



St Peter's NEWS

Issue 1 – Spring Term 2018

Friday 23rd March 2018

A letter from the Head Teacher

As we come to the end of our Spring Term we acknowledge so much has happened in school and we're grateful for all that we have to celebrate.

As always, the children have shown how brilliant they are and we thank all of you who have attended our Celebration Assemblies on a Friday afternoon.

Our Year 6 trip to Kingswood was hugely successful and from talking to the children who went we're certain a good time was had by all. Shame about the weather, but it didn't seem to dampen anyone's enjoyment. The children who remained in school enjoyed a walk along the prom to the arcades, some time playing on the slot machines and an ice cream stop on the way back. And the sun shone for them too, which was lovely.

Our Key Stage One children thoroughly enjoyed their trip to the Grimsby Auditorium for the Singing Festival. Listening to them practice in school was a joy and we can only imagine the wonderful atmosphere in the Auditorium with all the schools singing. Well done to everyone who took part.

The POP UK CD recording was the most fun for everyone and we're looking forward to seeing families for our concert on Tuesday. We've loved listening to the children rehearsing this week; well done to all the children, your voices sound amazing. Tickets are still available from the school office.

Our 'On Your Marks' cooking experience on Friday was great fun. The smells coming from the hall were superb. We clearly have some budding chefs in the school. Congratulations to the red team for winning!

I wish all of our families a joyous Easter holiday and look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 17th April.

Warmest regards

Mr Magnus Smedley

School Meals



Free School Meals

You can claim free school meals for a child if the child is in full-time education, you are responsible for the child, and you get at least one of the following benefits:

- Income support
- Income based job seekers allowance
- Income related employment and support allowance
- Guaranteed pension credit
- Child tax credit with an annual income each year of less than £16,190 (as assessed by tax credits)
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Universal credit

If you receive child tax credit *and* working tax credit, your child will not qualify for free school meals.

IMPORTANT: Even if your child receives Universal Free School Meal (Reception, Year 1 and Year 2) it is still important to apply for it, because the school will receive additional funding known as the 'pupil premium' for every eligible pupil.

To claim for free school meals you can complete the online form at www.nelincs.gov.uk/benefits/free-school-meals.

If you think your child should be registered for Free School Meals and you would like help applying, please speak to Mr Smedley who can be contacted through the main school office.



School finishes at 2 pm on Thursday 29th March. Our Achievers Assembly will be at 1.30 pm, after which you'll be able to collect your children in the normal way.



Clee Kids Club

Throughout the Easter holidays Clee Kids Club will be running their holiday club, on site at school. Families wishing to book their children in are encouraged to ring Lauren on **07952 927 249** to book places.

From Tuesday 17th April Clee Kids Club will provide full childcare from 3.05 pm, until 4 pm, 5 pm or 6 pm. Again, please ring Lauren to book your places.

Clubs in school

Starting from Monday 23rd April:

Monday - GTFC Multi-skills club for years 1 and 2.

Tuesday - Basketball club for years 5 and 6

Starting from Wednesday 18th April:

Wednesday - Art Club for years 1 and 2. Limited to 10 places.

Wednesday - Kwik cricket for years 3 and 4

Thursday - Sports club for all years 3, 4, 5, 6

Friday - GTFC Football club for years 4, 5 and 6.

All clubs will run from 3.15 pm until 4.15 pm.

All sports clubs are now limited to **16 places** only.

Other clubs may run from time to time and you will be notified of these. If any parents would like to run a club please do let us know as we'd love to have you in school.

Breakfast Club

Don't forget, breakfast club is open daily to all pupils from 7.40am to 8.40am in the hall and it is completely free!



On Thursdays and Fridays GTFC run sports sessions with the children, outside.

Please remember rain coats and sun hats next term!

Please remember to label all clothing with your child's full name and class. Thank you!

Punctuality

Please make every effort to ensure your child arrives on time to school. Registers are taken at 8.55am daily and any pupil arriving after this time must sign in at the main office.

In the spotlight:

In this issue we speak to Mrs Emma Fairhall, our new School Business Manager.

Q. What are your hobbies and interests?

A. My family and I love camping, although I admit I'm getting too old to enjoy camping in English summers! Give me sunshine any day. We love walking too and my favourite thing is to be at the beach. I've also just learned to crochet too, which I'm really enjoying.

Q. What is your favourite film?

A. Purely because it will always remind me of my daughters: 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang'. My youngest daughter watched it and watched it when she was little and even now will sing the "Truly Scrumptious" song to cheer herself up. It's a great feel-good film that makes me smile.

Q. What is your favourite music?

A. Anything from the musicals. I do love the chance to burst into song, although I have the worst voice ever so don't ask me to sing! I drive my family mad at the weekends singing along to songs from the West End Shows!

Q. A weird or unusual fact about yourself?

A. When I was little my Dad worked for Radio Humberside and one year for Children in Need they organised a sponsored tap dance over the Humber Bridge. Everyone had to tap a different step, otherwise the Bridge might have collapsed under the pressure of constant tapping!

Q. What is the best thing about working at St Peter's?

A. The children! I have never met such a polite group of young people. The job that I do is constantly challenging but the children just make it all worthwhile. Don't change children, you're all brilliant.



Sports Day will be on Monday 16th July at King George Stadium from 10 am. All parents welcome.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 17th April – back to school

Wednesday 18th April – the RNLI are doing a full school assembly on beach and sea safety

Tuesday 24th April – KS2 Maths Challenge at East Ravendale Primary School. Good luck to our mathematicians

Wednesday 25th April – KS2 Singing Festival at Grimsby Auditorium. Parent tickets available nearer the time

Monday 21st May – Eamonn Reilly, Author – assembly for the whole school. Books for sales from the school office

Thursday 24th May – Diversity and Discrimination assembly for Year 5 and 6. Delivered by SWAT UK Ltd

Friday 25th May – END OF TERM. School finishes at 3.05 pm as normal

Wednesday 6th June – Church Schools Festival, Lincoln Cathedral, Lincoln – Year 6

Wednesday 6th June – Stranger Danger assembly for the whole school by North East Lincolnshire Police

Friday 15th June – Year 6 Leavers photographs (weather permitting)

Thursday 21st June – Equalitea event "Democracy and Me" – parent's coffee afternoon. More details to follow nearer the time

Friday 13th July – Joint Year 6 Prom, with local primary schools. To be hosted at St Peters. More details to follow nearer the time

Monday 16th July – full school Sports Day at King George Stadium. Parents welcome from 10 am. Weather permitting

Thursday 19th July – END OF TERM. School will finish at 2 pm. Achievers Assembly from 1.30 pm.

Dates in bold – parents welcome

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