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### Newsletter – Friday 9th November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

#### **Visit from the Food Education Officer**

*The Food Education Officer from Children's Services at Lincolnshire County Council came in to school on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November to deliver healthy eating workshops to the children. They learned about the importance of a healthy diet, food labelling and how much sugar is in everyday food and drink items. Very often we don't realise how much sugar there is in breakfast cereals, fruit juice, yoghurts, chocolate bars and sweets. Over a day, children frequently consume more than the recommended daily allowance of 5 sugar cubes for infant children and 6 sugar cubes for junior children.*

*The Food Education Officer also shared with everyone how fortunate we are at Partney to have our own school kitchen. Out of 281 primary schools across Lincolnshire, only 42 schools have their own kitchen to cook freshly prepared school meals each day. The vast majority of school meals are transported in from other kitchens. This makes our lovely kitchen and school cook really important and valuable assets to promote healthy lifestyles. Did you know that if you purchase half a term's meals they work out at £1.90 per meal which is the cheapest in Lincolnshire? Most school meals cost parents between £2.30 and £2.50 daily so we are really fortunate that we can provide this important service to our families.*

Thank you for your donations to the British Legion Poppy fund. We will be handing over the proceeds to the British Legion this weekend. Many of the children will be taking part in brownie or Scout Parades on Sunday. If you have any photos you wish to forward to us, please do. It is lovely to see the children taking part in wider activities.

#### **Sponsored Walk Money**

We still have some outstanding sponsor money at the time of writing. Please could we have any more sponsor money during next week so it can be sent off for Children in Need. It does not have to be a massive amount – it will still make a difference!

#### **Golden Writers**

Class 2 had two Golden Writers today: Lois and Fraiser. They have been writing about a landscape setting and trying to use some of their vocabulary words in the process. There were many good pieces of writing to choose from this week, but these two stood out in terms of progress and presentation. Well done! Larry has also made fantastic progress and the words he has selected are superb in his retelling of the Tin Forest – fabulous work Larry, well done!! Rachel is a great writer but is also now developing her editing and 'uplevelling' which is a term that teachers use to describe a short passage that has been improved by the child to include devices and features that enhance the writing. Well done Rachel – keep it up!!



## PFA News

Another productive PFA meeting this morning. Thank you all for your continued support and enthusiasm. Couple of requests this week: we are wishing to replace the old cups and saucers so when we hold events we can serve tea and coffee in mugs. Therefore we are requesting that if you have a spare mug in the cupboard that you aren't using, please could you take them into school. There will be a box in the front office from Monday morning. Also we will be holding a meeting on Friday 14th December after assembly to plan the party day games etc and anyone that can spare some time that morning to help wrap the presents will be very welcome. More PFA details will be posted on Fb over the coming week and flyers for the upcoming Quingo event should be in book bags early next week. Thank you.

### Book Fair – beginning 20<sup>th</sup> November

We are looking forward to this beginning on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> November. There will be leaflets going home next week with details of offers etc. We are still looking for adults who can help us out with taking money and orders for half an hour on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>, Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> (all from 3pm) and on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> after Golden Assembly. Please could you let us know if you are able to help. Many thanks!

### PFA Christmas Card Orders

Please could we have any Christmas Card orders in by Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November.

### Planner for Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November to Friday 16th November 2018

	Monday 29th	Tuesday 30th	Wednesday 31st	Thursday 1st	Friday 2nd
	Breakfast Club 7.30 – 8.45 am	Breakfast Club 7.30 – 8.45 am	Breakfast Club 7.30 – 8.45 am	Breakfast Club 7.30 – 8.45 am	Breakfast Club 7.30 – 8.45 am
Morning				JB Sport PE Class 2,3	<b>Golden Assembly</b>
Afternoon				JB Sport PE Class 1	<b>Playgroup</b>
Evening	<b>PFA club 3.15 – 4.15</b>  Home2School club 3.15 – 5.15pm	<b>Knitting and Sewing Club 3.15 – 4.15pm</b>  Home2School club 3.15 – 5.15pm	<b>Cooking club 3.15 – 4.15pm</b>  Home2School club 3.15 – 5.15pm	<b>Sports club 3.15 – 4.15pm</b>  Home2School club 3.15 – 5.15pm	<b>Taekwondo 3.15-4.15 ish!</b>  Home2School club 3.15 – 5.15pm

Dates for your diary – more details of all these events will be given nearer the time.

- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> November – Travelling Book Fair in School for a week.
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November – PFA Christmas Quiz and Bingo Night!!!! More details to follow
- Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December - Partney Fair at Victory Hall, Partney 2pm tbc.
- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December – Parents Evening Year 1-6
- Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December 5.45 for 6pm – Class 1 Christmas Production at St Nicholas Church, Partney

- **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December 5.45 for 6pm – Class 2 and 3 Production at St Nicholas Church, Partney.**
- **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 1.30pm – Christmas Service in St Nicholas Church, Partney**
- **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas Lunch and Party.**
- **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Last Golden assembly and BREAK UP for Christmas**

**If you have any concerns or questions about anything at all, please give us a ring on 1790 753319 or email**

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