

Caythorpe Chronicle

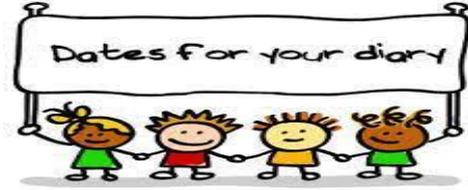
Friday 6th October 2023



Last week we welcomed Mrs Smith onto the Caythorpe Primary School Local School Board as a parent governor.

Mrs Gail Graham, previously a parent governor, has gladly continued to offer her support as a community governor. Gail also was elected as Chair of the Local School Board.

Other members of the board are Mrs Mahayla Clayton (parent governor), Mrs Amy Fulcher (community). For more information of their roles visit [our webpage for information](#). There are currently vacancies on the board for Community Governor. If you know of anyone in the community who would be interested in supporting the school please contact jacki.bartram@citacademies.co.uk



- Tuesday 10th October – Open Morning for Reception 2024 parents/carers 9.30 – 11.00 am
- Friday 13 October – Y5/6 Football qualifiers 1-3pm
- Tuesday 17th October – Parents' Evening
- Wednesday 18th October – Open afternoon for Reception 2024 Parents/Carers 1.30 – 2.30pm
- Wednesday 18 October - No Pens Day Wednesday
- Wednesday 18th October – Parents' Evening
- Thursday 19th October – Flu immunisations
- Thursday 19th October – Football V Chestnut Street
- Friday 20th October – Term 1 Ends
- Monday 30th October – Staff Training
- Tuesday 31st October – Term 2 Begins
- Friday 3rd November – Well-Being Day
- Tuesday 7th November – Y5/6 Online Safety Workshop
- Tuesday 7th November – Football v Rauceby Home
- Thursday 9th November - FSA AGM 3.30pm
- Friday 10th November – FSA Family Bingo
- Monday 13th November – Anti-Bullying Week
- Friday 24th November – KS2 Maths Workshops – Calculation focus
- Friday 8th December – Whole School Panto trip
- Friday 15th December – FSA Christmas Crafts
- Friday 15th December – Christmas Lunch
- Monday 18th December – FSA Present Room
- Tuesday 19th December – Christmas Parties
- Wednesday 20th December – Carol Service
- Wednesday 20th December – Term 2 Ends
- Thursday 21st December – Staff Training
- Wednesday 3rd January – Term 3 Begins
- Friday 9th February – Term 3 Ends
- Monday 19th February – Term 4 Begins



Need wrap-around care?

Session	Time	Cost/pupil
Breakfast Club	7.50am-8.40am Includes breakfast	£3.50
After-school short session	3.20pm-4.30pm Includes a light snack	£5
After-school mid-session	3.20pm-5pm Includes a light snack	£7
After-school Full session	3.20pm-5.50pm Includes tea	£10

20% reduction for siblings

Attendance

It can be tricky deciding whether to keep your child off school if they are unwell. There are government guidelines to support schools and nurseries which say when children should be kept off school and when they shouldn't.

It's fine to send your child to school with a minor cough or common cold. Encourage your child to throw away any used tissues and wash their hands regularly.



Last week Neverland had the highest attendance again with 100%. Amazing!

First Football Match of the Season

The football team have kicked off the season with their first game of the Sleaford League away at Navenby.

Mason and Albert played in defence with flare, with Poppy, Braidon, Jaxon and Colette in midfield position and George up front. Alex saved a number of on target shots on goal with confidence. An amazing start with the score at 0:0 after this first 15 minutes, unfortunately after a superb strike from a Navenby player made the score 1:0 by halftime. Braidon made a great shot which was skilfully saved by their able goalie. At the end of the match it was 3:0. All players played with passion. George B was awarded the sporting value award of "Respect."

Please note a change to the fixtures – Rauceby will now be played on the 7th November at Caythorpe.

Parliament Visit



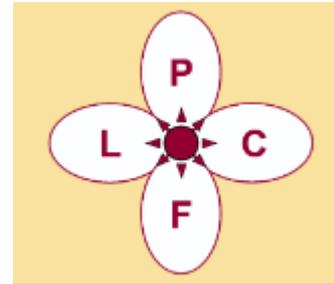
On Thursday we were visited by Mr Malcolm Smith, Education Engagement Officer for the Houses of Parliament. The session reminded children of what a democracy is. He explained what happened in the House of Commons and the House of Lords and how laws are made.

The children did not pass the law that schools should run on a four-day week, thankfully.

Alex now aspires to be the future Speaker of the House of Commons. We think he will do an amazing job of bringing the Members of Parliament to order! Mr Smith was very impressed with the responses and questions posed by the children.



Do you know about the Lincolnshire Parent and Carer's Forum?



LPCF is specifically tasked alongside the Local Health Authority to help ensure that the services they plan and deliver meet the needs of children with Disabilities and Special Educational Needs.

This week I noted a free discount card, [a Max Card, which offers discounts to parents of children with SEND.](#)

Lincolnshire Community Health Services are also running regular courses for parents to understand and develop strategies to support children with sensory processing difficulties and understanding boundaries in the home. [Follow this link to book online workshops.](#)

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