School Newsletter - 19th April, 2024

# THYTHORN FIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

#### APRIL'S LEARNING POWER IS THE REFLECTIVE RANGER

# A NOTE FROM MRS PRICE ...

Welcome back to the summer term. We hope you had a lovely Easter break. We are hoping the weather brightens up properly soon so that we can get onto the school field to enjoy it! Children in Wan house wore their own clothes last Friday as their reward for being the winning house in Spring term 2. It was, as ever, very close right up until the final week's scores.

#### **SHOUT OUTS**

Well done this week to all the children who achieved a certificate. If your child shows any learning powers at home, please use a 'wow' slip (copies in reception) and put it in the box in the entrance. Slips are available on the website too.

#### **EVERYONE'S WELCOME**

We are proud to be a leading "Everyone's Welcome" school and to work with our children on what it means to celebrate difference and respect everyone's differences and the 9 protected characteristics. If you didn't get the chance to share our "Everyone's Welcome" lesson when we invited parents/carers in previously, we will have the books that we use out in classes at the end of the summer term when you get the chance to see your child's work. If you would like to see any before then, please ask the class teacher. We look forward to teachers from other schools coming to see our work in action after half term.

#### **MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS**

There have been increasing numbers of children leaving school early/arriving late to attend dental and medical appointments. We appreciate that certain appointments cannot be chosen, but we would ask that if possible, any medical or dental appointments are made outside of school times or in school holidays.



# HOUSE POINTS UPDATE

The house point totals for the start of the new term are as follows:

Attenborough House: 333 points tineker House: 248 points Townsend House: 390 points Wan House: 435 points



# **COLOUR DASH**

After last year's successful colour dash, we will be having a sparkle colour dash this year to raise money for a local charity that supports some of our children in school. The colour dash will take place on the afternoon of Friday 3rd May. Sponsor forms are being sent out today. A letter with details is being sent out today. Thank you, as always, for your support.

# **FOOTBALL AND FITNESS**

Football and Fitness after school clubs have begun again this term. The term will run from Monday 8th April - Friday 24th May 24. The clubs available are:

MONDAY: Dance / Cheerleading TUESDAY: Gymnastics

WEDNESDAY: Dodgeball
THURSDAY: Football

FRIDAY: Multisports & Archery



Sessions run from 3.15pm - 4.15pm. If you would like to book your child onto a session, please message Steve Fenton on 07738 920229.

# **GOOD LUCK GIRLS!**

A number of Thythorn children from the Wigston School of Dance will be taking part in a dance competition this Friday and Saturday. We would like to wish them all good luck for the event, you will be brilliant!

## **DIARY DATES**

3rd May 24: Colour Dash

3rd May 24: Year 5 Activity Morning - Wigston

Academy

6th May 24: Bank Holiday
13th - 16th May 24: Yr 6 SATs week
27th - 31st May 24: Half Term Break
7th June 24: Class Photos

17th June 24: Bikeability week - Year 5 and 6

# ATTENDANCE

This year our attendance target is 96.5%.

This week's attendance figures are:

EYFS: 94.4% YEAR 4: 95.6% YEAR 1: 95.4% YEAR 5: 89.2%

YEAR 2: 92.0% YEAR 6: 98.7%

YEAR 3: 96.3%



YEAR 6 WIN THIS WEEK!!

# **WE HAVE RECENTLY SAID HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...**

Children celebrating their birthday this week are:

Year 2: Lenny Year 3: Izack

Year 4: Nicholas, Jack, Mylah

Year 5: Joshua Year 6: Hattie

# CHARITY CLOTHING COLLECTIONS

We are continuing to collect bags of clothing which are donated to charity and raises the school funds at the same time. If you would like to donate, clothing bags can be collected from the school office at any time. Please hand filled bags in to the office. Thanks for your support.

### **NEW MENU / PRICE INCREASE**

The new 3 weekly menu has now begun. The week commencing date is listed at the side of each menu so you know which menu we are following each week. Please do check through the meals with your child to ensure they like the options available each day. Children choose if

they are a hot dinner or packed lunch on a daily basis via the classroom register so there is flexibility in which days they eat a hot dinner. If you have any questions, please speak to office staff.



# CHANGE TO MEAL COST:

The cost of a paid meal for children has now increased to £2.65. Please ensure when topping up your Scopay account that this increase is reflected in your payments.

# SOURCES OF SUPPORT ...

This website has lots of support and advice relating to children's toileting – including constipation and bedwetting. Please follow the link: https://eric.org.uk/



### ! NUT FREE SCHOOL !



Reminder: Thythorn Field Primary School is a nut free zone. We have a number of children with allergies and therefore must always ensure that no products containing nuts are brought onto the school premises. Thank you all for your support.