

News Flier.....

Wednesday, 14th June, 2017
Week 7

- **E-Safety** – our IT and PSHE Schemes of Work in Week 7 each term focus on e-safety. The LSCB (Lincolnshire Safeguarding Children’s Board) has some useful Snappy Information cards for parents. These can be viewed at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/lscb/the-lincolnshireschools/campaigns-and-briefings/130167
- **30 hours Nursery education** – becomes available for eligible parents from September 2017. To access this funding, Nursery parents need to:
 - log on to www.childcarechoices.gov.uk and register your child(ren)
 - successful applications will then receive a unique reference code which needs to be brought into Nursery for us to complete our part of the registration for your child(ren)

Please feel welcome to tell your friends and neighbours that Huttoft Nursery is participating in the 30 hours scheme

The deadline for this registration is fast approaching – so please complete your registration as soon as possible.

- **Summer Holiday Club** – will be open all day on Thursday, 20th July from 7:45 – 4:30. If you would like your child to be included, please book in at the office - £14 all day/£8 morning or afternoon. This is a child minding provision that I know many of you find very useful
- **Staffing Changes for September** – Miss Lawrence, the student teacher with Year 5 in the Spring Term, will be joining the staff as our Year 3 teacher. Mr Bradley, whose contract was scheduled to finish at the end of this term has resigned from his position early owing to poor health. We all thank him for his contribution to Year 3 this year and wish him well. Miss Lawrence will be spending some time visiting Year 2 in July. Information about Transition Days will be sent home by pupil post tomorrow – Thursday.
- **Diamond Merit Certificate** – congratulations to Kai J (Y2) on being the first pupil to receive this award in 16/17. He has gained 150 merits!
- **Bus Layby** – please may I remind you to leave the layby clear for our three designated transport vehicles. Once they have dropped off/collected the layby can be used for parking.

- **Pre 8:15 am** – recently it has come to my attention that a number of children are playing in between the cars in our cul-de-sac. Please can you keep your child(ren) quietly beside you when you are waiting for me to open the gate. An orderly line contributes to a calm start to the day – thank you.
- **Attendance** – analysis of the Spring Term attendance data shows that only 76% of our children managed attendance above 90%. This is a concerning figure. As you know having good attendance contributes to educational success.
Last week's whole school attendance was somewhat disappointing just 92.81% of the school being 'present'. May I remind you that a letter to me explaining your child's absence is required on her/her return please.
- **Sports Day Lunch** – it has become quite a tradition for every child to have a 'picnic' lunch on Sports Day. Eaten in school, the 'picnic' can be ordered and purchased in the usual way. Check your menu sheet!
- **Name tapes** – we are signed up to a fund raising scheme for name tapes whereby your order generates a percentage to school fund – www.easy2name.com
- **Back Packs** – large....are now in stock. Please feel welcome to call at the office to buy yours.
- **Residential School Journey to Derbyshire** – our photos of the trip are now available to view on the website under 'Useful Information' then 'School Journey Gallery' as well as on the digital signage in the Year 4 cloakroom and the foyer. You will be able to see some of the very interesting and varied activities that we got up to. Less than two weeks to go until we take Year 5 on their residential – to Shropshire.
- **Annual Day trip to Butlins** – this year our representatives are Annamae, Poppy CH, Hope, Kiara and Poppy H. We wish them all a fabulous day out! Thanks go to the Rotary Club for making this 'day' possible.
- **Parents –v- Year 6 Hockey Match** – do meet us at the MUGA (Sutton on Sea) 10:30 on Thursday, 15th June if you would like to play in this 'friendly' match.
- **Burgers at the Fayre** – have you ordered yours yet? Please help the FHS with the numbers of 'burgers' required by pre-ordering on the slip that comes home this week.
- **PE kits** – come home for washing on Friday, 16th June. Please remember to return them to school on Monday, 19th June.

- **Lunch Menus** – ideally the meals will be chosen at home, but in the event that your child doesn't return their menu we endeavour to help them choose what they like.
- **Weekly Class Trophies** – winners for the week ending Friday, 9th June:
 - Spelling Trophy – Year 1
 - Mental Maths Trophy – Year 1
 - Attendance Trophy – Year 1
 - Homework Trophy – Year 5
 - Singing Trophy – Year 4

Community News

- Drowning Prevention Week runs from 19th – 23rd June – Magna Vitae are running a child's Water Safety Poster competition – just 50p entry which will go to the charity promoting this. For further details you can contact becky.clark@mtvic.org closing date: 7th July, 2017
- Family Fishing at Farlesthorne Fishing Lake – family fishing days are taking place on 25th June, 9th July and 27th August. For further information contact Steve on 07733116550 or visit www.burghanglingsociety.co.uk
- Sea Dipping at Anderby Creek – takes place on Saturday, 24th June. For further information please visit www.lincstrust.org.uk
- Great Gatsby Charity Raffle – raising funds for Bradford Children's Charity and Lincoln County Hospital Children's Charity – some fabulous prizes to be won including a holiday in Blackpool for 6 people – please see Ms Grieves (Leila's mum in Year 2) for more information.

Forthcoming Diary Dates

Tuesday, 20 th June	10:30 WOP's Concert for Year 3 parents in Year 3 classroom
Friday, 23 rd June	2:15 Club for Nursery parents – Mrs Denton will be explaining how children learn and suggesting ways you can help to extend your child's learning at home
Thursday, 29 th June	Year 4 at the Embassy with Garsington Opera (all day)
Friday, 30 th June	Summer Fayre (straight after school)
Monday, 17 th July	Concert for Violin and Recorder players in St. Margaret's Church from 2:10 pm. Everyone very welcome.
Monday, 17 th July	End of Year Review Evening – your opportunity to discuss the content of your child's report. Appointment booking slips will be issued shortly.