



Tower Times



Reach for the Moon

Week Commencing 19th May 2014

ISSUE 116

Dear Parents / Carers

Exciting news for Miss Yvonne Eldred – she is moving onto pastures new! She has recently secured a teaching post in Oxfordshire and will be starting at her new school in September. Miss Eldred has been working at Huntingtower School for over 20 years and during this time has given much energy and caring to so many children. We thank her for all her hard work and wish her every happiness in her new job.

Mrs Emma Jacklin will be joining the Early Years team in Class Koalas and Mrs Donna Kightley will be moving up to teach our Year 1 children in a newly named class Pandas!

We have this week appointed Mr Sam Hill to our Year 3/4 team and he will be taking up class responsibility in September. Welcome aboard Mr Hill!

**Reminder – we break up today for the half term break,
returning to school on Monday 2nd June.**

OUR JRSOs SHARE THEIR CONCERNS

Some of the children of Huntingtower have expressed concern about children and adults not using the pavement when walking from the tunnel. It isn't safe to walk along the yellow lines because it is a road and you may be seriously hurt.

Mollie and Ben



HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

Looking for things to do over May half term?

Finding activities for the school holidays is easy thanks to the Family Information

Service. Parents, carers and professionals can contact the service for ideas, including a May Half Term What's On Guide, Boredom Busters booklet and childcare including holiday clubs.

The What's On Guide and Boredom Busters are also available to download on-line at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/fis or phone us on 0800 195 1635 from 8am until 6pm, Monday to Friday.

(source: Family Information Service, 0800 195 1635, fis@lincolnshire.gov.uk)

A MESSAGE FROM THE SCHOOL COUNCIL

Back due to popular demand!

Just to warn you that the Golden Fruit Challenge is coming up next term and you'll need to provide your child with a healthy snack (fruit). Cereal bars do not count as it can only be fruit, like raisins, apple, banana, orange and grapes.

Look out for further information about the start date of the Golden Fruit Challenge next term!

WE'RE GOING TO GRIMSBY! - Rock Challenge Junior Northern Finals - Grimsby Auditorium - Thursday 5th June - show starts at 6pm - Tickets cost £12

As you know we took part in the Rock Challenge in March. If you were able to come along, you will know what a fantastic job the children did and how well they represented our school. Whilst we were there we took part in a draw to possibly go on to Grimsby, we were pulled out second. Luckily for us the first team are unable to go.....so we are! We are one of 12 schools performing - incredibly proud and lucky to be involved. We are all really excited about this opportunity. Thank you to all of the children involved, but also staff and parents for their dedication.

BURGHLEY HOUSE - Years 3 and 4

On Wednesday, 21st May, Gazelles, Lemurs and Rhinos went to Burghley House. Burghley House is a Tudor house and we went there because Years 3 and 4 are learning about Tudors. When we arrived we were full of excitement and then had a brilliant tour around the colossal house. Did you know there are more than 200 rooms in the house?

Adam J - Gazelles

On Wednesday we went on a trip to a grand Tudor building. We went to the kitchen, had a tour of the house (it is a very fine place) and the garden of surprises, which is a place with water falls and even a mirror maze! The man was dressed in Tudor clothes as well. We had a great time at Burghley House!

Grace S - Gazelles

On Wednesday, 21st May, Rhinos, Gazelles and Lemurs went to Burghley House in Stamford. First of all, we went inside the house and our guide told us that it had over 200 rooms and you could play football on the roof. Towards the end of the day, we went into the garden of surprises and that was spraying water left, right and centre, surprising us a lot. After that, we went to the sculpture garden with some memory tiles and we stuck whatever we could find on them. **Rowan T-F - Gazelles**

In Year 3/4 our project is the Tudors, so as our trip we went to a Tudor building. First we met some kind Tudors who came to show us around the house. Next we had lunch on a field, it was massive.

After lunch we learnt all about Tudor medicine and diseases.

Last, but not least, we went into the gardens. We had a memory tile to collect things that we saw around the gardens. It was so much fun!

Autumn-Dawn T - Gazelles



SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS 2014

Last few days for these vouchers - if you have any please bring them into school as soon as possible. The more we receive the more free items we will be able to order.

Question of the Week

How many different types of starfish are there?

ATTENDANCE

Good attendance this week, well done and thank you!

KS1 - Class Kangaroos 97.59%

and

KS2 - Class Zebras 98.44%

Overall percentage this week - 96.22%

INSPIRE+ - OLYMPIC SPORTS CAMPS

After the highly successful Olympic Sports Camp during the recent Easter Holidays, where children got to participate in sports such as Archery, Basketball, Badminton, Netball, Street Dance, Seated Volleyball and many more, Inspire+ are delighted to invite pupils to come along again to their next Olympic Sports Camp during the May Half Term.

The most recent camp in the Easter holidays saw at least 40 children per day and had 90 plus different children across the 7 days. The May camp will run over 4 days - from Tuesday 27th May through to Friday 30th May.

A booking form with all details is attached to this email. Also details of the Summer Camp are attached.



May Half Term
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Summer Camp
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Dates for your Diary:

Term Ends *Friday 23rd May*

Term 6 - Monday 2nd June

Year 1 Phonics *Week commencing Monday 16th June*

KS2 Races am / KS1 pm - *Monday 30th June*

New Intake - Secondary/Moving Up - *Tuesday 1st July*

PTFA Summer Fayre - *Saturday 5th July*



WORLD CUP FOOTBALL FUN DAYS

One Touch Football are going to be running football world cup fun days in the MAY half term. The sessions will be for BOYS & GIRLS from ages 4 to 14 years, from beginners to more experience players. The days will be based on learning new skills in a fun and relaxed environment.

Head Coach, Glenn Vaughan is a coach & scout for a professional football club.

Venue	Address	Dates
GRANTHAM	HARROWBY LANE PLAYING FIELDS, HARROWBY LANE, GRANTHAM, NG31 9QY	28TH TO 30TH MAY

TIMES & COSTS: 9.00 till 15.00 - £15 per day 10.00 till 15.00 - £12 per day
OFFERS: attend 3 days £30.00 from 9.00 till 3.00

THE COURSE INCLUDES:

- ❖ ALL participants will get a certificate of participation
- ❖ ALL coaches are FA or UEFA qualified, first aid trained and CRB checked
- ❖ WORLD CUP THEMED GAMES as well as our very own WORLD CUP TOURNAMENT
- ❖ Hours of FUN & ENJOYMENT!!!

BOOKING PROCEDURES:

- ❖ Complete the consent form (below) and send course payment (cash or cheques made payable to "One Touch Football Soccer School Ltd") in a sealed envelope to One Touch Football, 11 Tobias Grove, Stamford, Lincs, PE9 4BD
- ❖ Go to www.onetouchfootball.co.uk then simply just fill in the online booking form followed by payment which can be made online by debit or credit card

PLACES WILL BE ISSUED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS SO WE RECOMMEND BOOKING NOW TO SAVE DISAPPOINTMENT!!!

COME ALONG AND BE PART OF THE WORLD CUP EXPERIENCE!

World Cup Football fun days in Grantham

NAME _____ AGE ____ D.O.B ____ / ____ / ____ MEDICAL INFO _____

ADD _____ POST CODE _____

PHONE _____ EMERGENCY NO _____

DATES ATTENDING _____ WHERE DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US _____

EMAIL ADD _____

I agree that OTF reserve the right to remove any disruptive children from the fun days/development sessions and that none of the parties involved with the organization of this centre can accept responsibility for loss or damage to person or property. Refunds cannot be made (unless agreed). Credit notes will be issued and are valid for 6 months from date of issue.

ALL places will be confirmed by email so please do fill in the email section, should you wish for written confirmations please enclose stamped envelope.

PRINT NAME _____ SIGNED _____ (Parent/Guardian)

www.onetouchfootball.co.uk

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Booking forms are available from the school office.

YALE KEY found on the Year 5 trip bus earlier this week. If it belongs to you please call into the school office.