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Welcome to this week's edition of The Reporter. Another wonderful week at Rauceby with children engaged in many different activities: singing with the collaborative choir; playing volleyball and netball; learning to ride balance bikes in reception; a visit to the Cranwell Heritage Centre; playing tennis at Leadenham Tennis Club and being time-travellers - investigating the old and new both in, and around the school. And, to top it all off, the sun is shining ready for the long, bank-holiday weekend.

Blue Badge Recipients

Blue Badges were awarded this week to the following children:

- EYFS: Isla for an informative 'Show and Tell'
 Rupert for a super beanstalk
- Year 1: Isabelle and Shaye for fantastic practical capacity work
- Year 2: Etienne for her superb work ethic
 Grace for her logical approach to solving problems
- Year 3: Darcie for creative and innovative presentation of homework project
 Jacob for a fantastic Roman Britain timeline
 Jessica F and Ruby for a fantastic PowerPoint presentation on Roman Britain
- Year 4: Freya for a mature attitude, listening skills and determination in tennis sessions
 Harry for challenging himself in Maths and thinking 'out of the box'
- Year 5: Bethany for super effort and enthusiasm on volleyball
 Dylan and Mark for brilliant problem solving with angles
- Year 6: Whole class for excellent effort and attitude towards their assessment. Everyone has improved!
 Niamh for excellent effort during PE lessons

Well done to all of you. We are proud of the work that you produce and the effort that you put into all areas of school life.

It is a pleasure to give out the blue badges to the children each week, celebrating their successes both in and out of the classroom. It has been great to see the children wearing their badges with pride this week.

Year Five Visit to the Cranwell Aviation Heritage Centre

On Thursday, Year Five went to Cranwell Aviation Centre.

Walking into the museum we saw a plane called a Provost that they used to train the R.A.F pilots.

First, we designed a super hero because there was a real life super hero called Norman Cyril Jackson. Norman Jackson was a flight engineer on the Lancaster bombers. He was in a Lancaster when the engine set on fire. Although he was injured he climbed on to the top of the plane and tried to put the fire out. Unfortunately it did not work and his parachute set on fire. He fell 20,000 feet and survived, although he had many injuries including a broken ankle. Next, we wrote a poem about evacuees who had to leave their families and move to the country side. Some of the children got dressed as evacuees while others wore gas masks.

After we had finished our workshops we explored the museum and we used the flight simulator.

It was a great school trip thank you Mrs Wilkinson, Mrs Whitehead and all the parents that helped with transport!



By Eleni, George, Luke and Toby



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Netball match

On Thursday after school the netball team were visited by a team from St. Botolph's. A well contested and hard fought game ended with Rauceby winning the game 8 – 3.

Learning to ride in Reception

This week has seen the playground taken over by the Reception children learning to ride Balance Bikes. They look like they have had an amazing time and, as you can see from the pictures; even a little rain did not deter the enthusiasm. Mrs Singleton and Mrs Craig are both very proud of the effort and attitude of all of the children. Well done.



Year 1 – with pedals

Next it was the turn of the Year 1 children, who were learning with pedals.



Year Four Tennis

Today, a group of children from Year Four represented the school in a tennis tournament at Leadenham Tennis Club. They played really well and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Thank you to Mrs Whitehead for transporting and supporting them.

Internet Safety

Internet safety is always high on our agenda at Rauceby as we are aware of the risks our children are now faced with. Below is a link that supports parents in this area by explaining how to set up parental controls and privacy settings on the various platforms that children are accessing. <https://www.internetmatters.org/parental-controls/search/>

School photographs

Please ensure all children are wearing their summer uniforms for the school class photographs next Friday 11 May. Thank you.

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Spare clothing

Reception class are desperate for any spare clothing you may have particularly underwear, socks and trousers or shorts. Please can you return any spare clothing that your child has been sent home in.

Upcoming Events

Mon 7 May	-	BANK HOLIDAY
Fri 11 May	-	Class Photographs
Mon 14-Thurs 17 May	-	National Assessment Week for KS2 (SATs)
Wed 16-18 May	-	Year 5 Residential trip to Rand Farm
Tues 22 May	-	Year 3/4 play - afternoon
Weds 23 May	-	Year 3/4 play – evening
Fri 25 May	-	End of term (normal finish time)

Forest School Evening

Hopefully you have received a letter about our ever popular Forest School Evening on **Friday 6 July**. This is the third year we have run this event which has gone from strength to strength. The evening involves; building a shelter to spend the night, cooking around a campfire, playing games and having a wonderful sociable evening. Please return reply slips with full payment by Friday 18 May 2018.

Messages from the PTFA

Race Night

This will be on Friday 18 May from 6.15pm. Entrance is a bargain £1. You can buy horses in advance for £5 and if your horse wins then you win a prize! We still have space for a couple of sponsors too; a mere £25 and the PTFA will shamelessly advertise you everywhere we can! If you can't come, you can still buy horses and we will get your prizes to you on the Monday after. There will also be a few games: heads and tails, toss the coin, maybe a quick fun bingo game. Please support this event; it's a great night of fun for all of the family and a reasonably cheap one too. We will be selling refreshments and sweets as well. If you would like to come, complete your form and send it back with the pennies, or come along on the night! Everyone is welcome.

Tea Towels

So far we have 55 pre ordered. If you haven't received the form or can't find it then pop into reception for another. These are lovely keepsakes of your child's self-portrait and of how they see the teachers. We shall be submitting the order by the end of May, so if you haven't returned your form by then you may miss out.

Ice Cream Fridays

We shall be selling ice creams on the following Fridays: 4, 11, 18, 25 May. 8, 15, 22, 29 June. 6, 13 & 20th July.

175th School Celebration

The school is 175 this year and the PTFA are funding a party afternoon for the children. They will be having a picnic lunch on the 14th June, followed by lots of fun! Bouncy castles and assault courses, glitter tattoos, giant dominos, tin-can alley, tug of war, giant jenga, dart ball, giant pick up sticks and much more!

Although its being funded by the PTFA we are very open to any donations that can keep costs down.....we will need approx. 230 bun sized cakes.....230 bags of crisps.....bottles of squash-sugar free.....200+ ice pops (not frozen).....24 packets of pink wafers & ice rings. If you want to donate any of these items please pop a note for the attention of the PTFA with your name and what you will provide.

A message from Caythorpe Cricket Club

Attention children in KS2

At Caythorpe Cricket Club we have a thriving Junior section, where we encourage children of all abilities to exercise and to develop the concept of teamwork and fair play.

The training takes place at Caythorpe Playing Field on Friday evenings from 6:00 pm. We welcome both boys and girls.

Caythorpe CC has been awarded Clubmark status: we have qualified coaches at all levels and DBS clearance for all volunteers.

If you require any more information, please ring Moira Cree on 01400 272145.

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BuggyFit

Buggyfit is an outdoor fitness class, with strengthening and toning exercises, for mums wanting to get back in shape after their new arrival.

Starting on Tuesday 5 June at Mareham Pastures (Sleaford), and on Wednesday 6 June at Greylees Bandstand - both at 10.30am. Sessions cost £5 PAYG or £4.50 if paid per half-term. For more details please see Susie Dachtler (Ethan's Mum) at the school gate, or email: susiedfitness@gmail.com, tel: 07875585896, or have a look at my Facebook page: facebook.com/BuggyfitCentralLincs.

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