



Tower Times



Reach for the Moon

Week Commencing 9th September 2013

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Dear Parents / Carers

This week we have welcomed our new starters into Class Koalas and Kangaroos. It is always exciting when the new in-take arrives as they are all so keen and ready to come to school. It may not always seem that way when you drop them off but they often change when family has disappeared. Please note that we have an open afternoon for new families whose children are starting school in September 2014. This will be on the afternoon of 15th October at 1.45pm. Please let your friends know!

HGV IS COMING TO HUNTINGTOWER!

Next Monday, 16th September, we have a HGV and a van being parked on the lower car park, furthest from the 'in and out' gateways and across 5/6 spaces. This will not block the entrance or exit to the car park behind or the disabled parking spaces or those spaces nearest to the road but access to the last 2 areas could be affected if anyone wants to leave during the school day. We would ask you not to park on either side of the junctions near to school and the Police will cone off both corners for this event.

Parents and staff should not park in the spaces where the HGV will be sited and not to pull into the car park to drop off or pick up all on that day.

HARLAXTON ROAD SCHOOL CROSSING

Just to confirm that Mr Shelbourn has recently been appointed as the new Crossing Patrol on Harlaxton Road. Please also ensure your children are well behaved and sensible when crossing.



MORRISONS VOUCHERS

It's that time of year again!

Morrisons are dishing out the school gardening vouchers. Last year we collected enough to get some raised beds for the children to grow vegetables, children sized gardening tools and gloves. We had a great time in gardening club last year and are looking forward to another successful growing season.

Every voucher counts so please start collecting.

PRO-KICK CHALLENGE

Reminder - Don't forget to return your sponsor sheets to school!

OLYMPIC SPORTS CLUB

Venue: Huntingtower Community Primary Academy, Grantham (NG31 7AU)

Age: 6-11 years old

Time: From 8:30am till 5:30pm

Dates: 21st, 22nd, 23rd & 24th October 2013

You will already have received a flyer about this sports club, but further copies are also available from the school office.

PHOTOGRAPHER

The school photographer will be in school on Wednesday 25th September. On this occasion he will be taking individual and family groups. Parents with pre-school children are asked to be at school for 8.40am for a family group photograph.

Question of the Week

What have you done at school this week that has involved the colour **blue**?

Tweet or Facebook us with some of your responses!

NEARLY NEW UNIFORM

Our nearly new uniform shop will be open the first Tuesday of each term in the Community Room or Key Stage 2 playground (weather dependent).

Donations are kindly accepted through the year at the School Office.

Tuesdays When the Shop is Open:

17th September

5th November

14th January

4th March

29th April

10th June

DYSART PARK FAMILY FUN DAY

Free event for everyone!

The Dysart Park Family Fun Day

Exciting arena attractions including:

- 'Flying Dakos' Gymnastic Display Team
- J.R.C.S Falconry Display
- Lincs. Dog Training Display Team
- Live bands
- Wide variety of stalls
- Refreshments
- Kiddies corner (crafts, face painting and bouncy castle)
- Raffle (top prizes: RAF Cranwell VIP day, incl flight simulator)

Also: Rotary 'cartoon horses'

Could you be the bookie's favourite? Come on, saddle-up and run!

September 15

Starting at 12 noon

Dysart Park ACTION GROUP

Supported by Yorkshire Bank In partnership with The Rotary Club, Grantham

WATER BOTTLES AND UNIFORM

We have received a delivery of water bottles but are still awaiting the uniform delivery.

PUPIL INFORMATION FORMS

If your child has just started in Class Koalas or Kangaroos and you have not returned your yellow pupil information form, please can we ask you to do this by **Monday, 16th**.

Lincolnshire Athletic Association

Are providing a fantastic opportunity for you to take part in the Lincolnshire County Sports: Hall Athletics Trials

*SPORTS: HALL ATHLETICS IS FUN BRIGHT AND COLOURFUL
IT PROVIDES SAFE, INDOOR AND ENJOYABLE MULTI-SKILL ACTIVITIES
IT APPEALS TO YOUNG PEOPLE, PARENTS, COACHES AND TEACHERS*

EVENTS include 2 lap and 4 lap races, standing long jump, standing triple jump, vertical jump speed bounce and javelin.

Venue: The Meres Leisure Centre, Trent Road

Date: Sunday 29th September 2013

Time: 11.00am - 1.30pm

Cost: £3 (cheques made payable to Lincolnshire Athletic Association)

Eligibility: Years 5 and 6

If children are interested, please see Mrs Bensley for an application form.

Diary Dates:

Term 1

Photographer - Wednesday 25th September

INSET - school closed to children - Friday 27th September

Parents' Evenings - Tuesday 8th and Wednesday 9th October

New Parents' Afternoon - Admissions

September 2014 - Tuesday 15th October

Harvest Festival - Friday 18th October

Break up for half term - Friday 18th October

Term 2

Term 2 starts Monday 28th October