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Captains Close Primary School



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**Asfordby
Captain's Close**
Primary School

Friday 25th September

School Update



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



Autumn Term 26

29.09.26 – Individual Photos

30.09.26 – Harvest Festival 2pm

08.10.26 – Hello Yellow Awareness Day

12.10.26 – Y6 Beaumanor Trip

14.10.26 – Y6 assembly

15.10.26 – EYFS booknic 2.45pm

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19-23.10.26 – Half Term

#HelloYellow

YOUNG MINDS

Wear something yellow on Friday 8th October to show your support. Children can wear as little or as much yellow as they like, from a bow in their hair to full banana style! If you wish to donate please do this online at fundraise.youngminds.org.uk

A HUGE thank you for coming to our first coffee morning – it was a huge success! Please join us next time on 20.11.26, raising money for Children In Need. Or join our first EVER SEN Café @ 2pm 28.10.26



Christmas Pottery Painting workshop coming to Captains this Christmas – More details to follow!



Headteacher Update

What a fabulous week we have had at school!

Our Year 5 children thoroughly enjoyed their annual trip to the **Construction Industry Training Board (CITB) Construction Careers Event** at the Lincolnshire Showground. This is always a highly anticipated trip, and once again it provided our pupils with an amazing opportunity to explore a wide range of careers within the construction industry. Experiences like these help children begin to think about their future aspirations and gain a real insight into what life could be like if they choose to follow a particular career path. We would like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who contributed towards the cost of the trip and helped make this valuable experience possible.

As this is a curriculum-linked trip, we expect all children to attend wherever possible. However, we do understand that there may occasionally be exceptional circumstances, including specific medical or SEND needs. If your child is unable to attend a future trip, please let us know as early as possible so that we can make any necessary arrangements.

As always, we encourage all families to make voluntary contributions towards educational visits. Unfortunately, if we do not receive sufficient contributions, we may not be able to proceed with future trips. This brings us nicely on to our upcoming **Year 6 trip next month**, which promises to be another fantastic experience for our pupils. The visit links directly to their learning about **World War II** and will be particularly meaningful as they prepare for their Year 6 assembly on the same topic. If you have not yet done so, please log into Arbor to make your payment.

This week we also welcomed our flu vaccination team into school. Some children may feel a little under the weather following their vaccination, which is perfectly normal. We hope that any children experiencing mild side effects have the opportunity to rest and recover over the weekend, ready for a fresh start on Monday.

I would also like to say a huge thank you to everyone who attended our first Coffee Morning of the year. We had an incredible turnout, and it was wonderful to see so many families joining us. Your continued support of the school is greatly appreciated.

Please remember that if you or your child need any support, we are here to help. Do not hesitate to get in touch with us via email. If we are unable to provide support directly, we can signpost you to a range of services and organisations that may be able to help.

We hope many of you will be able to join us for our **Harvest Festival next Wednesday**. Any support with walking children to and from church is always greatly appreciated. Finally, a reminder that **individual school photographs will take place on Tuesday**. Please ensure children come to school wearing their full, smart school uniform.

Have a wonderful weekend, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday.

Mrs Willcock
Headteacher