



PTFA Event

Please come along and support this PFTA event. It will be a fun filled evening and, on this occasion, one for just the adults to enjoy.

Get your teams together and register them with Mrs Crow. Thank you for your on-going support.



Summer Fayre
Saturday 7th July

It is time for the preparations for our Summer Fayre to begin! This is always an amazing PFTA event and one that we all look forward to each year. We would really appreciate your support with the following:

- Any raffle prizes
- Tombola prizes - the tombola at this event is always totally amazing so we would like this year to be no exception.
- Wine - full and empty bottles would be very helpful.
- Any bars or boxes of chocolates - for our chocolate tombola.



Sports Day

Tuesday 3rd July



Please keep this date in your diary so that you will be able to join us for this lovely annual event. Fingers crossed for some good weather!

New Reception Intake Meeting

24th May - 6pm

If you have a younger sibling joining us this September, please come along to this meeting. It is an opportunity to get the necessary paperwork completed.

It will not be necessary to have your child with you for this meeting.

Xpressions APP

We really hope that you are finding this APP facility useful. Please let us know what you think about it and if you have any problems with any aspect of using it.

If you need any help setting this up or with a problem, please see Mrs Crow who will be happy to help.

All of our information goes out to parents/carers on 'Xpressions' and via email so it is important that you have it up and running.

Remember to share your views about this with us at any time.

Come and see your child's books and join in with a task

We will be providing another opportunity for you to come and have a look at your child's books on the dates listed below. We hope that you find these sessions useful and enjoy seeing the progress that your child is making in all of the different subject areas. On the same day, you are invited to come and join in with a short activity with your child at **2:45pm**. This is not a presentation but an informal opportunity to come and take part in a task.

EYFS - Tuesday 22nd May
KS2 - Wednesday 23rd May
KS1 - Thursday 24th May

Year 3 News

Year 3 had an exciting trip this week to the poly-tunnel over at Skegness Academy. We had an amazing time looking at all the plants growing and were able to identify garlic, spring onions, radishes and many other plants just by their leaves. Thank you to the staff and students at the Academy as well as the PTFA volunteers who came with us. In English this week, we have been writing our own play scripts. We have learned about using colons and brackets as well as the other features. In Maths, we have all been looking at the refined column method, ensuring that we are all confident with both addition and subtraction.

We made thank you cards as part of our Design and Technology on Wednesday and concentrated on making slots, they looked amazing!

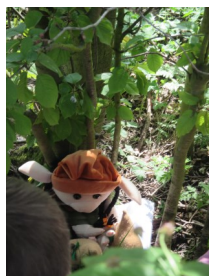


Reception News

This week in Reception we have visited our woodland area to find our Woodland Elf. The children had so much fun reading her special messages and finding her clues. She wanted us to make beautiful butterflies using natural resources from our woodland. The children had a great time and especially enjoyed having a cup of hot chocolate and a story there too.

We have also been reading the 'Twist and Hop, Minibeast Bop'. We have used the book to identify rhyming words and the children have been doing lots of different rhyming activities all week. They have also written their own invitations to other people to come and watch them perform the 'Minibeast Bop' in our theatre role play.

In Maths, we have continued with our number formation and reviewing the properties of 3D shapes. The children are also being put through their paces in PE with Mr Parker. We had lots of worn out children by the end of Wednesday!



Year 1 News

It has been another busy week in Year 1!

In English, we have been planning and writing up our riddles to enter into a Young Writer's competition. This is the first time the pupils have looked at riddles and they have done a fantastic job!

In Maths, we have been looking at Money. Each child has had a set amount of money to spend at the Year 1 shop. They have had to work out what items they can afford to buy and how much money they will have left over.

In Science, the children have learnt about a range of different trees. They had to sort the trees out into two groups; deciduous trees or evergreen trees.

In History, we have explored how Skegness Seafront has changed over the years and we have discussed how this has impacted on the town. We will be visiting Skegness Seafront/Beach in a few weeks' time to view some of these changes first hand and to visit Skegness Lifeboat Station.



Year 2 News

In the Year Two classroom this week, we have been looking in detail at the Faraway Tree and have created a new world at the top. We have created a poster to advertise our new world to encourage people to come and visit it and wrote our sentences under headings.

In Maths, we have been focusing our learning on fractions of shape and quantity. We are starting to master the skill of fractions, but we still need more practise at applying this in different ways.

In other areas of our curriculum we have checked our sunflower seed and wrote observation notes on what's happened (Science), practised our painting skills by painting flowers (Art), created a comic strip to show the impact of the railway coming to Skegness (History), continued to look at musical notes (Music) and had a very competitive aiming and defending game (PE).



Year 4 News

This week, the Lemurs have been developing their peer assessment skills, using their pink and green pens to give each other feedback on their Computing work and their short stories. They have all been working hard to achieve their Y4 targets in writing across all subjects. In Maths, they have been solving some tricky word problems and finding missing numbers in calculations that have needed 2 or 3 steps to complete. We had our first 'pBuzz' session in Music, and luckily, it wasn't too noisy for the other classes, as we went upstairs!

In Science, we started our 'Changing State' topic, comparing solids, liquids and gases; some were trickier than others! Can you find some more examples at home? In Art, they have completed their beautiful creation pictures and experimented with paint, trying to achieve different textures and colours when creating seascape pictures.

Great work, Lemurs!



Sun cream and Hats

Please make sure that you apply sun cream in the morning before your child comes to school. They can then have this topped up in school during the day with the cream that you send in for them. Please make sure that the bottle you send in is labelled and if your child needs the cream applying by an adult you will need to see Mrs Crow to sign a consent form. Also, please remember to label your child's hat to avoid it getting mixed up. Thank you for your on-going support.