



GRAINTHORPE GAZETTE

Keeping parents, friends and families informed

Friday 19th October 2018 (Ref - T1W7)

OPEN AFTERNOON SUCCESS Thank you to everyone who came to join the learning last Friday afternoon. There was an interesting mix of Egyptian activities in the hall and some serious research taking place in Class 3.

SCHOOL COUNCIL The election has passed, and we have a newly elected body to organise school events and get things done. I am looking forward to working with the council to share the pupil voice - a great way to bring about change.

PARKING OUTSIDE SCHOOL It is always busy on Fen Lane before and immediately after school. The bus transporting children to Marshchapel saves over twenty additional cars outside daily, so please be patient leaving the site and thank you for continuing to drive slowly.

PARENTMAIL PROBLEMS Apologies for the Parentmail issues we have been having this term. Unfortunately, this has been out of our hands, thank you for your patience, we hope this has all now been resolved. Do let us know if you experience any problems with it.

P.E. KITS Please remember to bring P.E. kits back to school after half term. Holidays are always good times to check that plimsolls and trainers still fit. Please ensure P.E. kits are at school during the school week.

SAVE YOUR PLASTIC BOTTLES Miss Rees has plans to create commemorative poppies out of plastic bottles for our Remembrance display this year. One and two litre bottles greatly received.

DIARY DATES

30.10.18 Children back to school (Tuesday)

31.10.18 Pumpkin Carving Parent Afternoon - come along from 1:30pm to carve your ghoulish lantern. If you cannot attend, please send in your child with a small pumpkin.

06.11.18 Deadline for WRATEs photo orders to be returned to school

02.11.18 Non-uniform day - bring a tombola prize or £1 donation for Fenland Friends (new PTA)

02.11.18 Hallowe'en Party in the school hall from 5pm until 7pm. This is only open to Marshchapel and Grainthorpe pupils.

06.11.18 3:10pm to 7pm, Open Evening to discuss settling in and pupil progress

09.11.18 Fashion Show at Marshchapel Village Hall at 7pm, tickets on sale at school for £5

12.11.18 Anti-bullying Week begins

12.11.18 3:30pm Fenland Friends PTA meeting at Marshchapel

16.11.18 Children in Need - details to follow

07.12.18 Christmas Fair 5pm to 7pm at Grainthorpe

11.12.18 Pantomime for both schools at Marshchapel Village Hall

12.12.18 6pm Christingle at St Clement's Church, Grainthorpe. Year 6 are leading this.

13.12.18 Christmas Carol Concert, 6pm at Marshchapel Church for all children

14.12.18 Christmas Jumper Day for Save The Children

19.12.18 Years 3, 4, 5 Christmas Performance at 2pm

20.12.18 Term 2 Celebration Assembly for the Stars of the Week. LAST DAY OF TERM

Thank you for making me so welcome at this great school. Have a happy half term. Until next time!

Mrs A Turner

Executive Headteacher