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**Asfordby
Captain's Close**

Primary School



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@Accprimary

Friday 29th August 25

School Update



Autumn Term 25

- 05.09.25—Y5/6 swimming starts!
- 10.09.25— Stay & Play restarts—9:45am
- 20.09.25—Community fun day!
- 22.09.25—Y6 Bikeability (Mon-Thurs)
- 25.09.25—Y5 Lincolnshire Construction Trip (Please sign up on Arbor)
- 26.09.25—Macmillan Coffee Morning
- 1.10.25—Flu Vaccinations AM, Harvest Festival 2pm

**It's time for
a Macmillan
Coffee
Morning
and you're invited**



Friday 26th September 2025

9.15am—11am

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Last year it was wonderful to see our children celebrating events at our local church. We will continue this year to do the same, starting with our first service—Harvest Festival!

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.



School aged flu vaccinations



The service will now contact you directly to gain your consent for your child to have their flu vaccination in school. Ours are booked in for Wednesday 1st October.

FREE BREAKFAST CLUB

We would like to encourage all parents to sign your children up to our FREE breakfast club...

Half an hour of childcare **ABSOLUTELY FREE**

Your child will get time to socialise with friends whilst having a nutritional breakfast at school. Your child can arrive at 8.05am and our dedicated WAC staff will take them to their classroom ready to start their day. Access through main reception door.



Please sign up by Emailing: enquiries@childcarebookings.co.uk

or calling: 01444523335

After school clubs

Monday		Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Y3-Y6 Cooking club Mrs Newton	Y3-Y6 Football Club Miss Parker	Y1-Y6 Arts and Crafts Miss Hill	Y1-Y6 Dodgeball Miss Parker	Y5-Y6 Pokémon Club Mr Setchell
Block 1 1 st , 8 th , 15 th Sep 3weeks £16.50	Block 1 1 st , 8 th , 15 th Sep 3weeks £16.50	Block 1 26 th Aug, 2 nd , 9 th , 16 th Sep 4 weeks £22.00	Block 1 27 th Aug, 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th Sep 4 weeks £22.00	Block 1 28 th Aug, 4 th , 11 th , 18 th Sep 4 weeks £22.00
Block 2 22 nd , 29 th Sep 6 th , 13 th Oct 4 weeks £22.00	Block 2 22 nd , 29 th Sep 6 th , 13 th Oct 4 weeks £22.00	Block 2 23 rd , 30 th Sept 7 th , 14 th Oct 4 weeks £22.00	Block 2 24 th Sep, 1 st , 8 th , 15 th Oct 4 weeks £22.00	Block 2 25 th Sep, 2 nd , 9 th , 16 th Oct 4 weeks £22.00

Headteacher's Weekly Newsletter

Welcome Back to a New Academic Year!

Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to all our families following the summer break. I hope you enjoyed a restful holiday and found time for relaxation and fun. It has been wonderful to see the children return to school, looking refreshed and ready for the term ahead. They have made an excellent start in their new classes, showing enthusiasm and positivity as they settle into new routines.

We are delighted to welcome a number of new children across the school, so you may notice some new faces in the playground and classrooms. A special welcome goes to our new EYFS cohort, who have made a truly impressive start. They are looking exceptionally smart in their new uniforms and have already begun to embrace school life with confidence and curiosity.

You should all have now received the proposed dates for the year ahead, designed to help you plan for upcoming events. We will do our best to keep these dates unchanged but, as always, there may be additional events added during the year. These will be communicated through our weekly updates, so please do keep an eye on them to stay informed.

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who visited the school last Monday. I would especially like to acknowledge the tremendous efforts of our staff team, who have worked tirelessly to prepare for everyone's return. Their hard work in organising classrooms and creating inviting learning spaces, especially following extensive building work, has been truly impressive.

We are incredibly grateful to Discovery Trust for their significant investment in our school's facilities. Thanks to their support, we have benefitted from a full roof replacement, new LED lighting, and the installation of sky windows that open to improve ventilation and maintain a comfortable temperature throughout the year. The Trust has also funded a new boiler for the school, ensuring a warm and energy-efficient environment for everyone.

In addition, we now have brand new laptops and tablets, supporting our PEDtech curriculum and enhancing learning opportunities for all pupils. I am also pleased to share that, thanks to a grant of £20,000 from SENA, we have a new light sensory room in our specialist provision, alongside new furniture to support our children's needs. Further improvements include the development of two new playground surfaces in Preschool and EYFS, funded through grants and the fantastic fundraising efforts of our Friends of the Asfordby Captains Close (FOACC), so thank you to all our families and community for contributing to these fundraising events. These new outdoor spaces will greatly enhance our provision for play and learning.

Throughout the term, we will keep you updated on potential trips and enrichment opportunities for the children. We will also begin to share information on our school policies and any key changes, to ensure everyone is kept in the loop.

Thank you all for your ongoing support and partnership as we begin this new academic year. Wishing you a wonderful weekend and a successful start to the term.

Warmest regards,

Mrs Willcock and the team

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**Leicestershire Local Offer
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and Disabilities Roadshow**

Monday 15th September
5.00pm - 7.30pm
Leicestershire County Council, County Hall, LE3 8RF

Come along with your child / young person to have a go at activities and find out about Local SEND services and support available

The Roadshow brings together information and services which support families of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) all in one place. A chance to meet and chat with representatives from Leicestershire County Council and its partners.

We are inviting **children and young people** to come along to this Roadshow to have a go at some activities on offer. We can't wait to welcome you...

Please book your FREE tickets via
leicestershire.gov.uk/local-offer-roadshows

Free parking available

To find out more about the SEND Local Offer in Leicestershire please visit
www.leics.gov.uk/send



FLOURISH FESTIVAL



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ADULTS £10, CHILDREN £8

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LCH Charity who we are partnered with is holding its 3rd Flourish Family Festival on Saturday 13th September at Gorsehill City Farm, Leicester. At £10 for adults and £8 for children with under 2's free of charge it is a great value family day out. All activities and attractions are included with no hidden charges, this year they have: 100ft Inflatable Obstacle Course, Bouncy Castle, Inflatable Slide, Frozen Swing Ride, Toy Town Carousel, Trampolines, Circus Workshops, Climbing Wall, Facepainting, Arts & Crafts, Friendship Bracelet Making, Glitter Tattoos and full access to the Farm Park! On the Main Stage they have live music throughout the day, including a Taylor Swift and Sabrina tribute act, Acoustic Sounds and Finishing with an Oasis Tribute! A great day that supports a local children's charity. Buy tickets online!