

THYTHORN FIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

MARCH'S LEARNING POWER IS THE RECIPROCITY RANGER

A NOTE FROM MRS PRICE ...

We are already halfway through a very short half term and we have packed a lot in! We enjoyed World Book Day on Thursday and shared lots of books together. The children have worked hard on their assessments this week too. Don't forget to look on our website at the latest news section to keep up to date with all the things we have been doing at school.

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.



A big shout out to Khaleesi who has passed her stage 3 gymnastics badge and is now working towards stage 2. Well done Khaleesi!

Well done to Archie (Year 6) who has completed his Gymnastics stages 6, 5 and 4. An amazing achievement, well done Archie!

A shout out goes to Lyla (Year 6) who has done well in her practice SATS exams. Well done Lyla.

Well done to Deon (Year 3) who was nervous about swimming. He not only learnt how to swim backwards but also achieved jumping into the pool on his own! Well done Deon.

Joshua (Year 6) won man of the match at his recent football game - well done Joshua!

A big shout out to Emmie (Year 3) who has recently passed her level 2 gymnastics. Well done Emmie!

AYLMERTON RESIDENTIAL TRIP

The children in Year 5 will be going to the Aylmerton Outdoor Education Centre from the 7th - 10th May 2024 for their residential trip. All balances should now be fully paid.

There will be a brief meeting at school on the 21st March at 3.15pm to discuss the kit list, any medical concerns and potential itinerary. We hope you can join us.

HOUSE POINTS UPDATE

The children have been working really hard to achieve their house points this week. The totals up to today are:

Attenborough House:	654 points
Lineker House:	645 points
Townsend House:	725 points
Wan House:	782 points



MEET THE GOVERNORS ...

Welcome to Kate, our new Co-Opted Governor. Kate is the Director of Primary Education at a local trust, working with schools to improve standards in the quality of education, personal development, behaviour & attitudes, leadership & management, and Early Years provision. Kate is also experienced in delivering and developing CPD, and worked cross phase as both a Specialist Leader of Education in English and a Local Leader of Education focusing on School Improvement.

Kate believes that all children deserve to have the very best education, and hopes she can be a valuable addition to the Thythorn governing board.



DIARY DATES

13th March 24:	Year 6 visit to Wigston College - Joseph Performance
13th March 24:	Easter Special Menu
14th March 24:	Year 5 visit to Bethel Church
15th March 24:	Year 6 visit to Bethel Church
15th March 24:	Cornic Relief 'dress as you like' day
18th March 24:	Yr 1 Phonics Information Meeting, 3.15pm
20th March 24:	Piano assembly, 9am (for those taking piano lessons in school)
21st March 24:	Year 5 Parent Meeting - Aylmerton Trip, 3.15pm
22nd March 24:	Snapshot reports out
25th March - 5th Apr 24:	Easter Holiday



ATTENDANCE

This year our attendance target is 96.5%

This week's attendance figures are:

EYFS: 95.5 %	YEAR 4: 90.1 %
YEAR 1: 96.7 %	YEAR 5: 93.7 %
YEAR 2: 94.1 %	YEAR 6: 97.1 %
YEAR 3: 96.3 %	



YEAR 6 WIN THIS WEEK!!

WE HAVE RECENTLY SAID HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Happy birthday to all the children who celebrated their birthdays over the February half term.



Children celebrating their birthday this week are:

- Year 2: Lorelai
- Year 3: Eva

CHARITY CLOTHING COLLECTIONS

We are continuing to collect donations of clothing which is 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.

COMIC RELIEF 'DRESS AS YOU LIKE' DAY

We will be raising funds for comic relief and holding a 'dress as you like' day on Friday 15th March. Children are invited to come into school on this day wearing any outfit they would like to wear! We would ask for a voluntary contribution of £1 towards the charity. Thanks for your support.



BOOKS !

It was great to hear that we won a Year 6 class set of books in a competition on X, formerly Twitter. Every book was signed personally for each child. I can't wait to hear what they think of the book.



NEW MENU

A new lunch menu will be sent to families shortly which starts after the Easter break on Monday 8th April. Just a reminder - all payments for school dinners should be made on the school online payment system Scopay. If you think you may be eligible for free school meals, please contact Leicestershire County Council on 0116 3055417 who can check instantly and let you know.

