



Kelsey Newsletter – Issue 7
Friday 8th December, 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Christmas is fast approaching! I'm sure you have noticed. Please note the dates for end of term events below. Children are getting excited but are still learning and it is important for them to keep up their routine including reading at home. Teachers are currently assessing the progress children have made over the term.

Sports for Champions Day

Friday 1st December was our Sports for Champions Day. Unfortunately, Leon Baptiste, the English sprinter was unable to attend but we were lucky enough to have an excellent replacement in Laura Samuel, an English triple jumper who has won a silver medal at the Commonwealth Games. She led the children through a series of exercises in the morning for which many were sponsored. Laura spoke to the children in assembly and demonstrated some of her training exercises. She bounced across the hall in about 4 hops! Thank you to all the children who managed to get sponsors. Some children were presented with posters and others had their photographs taken with Laura.

Thank you very much to all who raised sponsorship for this event which all children and staff seemed to greatly enjoy.

Lincoln Castle Visit

The Sparrows class enjoyed an interesting (although chilly) trip to Lincoln Castle as part of their topic. The children behaved very well and were able to see features of castles for themselves.

Clubs

Thanks to all who have supported our clubs over the term. There will be no clubs next week as it is the last week of term, EXCEPT Running Club, which will be ON.

Swimming

The Owls (Y5/6) have begun their series of swimming lessons at Brigg. This is a very important skill and the school takes it very seriously. We have arranged for the Key Stage 1 children (Squirrels and Sparrows) have lessons too in the new year.

Walk to School

Thank you to all children and parents whom have supported our Walk to School initiative. Badges have been presented today in assembly.

Please note the dates below for the next few weeks and check you are aware of the term dates. We finish on Tuesday 19th December for the Christmas holiday.

Yours sincerely

MJ Ashmead

Mr M Ashmead (Interim Headteacher)

Diary Dates

December

Friday 8th December **TODAY**
Wednesday 13th December
Thursday 14th December
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Tuesday 19th December

PTFA Christmas Fair 6.00-7.30 pm
Robins Class Christmas Play – 2.30 & 5.30 pm
Christmas Lunch
Christmas Carol Service at All Hallows Church
Last Day before Christmas Holiday

20th Dec. to 2nd January

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

January 2018

Wednesday 3rd January
Monday 15th January

Children return to school
Bikeability starts for Year 5/6

February

Friday 9th February

Last Day before Half Term

12th to 16th February

HALF TERM WEEK

Monday 19th February

Children return to school

March

Wednesday 28th March

Last Day before Easter Holidays

29th March to 13th April

EASTER HOLIDAY

April

Monday 16th April

Children return to school

May

Friday 25th May

Last Day before Half Term

28th May to 1st June

HALF TERM WEEK

Monday 4th June
Friday 20th July

Children return to school
Last Day before Summer Holidays