

Thurlaston CE (Aided) Primary School Teaching and Living the Christian Way of Life Building Our Lives on Jesus

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Dear Parent/Carer,

The children in Class 1 and Class 2 went to Conkers on Monday. I hope you have all seen the exciting things they got up to on the day on Facebook. The children were extremely well behaved. Well done to pupils and staff.

Class 1 visited Little Gems Preschool on Wednesday morning. The children enjoyed visiting them. Many of our children went there before starting school and it is good for them to have good links with us. A big thank you to whoever it is who ensured the path through to Huncote Football Club was clear and easily passable.

I had a pleasant evening at the Carnival Committee AGM on Wednesday. I was there to receive a donation of £400 on behalf of the school. The Carnival Queen, Cassia, did a great job presenting all the different organisations with the donations. The Carnival Committee not only put on an excellent carnival in the summer but also provide a Christmas meal for all the pensioners in the village. The funds they raise help support all the various organisations connected with the village.

Next week Leicester Animal Aid is coming to class 2. Class 2 wanted to support them by collecting Pet items and will be presenting them with the things they have collected on Wednesday.

Poppy Day Appeal – The school council will continue selling various items for the poppy day appeal each morning before and afternoon after school for this week.

At the end of next week Miss Adcock is leaving us to start a new and exciting chapter of her life. I am sure you will want to join the school staff in wishing her and her family all the best for the future.

We have interviews for her replacement next week. However due to the processes needed when appointing staff there may be some time before the newly appointed person can start. Please bear with us during this time as we will be short staffed in the office as we don't want to take any support away from the children.

Yours sincerely

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Gavin Beetham

Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. (Matthew chapter 7 verse 24, NIV)

Provisional Dates 30/11/24 - PTFA Bazaar 11 & 12/12/24 - Nativity 16/12/24 - KS2 Pantomime Late pick-up 20/12/24 - Carol Service 2pm Christmas break - 23/12/24 to 6/01/25 11& 13/02/25 - Parents Evenings Half Term - 17-21/02/256/03/25 - World Book Day 11/04/25 – Easter Service 2pm Easter Break 14-25/04/25 5/05/25 – Bank Holiday 12-15/05/25 – KS2 SATS Half Term – 26-30/05/25 24 &25/06/25 – KS2 Performances 1/07/25 – Sports Day 8/07/25 – Leavers Assembly 9/07/25 – School closed until 26/08/25