



The Rauceby GrOWLer

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Fireworks Night

After attending my first ever Rauceby Fireworks event I went away feeling even more proud of what a wonderful school community we are. The event was a huge success and thank you to everyone who came to support it. I'm sure you'll agree that the whole event ran extremely smoothly with little queuing needed for food and drink. As head I felt it important to sample the produce on offer and I have to congratulate Savvy foods for their fantastic sausages which went down nicely with a mulled wine. The main event of the fireworks can only be described as spectacular! Mr Paré did a superb job and choreographed an awe inspiring display, so a big thank you to him. I must also thank the PTFA and everyone else who helped set up the event in torrential rain and continue running stalls and helping throughout the evening. THANK YOU!

Isn't milk brilliant!

As you may be aware children under 5 receive FREE milk. If your child is over 5 then there is a charge but it is available for all year groups. For further information please come into the school office and pick up a leaflet.

Non-Uniform Day

We are holding a non-uniform day on Tuesday 10th November. This is in aid of our Christmas Fayre (27th November). In return we ask if children could donate items for this.

We are also holding a wear something spotty day on Friday 13th November in aid of Children in Need. In return we are asking for a £1 donation. Thank you.

We will remember them

Poppies are currently on sale in school along with other related merchandise for a small donation. On Wednesday 11th November the Year 6 children will be leading a Remembrance assembly in the new hall. Year 6 parents are invited to attend at 10.30am for a 10.45am start.

Football club cancellation

There will be no football club on Monday 9th November. The coach is unfortunately unavailable and as the team have played so well recently they have deserved a week off.

Wednesday Clubs

There will be no clubs (Book Club and Happy Hour) for the next two Wednesdays due to staff training. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Diary dates for this term

- Monday 9 November - Year 6 trip to Duxford
- Tuesday 10 November - Non-uniform for Christmas Fayre donations
- Tuesday 10 November - Girls' football tournament 1:00-4:00pm
- Wednesday 11 November - Year 6 Remembrance assembly @ 10:45am
- Wednesday 11 November - Year 2/3 trip to Peterborough
- Thursday 12 November - Year 5/6 football tournament 1:30-4:00pm
- Friday 13 November - Non-uniform for Children in Need
- Thursday 19 November - Book Fair tea party
- Friday 20 November - Individual & family photographs @ 8:30am
- Friday 20 November - Year 5 Solar System sleepover
- Thursday 26 November - Christmas Fayre @ 3:00pm
- Friday 27 November - Year 5 family assembly
- Wednesday 9 December - Infant Christmas plays (afternoon)
- Thursday 10 December - Infant Christmas plays (evening)
- Thursday 10 December - Whole school to Pantomime at Newark
- Thursday 17 December - Carol service at St Peter's @ 9:30am
- Friday 18 December - Whole school Christmas lunch
- Friday 18 December - **Term ends @2:30pm**



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Blue badge recipients

Congratulations to this week's blue badge recipients:

Reception - Chloe and Minnie, Year 2 – George and Lilian, Year 3 – George and Kieran, Year 4 – Alyssa, Ella and Grace D, Year 5 – Elliott and Florence and Year 6 - Ben and Sam.

PTFA news

The PTFA would like to Thank You all for coming to the fireworks night, the weather had us all a bit worried, but thankfully it came good in the end! It was a lovely evening and the atmosphere was really nice, and it was great to see everyone having fun whilst supporting the school! A big Thank You to The Savvy Food Company and to Dave Honess of the Big Ice Cream for their wonderful food and contributions. A big Thank You to all of the PTFA and friends of, to the teachers and staff at the school who helped during the day and on the night, but the biggest THANK YOU to Mr Ian Paré & his lovely wife, who secured the fireworks at cost price to the event, set up the display during the day and ran the display on the night, without them we wouldn't have had such a wonderful event! We have finalised the figures and we are exceptionally pleased to say that with everyone's help we have raised £725.38. Thank you everyone!

Easy Fundraising

We are very pleased to say that we shall be receiving a cheque for £53.85. This is a really easy way to raise funds for the school, all you have to do is find easyfundraising.org, register and search for Rauceby School, make that your chosen cause and then shop away!

Non-School Uniform Day- Tuesday 10th November

In return for your child coming into school in their own clothes on Tuesday 10th November, we would like to ask you for donations towards the stalls at the upcoming Christmas Fayre and items for the Christmas hampers.

For the stalls:

Chocolate (tombola)

Wine (water and wine stall)

New Christmas Decorations (to sell)

Pre-loved toys and children's books in clean and working condition (PTFA stall-a good excuse for a pre-Christmas clear out)

For the hampers:

New toys and children's books for all ages.

Drinks-alcoholic bottled variety

Chocolate and sweets

New unwanted items/gifts

Thank you all in advance.

Gold Award!

On Wednesday we had Andy Allen from Carres Community Team in to present us with our Gold Sports Mark. This was achieved by a lot of hard work from our staff, sports governor Mrs Wood and all students. Well done everyone.

