



Tower Times



Reach for the Moon

Week Commencing 20th May 2013

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Dear Parents / Carers

Still no sign of the summer but if we give the children a week off then perhaps things may change!! Fingers crossed. Have a really enjoyable time with your children over half term and I look forward to hearing of all the exciting things you have all been up to on your return.

HEAD LICE

Our old friend the head louse is never far away and there have been several occurrences in school recently. Huntingtower is not unique - all schools throughout the country have a similar problem.

It is your responsibility to keep hair checked and treated, look for small grey insects in the hair or their eggs (nits) that are white and usually stuck to hairs. Ensure your child's hair is tied back and we will talk to the children about avoiding head to head contact.

A special comb can be used that clears the problem. If the problem persists there are a number of special shampoos available. Combs and shampoos can be purchased at most chemist shops.

If all parents are vigilant the problem will soon disappear.

BARROWBY FOOTBALL CLUB

Recruiting Now!

Wanted Unattached Players
for Barrowby Football Club's
U7 and U11 Teams for
Next Season



Play football in a fun, enjoyable and safe environment.

Boys or Girls are welcome and need to be: Aged 6 but under 7 as of 31st August 2013 for the U7s team and under 11 for the U11s team.

Training takes place every Saturday morning from 9.30am to 10.30/11am.

All Managers and Coaches are CRB checked and hold FA accreditation.

Everyone is welcome so go along.

For further information please contact:

John Young on jy2307@gmail.com or

07833 213328 or Hazel Cranidge on

hazew100@hotmail.com or 07528 096197

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Our food provider, Food 4 Thought, now have a Facebook page. If you wish to see what they are doing, or some tips on healthy snacks and meals for your children, "like" their Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/foodfor.thought.96>



If you have a QR reader, check this out!



Teddy Bear Collection!

Do you have any teddy bears that are in need of a new home?

To help deaf children in Grantham, Grantham Deaf Children's Society is collecting any unwanted teddy bears to be adopted by new owners at Grantham Carnival on the 15th/16th June

Please Help us by bringing your old teddies into school for us to collect

BULLYING UK



Bullying UK (@bullyinguk)
Bullying outside school buk.cc/iLKUII

Take a look at this website which offers a wealth of information re bullying. It offers the following:

Around BullyingUK

[Young People's Advice](#)

Detailed advice on a range of problems including Cyberbullying and outside school.

[Advice for Parents](#)

Covering a range of advice for Parents including contacting the school and your rights.

[Guidance for Schools](#)

Our Advice and tips for Schools, Teachers and Education professionals.

BRICK KILN PLACE

On Wednesday some children from Years 3/4 visited the residents of Brick Kiln Place.



The children had a great time hearing stories about the war and the residents enjoyed the cookies and the impromptu sing a long of WWII songs.

MOVING SCHOOLS

If, for any reason, your child may be moving schools at the end of this academic year, please inform your child's class teacher or the school office.

PAYMENT BY CHEQUE

Please continue to make all cheques payable to Huntingtower School, not Academy.
Thank you

Diary Dates:

Term 5

Y3, Y4, Y5 Assessments (date to be confirmed)
Term Ends - Friday 24th May

Term 6

Term Begins - Monday 3rd June
PTFA - Sale of Nearly New Uniform - Tuesday 4th June
Moving Up Day - Tuesday 2nd July
PTFA - Sale of Nearly New Uniform - Tuesday 2nd July
PTFA Summer Fayre - Saturday 6th July
End of Year Reports to Parents - Friday 12th July
Team Sports - Monday 15th July
Races - Friday 19th July
Picnic - Tuesday 23rd July
Term Ends - Tuesday 23rd July

EASYFUNDRAISING

Many of you will already be aware of this website, were you do the shopping and our children in school benefit!

Let's go! Our easyfundraising account is now live and we are ready to start raising funds for

Huntingtower CP Academy - Grantham!

One of the newest yet simplest ways for parents, teachers, families and the local community to raise money for their school is through easy fundraising. Easy fundraising is an entirely free service that allows people to shop directly at their favourite store via the links on the easyfundraising.org.uk website and earn a cash back donation to their school cause once a purchase is made. Donated earnings can be anywhere up to 15%, depending on the retailer and the product that was purchased. There are thousands of stores that are already participating with leading high street brands such as Amazon, WH Smith, M&S etc making it one of the most effortless fundraising ideas for schools.

Start shopping online direct with the retailers through the links on the website and wait for the donations to build up. Better yet, some retailers make free donations just for switching to their services, participating in free trials or even simply registering on their website. Our unique **easyfundraising** URL is

<http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/huntingtowercpacademy>

This is the link for you to use when registering to support us.