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Captains Close Primary School



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**Asfordby
Captain's Close**
Primary School

Friday 11th September

School Update



Autumn Term 26

23.09.26 – Flu Vaccinations



24.09.26 – Y5 Linc construction trip

Pre-school Booknic 2.45pm

25.09.26 – Coffee morning 9-10.30

29.09.26 – Individual Photos

30.09.26 – Harvest Festival

12.10.26 – Y6 Beaumanor Trip

Macmillan Coffee Morning At Captains

Friday 25th September 9-10.30

Everyone welcome – the more the merrier!

Re-usable mugs welcome.



WE NEED YOUR CAKE DONATIONS! Please deliver any cake donations baked or bought to the office by the morning of the event at the latest!

Harvest Festival 2026

Parents are welcome to join, however please be mindful of space! We will be leaving school at 1.15pm ready to start the festival at 2pm. If you are able to support us walking to the church, please come to reception for 1.10pm. We will not be taking bags with us so all children will need to return to school to be signed out



Parking has become a real issue at drop off and pick up times. This has resulted in a verbal argument before school last week which some children and many parents witnessed. We kindly ask for you to respect our neighbours and ensure the safety of all. Should you have concerns about parking – please contact Leicestershire police for parking violations or Leicestershire county council, self service portal.

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of our first three weeks back, I would like to take a moment to thank everyone for helping to make the start of the school year such a successful one. It has been wonderful to see our children settle back into school routines so quickly and confidently. We are also continuing to welcome new children and families into our school community, and it has been lovely to see how warmly they have been embraced by both staff and pupils.

Every day, there is fantastic learning taking place across the school. Our children are demonstrating enthusiasm, resilience and determination, while our staff continue to work incredibly hard to provide engaging and enriching experiences for all. I am extremely grateful for the commitment shown by both our pupils and staff, which has made such a positive start to the academic year possible.

I would also like to reiterate the importance of parking safely and respectfully during drop-off and collection times. Please be mindful of our neighbours and avoid parking in ways that may cause disruption or inconvenience. Most importantly, we must ensure that children and families have clear visibility when crossing roads so that everyone can travel to and from school safely. Your cooperation and consideration are greatly appreciated.

We have an exciting month ahead and are looking forward to a number of wonderful events during September, including:

- Our first educational visit of the year, with Year 5 attending the Lincolnshire Showground.
- Our very first **Booknic** for Pre-School children and families.
- The return of our popular coffee mornings, beginning with the **Macmillan Coffee Morning**.
- Individual school photographs for all children. Further information regarding photography sessions for out-of-school siblings will be shared nearer the time.
- Celebrating together at church for our annual **Harvest Festival**, a special way to end the month as a school community.

The school year calendar is available on our website, make sure you don't miss out!

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to sharing these exciting experiences with our children and families over the coming weeks.

Kind regards,
Mrs Willcock
Headteacher
Captains Close Primary School



We would like to welcome....



Mrs C Evans – EYFS cover teacher

Our EYFS class is currently being supported on a Wednesday by Mrs Evans.

If you are interested, please let Mr Collins know.

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TOPIC OF THE MONTH:

Emotional Regulation
for young people with ADHD

Peer support for families at any stage of their ADHD journey



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THURSDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER
6:30pm-8:30pm



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