

Family

Find ways to have fun together at home when encouraging your child to read?

Would you like to work with other adults and gain new skills?

A new family activity for you and your child!

The session consists of sharing some new reading ideas and suggestions for you to trial with your child at home. We will spend some adult time, with other parents, as well as quality time with your child.

Books are Brilliant! for KS2 families Wednesday 12th February 2025 9am - 12 noon @ Thurlby CP Academy

Please complete the Google form to book on to this session.

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Please bring PHOTO proof of ID i.e. driving licence to complete form for funding purposes.

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School Trip Payments

<u>Year 4 - The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe, Norwich Theatre - Thursday 10^{th} July £10.00 deposit to be paid by Friday 28^{th} February please.</u>

<u>Year 5 – Sr Guru Singh Sabha Gurdwara, Peterborough – Tuesday 11th February</u> £9.00 required by Monday 10th February please.

When you are ready to make your payments, please click on the Payment Section, followed by 'Go to Shop', Place Item in the Basket' and 'Pay'.



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Mrs K Finch Headteacher

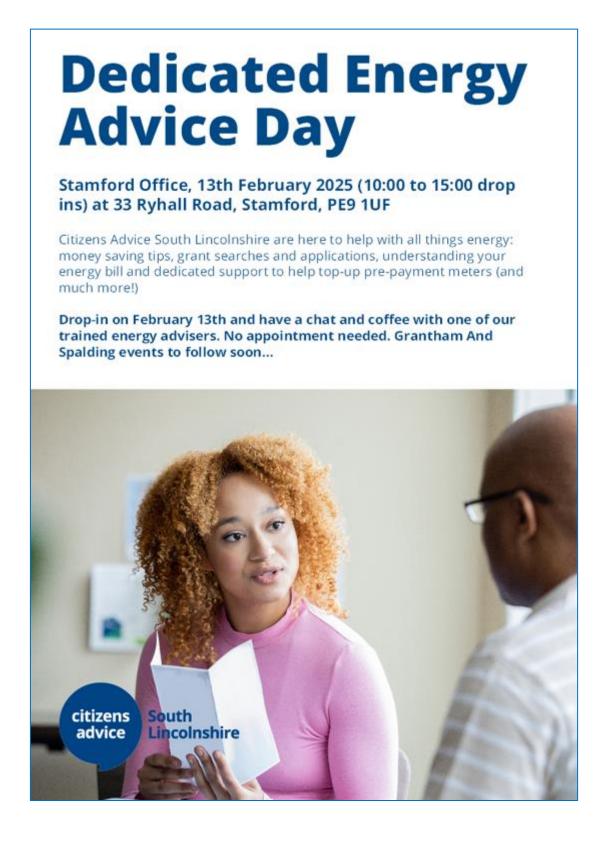
Upcoming Calendar Dates <u>Details to Follow</u>	
Tuesday 11 th February - Year 5 trip to Sri Guru Singh Sabha Gurdwara, Peterborough	
Deadline to order hot meals for first week back	
Friday 14 th February - PTFA Valentine's Dress Down Day	
Shakespeare morning rehersal	
Shakespeare for Schools Workshop at Thurlby <mark>@ 1.30-3:15pm</mark>	
End of Term 3	
Monday 24 th February - Start of Term 4	
Year 6 residential trip to Aylmerton Field Study Centre, Norfolk	
Wednesday 26 th February - Return from Aylmerton approx 3.30pm	
Wednesday 5 th March - Year 5 trip to Grimm and Co – Drama Day	
Thursday 6 th March - Parents' Evening	
Saturday 8 th March - Shakespeare Rehearsal at BWPA 9.30am-12.30pm	
Monday 10 th March - Parents' Evening	
Tuesday 11 th March - Last Shakespeare Rehearsal	
Wednesday 12 th March - Year 3 Class Assembly @ 9.45am	
SEND Parents' Evening	
Monday 17 th March - Shakespeare Performance – Rehearsal at Key Theatre am, plus ev performance	rening
Thursday 20 th March -	
Thursday 27 th March - Year 3 Visit to Peterborough Catherdral	
Thursday 3 rd April -	
Rocksteady Concert @ 2.15pm	
Friday 4 th April - End of Term 4	

Stamford Energy Advice Day

On Thursday 13th February, Citizen's Advice, South Lincolnshire, will be holding a special, one off-energy advice drop-in day for energy appointments only in Stamford. Please see the poster below for more details.

Citizen's Advice advised:

'After receiving our energy advice, the average income gain for clients is £500- this could be from energy grants, a fuel voucher, challenging incorrect bills, better tariffs etc. Our aim is to help as many people as possible with their energy before the end of March 2025.'





Email info@peterboroughjuniorblues.co.uk to book on now

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Bourne Chess Club

Please see the information sent to us from Bourne Chess Club:

Bourne Chess Club was formed in March 2024. It has grown rapidly and is a friendly and successful club.

Chess is becoming very popular amongst young people and is a social and beneficial activity to engage in and hence due to demand, as well as our regular Thursday Club night, we have now begun a Juniors evening, every Tuesday 6:30pm - 7:30pm at Wake House, Bourne.

The Juniors evening is geared to ages 6-12 and is $\pounds 2$ per session. Everyone is welcome, all abilities, and coaching is available for total beginners. Please see the Juniors and the General Club night flyers below.

For further information parents can: email bournechessclub@gmail.com or contact Wake House or www.bournechessclub.org

