



Dear Parents,



Message from Mrs Jatinder Sembi - Acting Head Teacher

A massive thank you to everyone who helped and organised the Viking Challenge. It was truly remarkable, in every sense of the word.

I'm aware a special event like this doesn't just happen, it must have taken endless hours of work behind the scenes over many months for it to run so effectively and smoothly on the day and I highly appreciate your dedicated work and enthusiasm to make this such a successful event. Redmile is so blessed to have such an amazing, inspirational team.

Warmest wishes and thanks to you all again.

News from Classrooms

Class 1:

This week we shared the story of 'The little Red Hen' and learned about teamwork. We continue to learn our speed sounds in RWI and have begun to blend our sounds in to words.

Could I ask that any parents who haven't emailed the school with their contact email address for the Parent Share software do so please? You will then receive an email to invite you to join the sharing system. Thank you.

Class 2:

This week we have continued to read and explore the Jolly Postman. We sorted letters into consecutive house numbers to help him deliver the mail quickly. We also designed a new vehicle that would be faster, more comfortable and have facilities to help him with his busy job. We also read and explored the story of 'Little Red Riding Hood' and did some linked writing tasks. In science we investigated waterproof materials, including tissues and some fabrics. In R.E. we learnt about the Jewish festival of Shabbat and discussed how we would spend our time (we found it hard to imagine a Friday evening without TV or games)

Maths next week: Addition and subtraction

Class 3:

This week Class 3 have continued with their recounts in literacy and have been learning about exchanging in maths. We have also been looking at how we can help keep the environment healthy for different animal habitats.

Maths next week: Formal written method of addition and subtraction

Class 4:

This week we have been writing letters from the trenches. We have also been researching WWI battles and making ICT presentations.

Maths next week: Written methods in arithmetic

Harvest Festival

I hope you can all join us next Friday morning at 9:15am at St Peter's church, Redmile for our Harvest Festival. Harvest boxes will be sent home today and children will need to bring them to school on Friday morning or parents can take them straight to church. As the produce will be taken to Dove Cottage after half term, please can you send non-perishable goods. A collection will be made during the service for St Peter's Church. Thank you for your support.

New Website

A big thank you to all staff and Governors involved in creating our new website with special thanks to Caroline Addison who took all the fantastic photographs.

Parking

Please can you take care when parking outside school, particularly at drop off and collection times, ensuring you do not park opposite the bus markings as this blocks the road and upsets other motorists. Thank you.

Grantham Journal

The Grantham Journal photographer will be in school on Wednesday morning to take a picture of our Reception children for the paper.

School Nurse Open Session

On Monday 30th October, 2.00-3.00pm there will be a parent drop-in session at school with Tamsin Lenton, our school nurse. If you have any health concerns about your children which you would like to discuss with her then she would be happy to assess or signpost you to appropriate services.



St Peter's Church, Harvest Festival

St Peter's Church, Redmile will be holding their Harvest Festival on Sunday 15th October at 10.30am, which will be led by Revd David Payne. All are welcome to join us.

**LIGHT PARTY AT ST MARY'S CHURCH,
BOTTESFORD**

On Tuesday 31st October, we're holding a Light Party, for all the family to join in, at St Mary's church.

Please be there for 5.15pm as we start with a hot meal of sausage, beans and jacket potatoes at 5.30pm. The party will end at 7.30pm. There will fun, songs, worship and activities with the focus on Light, rather than the darkness of Hallowe'en.

Names of those attending, ages of children (who must be accompanied by a responsible adult) and any dietary requirements to Judith Wells by **Friday 20th**

October. Tel 01949 842804. Email:

judithwells@hotmail.co.uk

Please bring with you a named bag for all your goodies and a plain torch

Letters going home this week:

Y3-6 hockey tournament (named letters)

Midday Supervisor vacancy

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Sembi

Acting Executive Head Teacher