



Thurnby Lodge Primary Academy

October 2016 Newsletter



Principal's Message

The children have all settled well and have adjusted to their new classes. They always return after a holiday full of enthusiasm and ready to engage. This is great to see and helps us to continue to raise standards in our wonderful school.

We have many trips and events booked for the rest of the term. Watch out for letters!

Thank you for your support.

Key Dates

- 17th-21st Oct School closed for Half Term
- 25th Oct Individual photos
- 25/27th Oct Parents Evenings
- 2nd Nov School Disco (Details to follow)

Term Dates

School closes 3.15 pm
Fri 14th Oct

School opens
Mon 24th Oct

School closes 3.15pm
Fri 16th Dec

School opens
Weds 4th Jan

School closes
Fri 10th Feb

School opens
Mon 20th Feb



The Fun Day was a huge success and was attended by many parents and friends. The weather was great, which always helps.

We raised £782.30 for the school.

A big 'Thank you' for all your support!

Year 5 Blog

By Maariyah Natha.

In year 5 we are learning about World War 2. Last week a lady came in from the museum and showed us lots of fascinating things such as a children's gas mask, a pair of knickers, clothes and 2 hankies from the time of the war. It was a real treat for us year 5's to learn more about our topic and to look and feel things we had never known before.



In year 5 we are now learning the ukulele with Mr Giles. They are quite difficult to learn but the lessons are really good fun and we have been playing some tunes already. We are hoping to take our ukuleles home to practise on next week.

Wear a Helmet!

We love the fact that your children are making use of the bike shelters. However, we are very concerned in regards to their safety. Please ensure your child has a helmet on when riding their bike or scooter to school.

We will be monitoring this next term and sending out letters to parents who fail to follow the school policy.



After School Clubs

September to December 2016. For details of times and year groups make sure you read the letters that Mrs Tattersall sends out.

	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
	Musical Theatre	Cooking	Homework		Football
	Football	Craft	Computer		Computer
			Cooking		

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We raised £126.

On Friday 30th September we held a coffee morning for parents/carers and friends of Thurnby Lodge Primary. This was a great opportunity to come into school and purchase cakes and refreshments and chat with friends.

Thank you to all those who came along. All the proceeds of this event went to Macmillan Cancer Support.



Trips & Events This Month

Year 3 and the DSP have been to New Walk Museum as part of their 'Egyptians' topic. They also took part in a workshop.

The year ahead meetings have taken place this term and we hope you feel more informed about your children's year group.

'Jeans for Genes' day raised £142.45. This annual fundraising helps to provide

support for families affected by genetic disorders.

Thank you for the donations for our Harvest assembly. All of the proceeds go to the local charity 'Open Hands'.

House Cup Winners

Bradgate: 948

DeMontfort: 1001

Foxton: 1112

Watermead: 1069



House Captains

Bradgate: Raessa Yr6

DeMontfort: Randeep Yr6

Foxton: Alice R. Yr6

Watermead: Zaynab Yr6

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The Summer play scheme was very well attended with over 80 children from Thurnby Lodge and Willowbrook Academies as well as from Scraftoft Valley, St. Josephs and Humberstone. We would like to thank both Thurnby Lodge and Humberstone/ Hamilton Local Ward Committees for donating a total of £800 as without their grants the scheme could not go ahead.

Thank You

★ Star Awards This Autumn Term

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
★						
★	Katie Mohammed Zayn Seerat Lillie-May Lacey Avi					
★		Kamran Rayhan Dilman				Abdalaziz
★		Tianah				
Green Merit					Adam Isabel Caitlin W. Aaqib Parmpreet	Umar Cerys
Yellow Merit			Owen		Blessing Lola Laura	
Red Merit					Evie	Kaydon Tegan Rakhi Alice C.
Bronze Award					Maariyah	Raeesa



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