



# Rauceby Reporter

## Friday 14 November



## Remembrance

At Rauceby, our Remembrance Service is a very special tradition. This year, our Y6 children did an amazing job sharing what they've learned about the brave men and women from across the globe who contributed to the war effort. We had a two minute silence at 11.00 to remember and reflect. A very special moment was when our youngest and our oldest Rauceby children rang the school bell to mark the start and end of the silence - a beautiful symbol of our community coming together across generations.





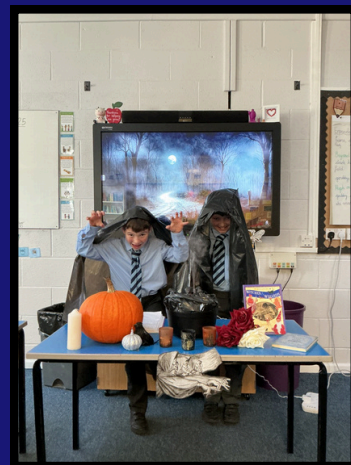
# Harvest

We were a little challenged with illness for our Harvest Festival this year, but thank you to those of you who came along. It was a lovely service with our Y6 children leading the service brilliantly and our KS1 and KS2 children singing our fabulous Harvest songs to cheer us into the autumn and winter season. Thank you too for your amazing donations to the community larder in Sleaford. Our ambassadors will be taking the boxes of produce along this week for those in our community in need of a little help.



## 'Bubble Bubble, Toil and Trouble'

Year 4 concluded last term with an absolutely captivating witches' performance, brilliantly bringing the Witches from Macbeth to life. The children poured their hearts into crafting their own enchanting 'double, double toil and trouble' performance poems, performing them with such passion and vivid expression that the entire class was truly spellbound!



## PTFA Disco

What a fantastic disco we had last week to kick off the term! Even Mr Divers surprised us all with some incredible dance moves—he really stole the show! A massive thank you to our amazing PTFA for organising and running the event so smoothly. Thanks to their hard work, they raised an incredible **£463.02!** This will go towards new resources and exciting experiences for our children this year, helping us make learning even more fun and engaging.





# Numbots and TT Rockstars Day

What an amazing Times Table Rockstar and Numbots day we had at last week! The children looked fantastic in their outfits, and we kicked off the day with a special Rockstar assembly that got everyone excited about maths. Throughout the day, the children enjoyed plenty of chances to practise their times tables and maths fluency using Numbots and TT Rockstar games. We love seeing our learners so engaged and confident with their maths skills! Remember to get logged on and have a go at home!



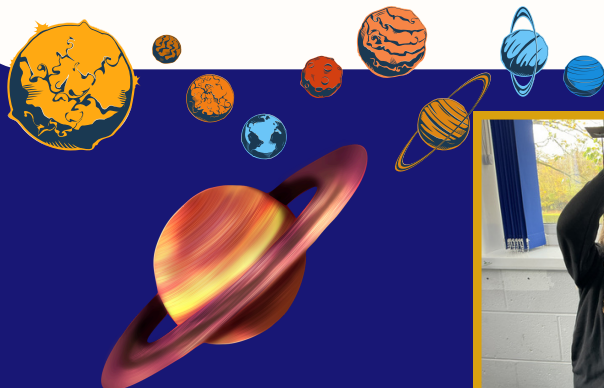
# Odd Socks Day

We kicked off Anti-Bullying Week in style this week with our Odd Sock Day! The children loved our special assembly all about Simon the Sock, a fun and meaningful way to celebrate what makes us all unique. It's a great reminder that being different is something to be proud of, and kindness is key to making our school a happy place for everyone. Can you spot your socks in the film?\_



# Y5 Learning

Year 5 have been kicking off their space topic this yterm by making miniature solar system models. We have really loved learning all about the planets and imagining what it would be like to live on each one of them.





## Y1 Learning

Our Year 1 children at Rauceby have kicked off their new writing unit all about instructions in the most delicious way! They carefully followed step-by-step directions to make their very own jam sandwiches—and the best part? They got to eat them afterwards! It's wonderful to see practical learning help build our Y1 writing skills! Yum!



## Y4 Learning

Our Year 4 children have kicked off their exciting new geography topic all about rainforests! They started by locating rainforests around the world on maps, developing their map-reading skills. Then, they took their learning further by independently researching the largest rainforest—the Amazon—and confidently sharing their fascinating discoveries with the class using their oracy skills. We're so proud of how curious and confident our Year 4 learners are becoming!



## Art Club

KS2 have been enjoying their first project at art club, making Christmas ornaments out of clay, which they will be painting next week ready for the school Christmas fair.



## Y6 Learning

Maths in Y6 this term has been all about fractions! This week we undertook a maths investigation for the start of our fraction's unit. We used manipulatives to investigate equivalent fractions.





# Community News



## Break The Rules Day

We would like to invite your child to break some rules for the day in return for an item for our Christmas Raffle Hampers. As per last year, we have given each class a colour theme for their donations as set out below:

**HAMPER ITEM DONATIONS** (these could be non-perishable food items, toys, socks, blankets, candles or smellies – some ideas are on the reverse of this letter; anything you would like to receive in a hamper!)

- Reception - red
- Y1 - blue
- Y2 - green
- Y3 - yellow
- Y4 - white
- Y5 - orange
- Y6 – pink

On the day, your child can choose which rule they would like to break from the list below. They can break as many or as few as they like but all other school rules will still apply! We aim to make this a fun experience for everyone!

Your child can break the rules by:

- Having crazy coloured hair or wear a wig
- Wearing your pyjamas
- Bringing a cuddly toy to school
- Wearing odd socks or tights
- Wearing odd shoes
- Wearing a crazy hat
- Wearing a hoody
- Wearing temporary tattoos
- Wearing nail varnish
- Wearing face paints

Members of the PTFA will be on the gates in the morning of Friday 21 November to collect the 'fines'/ donations for breaking the rules



# Community News

NEWLIFE CHURCH PRESENTS

# FILM Night



**FREE ENTRY**

**FRI 19TH DEC**

**05:30PM** NEW LIFE CHURCH



FOR MORE INFORMATION [WWW.NLCM.ORG.UK/WHATS-ON](http://WWW.NLCM.ORG.UK/WHATS-ON)

New Life Church Ministries (Sleaford) - a registered company No.08555537 and a registered charity No.1153603

Rauceby WI presents :-

# Annual Christmas Market

Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup> 2025  
10am-2pm

Rauceby Village Hall  
Main St. South Rauceby

Wide range of craft stalls  
Tombola Raffle Cake stall  
Vintage clothing Refreshments

Santa's Elf will be there too!



# VILLAGE SING-ALONG



**FOUR GET-TOGETHERS TO PRACTICE**  
in Rauceby Village Hall

7.00 - 8.00 pm on:

- Tuesday 11 November
- Thursday 20 November
- Thursday 27 November
- Thursday 18 December

Can't make them all? Don't worry, just come along to those you can.

Free to take part.  
All abilities/skills welcome!

# JUST FOR FUN!

# CHRISTMAS FAYRE

LEASINGHAM VILLAGE HALL

SUNDAY  
16<sup>th</sup> 12-4pm  
NOVEMBER

IN AID OF  
WHIZZ-KIDZ  
AND  
BLIND VETERANS UK





# Community News/Parent Support

## Sportshall

LINCOLNSHIRE SPORTSHALL ATHLETICS SELECTION EVENT

SUN 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025

GRANTHAM MERES LEISURE CENTRE – MAIN HALL

We would like to invite any standard of athlete to attend our unique event that includes running, jumping and throwing. All athletes will be required to try all events in the trial for the purpose of selecting a team for an event in February to represent Lincolnshire. We are looking for specialists and all-rounders.

**PRIMARY** – YEARS 4, 5 AND 6 (YEAR 4 CHILDREN MUST BE AGED 9) – 10AM (REGISTRATION) FOR A 10.30 START – 1PM

**SECONDARY** – YEARS 7, 8, 9 AND 10. 1PM REGISTRATION, FOR A 1.30PM START – 3.30PM.

THIS EVENT IS TO SELECT THE TEAM FOR LINCOLNSHIRE. ALL ATHLETES MUST EITHER RESIDE; WERE BORN OR GO TO SCHOOL IN LINCOLNSHIRE.

ENTER VIA [www.race-results.co.uk](http://www.race-results.co.uk). Find Sun 30<sup>th</sup> November and online entries and payments (£5 PER CHILD) must be made before midnight Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Nov. No entries on the day.

For further information contact Lincolnshire Athletics Association - [Sportshallathletics@lincolnshireathletics.co.uk](mailto:Sportshallathletics@lincolnshireathletics.co.uk) co-ordinator Lisa Richardson – [lisarichardsonsports@gmail.com](mailto:lisarichardsonsports@gmail.com)



### Holiday Activities and Food

An opportunity for your child to take part in FREE exciting activities and enjoy healthy meals over the holiday period.  
Monday 22 December 2025 to Friday 2 January 2026 (excluding bank holidays).

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4<sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 6.30pm  
18<sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 12.30pm  
3<sup>rd</sup> December 2025 at 6.30pm  
16<sup>th</sup> December 2025 at 12.30pm



Book your place here, [familyadoptionlinks.org.uk](http://familyadoptionlinks.org.uk)

FAMILY ADOPTION LINKS  
Lincolnshire





# Parent Support




**WORKFORCE  
DEVELOPMENT  
E-LEARNING**

**FREE MODULES  
FOR PARENTS**

- WHAT IS INCLUSION?
- RESPECTING INDIVIDUALS.
- AWARENESS OF A NEURO-TYPICAL CHILD.
- SEND CODE OF PRACTICE.
- WORKING WITH PROFESSIONALS.
- TYPES OF SEND

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- Wraparound childcare including before and after school clubs and breakfast clubs.



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# Achievements

## Star of the Week

Oliver M in Year 1 excellent maths work.

Summer in Year 2 or some super Autumn art.

Arthur in Year 3 for his contributions to class discussions in humanities, science and RE.

Isaac in Year 4 for his incredible attitude towards his learning.

Lola for Year 5 for her amazing effort in writing on The Highwayman.

Year 6

Noah for his amazing efforts in English and improving his presentation.

## Role Model of the Week

Austin in Year 1 for demonstrating our school value of kindness.

Isla in Year 2 for demonstrating our school value of kindness

Dallas in Year 3 for demonstrating our school value of aspiration

Logan in Year 4 for demonstrating our school value of kindness

Ateca in Year 5 for demonstrating our school value of aspiration

Arty in Year 6 for demonstrating our school value of kindness



## Personal Achievements



## Football Update

Well done to our amazing football team who played Winchelsea Primary School in an away game this week. The game was a close knit affair with a final score of 1-1.

We are so proud of all the team - showing fantastic sporting values and determination throughout the game! Thanks to Coach Danny too for supporting the team last week!

## House Points



Red Kite

667



Buzzard

439



Falcon

426



Kestrel

548



# Dates for the Diary

SEPTEMBER		2024				
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

## Term 2

- 17.11.25 - 19.11.25: Y6 Residential to London  
**17.11.25: Primary School Applications open**  
18.11.25: Y5 Planetarium in school  
21.11.25: Break the Rules Day  
24.11.25: Assessment Week Y1-Y6  
**25.11.25: 13.30 Open Afternoon for YR 2026**  
**28.11.25: Cross Country Event**  
28.11.25: Children In Need Games @ breaktime  
**28.11.25: 14.00 Dandelion Club and Military Family Tree Dressing**  
2.12.25: Y4 Zoolab Experience  
**2.12.25: 15.30 Netball v Church Lane (home)**  
**3.12.25: 09.30: Rocksteady Concert**  
**5.12.25: 15.30 - 17.30 Christmas Fair**  
10.12.25: KS2 Panto visit  
**10.12.25: 14.00 EYFS Christmas Nativity**  
**10.12.25: 18.00 KS1 Christmas Production**  
11.12.25: 14.00 KS1 Christmas Production  
11.12.25: 18.00 EYFS Christmas Nativity  
**15.12.25: Interim Reports Y1-Y6**  
17.12.25: EYFS/KS1 to Rand Farm  
18.12.25: Christmas Parties  
**19.12.25: 9.30 Christingle @ St Peter's Church**  
19.12.25: Christmas Lunch  
19.12.25: 14.30 End of Term 2

## Term 3

- 6.1.26: Term 3 begins  
**14.1.26: 15.30 Netball v Chestnut Street (away)**  
**19.1.26: 15.45 - 17.30 In Person Progress Meetings**  
20.1.26: 15.30 Netball v Winchelsea (home)  
**21.1.26: 16.15 - 18.30 Online Progress Meetings**  
27.1.26: 15.30 Football v Church Lane (away)  
29.1.26: Y5/Y6 to Young Voices  
30.1.26: 14.00 Y2 #thisfamilycan  
2.2.26-5.2.26: Y5 Bikeability  
6.2.26: Y2 Forest School and Sleepover Evening  
6.2.26: 14.00 Y3 #thisfamilycan  
9.2.26: Children's mental health week  
10.11.26: 9.10 Y5 Family Assembly  
10.11.26: 15.30 Netball v William Alvey (home)  
13.2.26: 1400 YR #thisfamilycan  
13.2.26: 15.30 End of Term 3

## Dates Added Recently

- 17.11.25: Primary School Applications open**  
**28.11.25: Children In Need Games @ breaktime**  
**2.12.25: Y4 Zoolab Experience**  
**3.12.25: 09.30: Rocksteady Concert**

## Term 4

- 23.2.26: Term 4 begins  
27.2.26 - 1.3.26: Y4 to PGL  
5.3.26: World Book Day  
9.3.26: Assessment week  
**10.3.26: Y1 Family Assembly**  
**13.3.26: 9.10 Mother's Day Service @St Peter's Church**  
**26.3.26: Y4 Family Assembly**  
**30.3.26: Interim reports**  
**31.3.26: 9.10 Easter Service @St Peter's Church**  
2.4.26: 14.30 End of Term 4

## Term 5

- 21.4.26: Term 5 begins  
**27.4.26: 16.15 - 18.30 Online Pastoral Meetings**  
**29.4.26: 15.45 - 17.30 In Person Pastoral Meetings**  
**4.5.25: BANK HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED**  
5.5.26: Y3 trip to Cresswell Crags  
**7.5.26: 9.10 Y2 Family Assembly**  
**8.5.26: 14.00 Y4 #thisfamilycan event**  
**9.5.26: 14.00 Y1 #thisfamilycan event**  
11.5.26 - 14.5.26: Y6 SATs week  
19.5.26 - 22.5.26: Y5 Residential to Malham  
22.5.26: 15.30 End of Term 5

## Term 6

- 1.6.25: Term 6 begins  
3.6.26 - 5.6.26: Y3 to Rand Farm  
**11.6.26: 9.10 YR Family Assembly**  
**12.6.26: 14.00 Y5 #thisfamilycan event**  
**16.6.26: 9.10 Y3 Family Assembly**  
**18.6.26: 9.30 - 1.00 Sports Morning and Family Picnic**  
**22.6.26 - 10.7.26: Swimming on site**  
**25.6.26: Small Schools Football Tournament**  
**3.7.26: Y6 #thisfamilycan event**  
**8.7.26: 14.00 Y6 Production**  
**9.7.26: 18.30 Y6 Production**  
**13.7.25: End of Year Reports**  
**17.7.26: PM - evening School Summer Fair**  
**22.7.26: Y6 Leavers event and Y6 Leavers Assembly**  
22.7.26: 14.30 End of Term 6

## Diary Dates Explained

- School diary dates
- Parent Events
- Sports Events

We have tried to put as many dates in the diary as possible so that you can plan ahead, although more dates will be added as the year progresses. Please do check the diary dates in each newsletter to double check there have been no changes to dates or times.



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## OUR OPEN EVENTS

**Thursday 6 November: 9.30-10.30**

**Thursday 13 November: 9.30 - 10.30**

**Tuesday 25 November: 1.30-2.30**

Please call the school office to book your place or contact us for a personal tour with the headteacher at a time to suit you.

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