

# GREAT DUNHAM GAZETTE

Issue 16 ~ 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

## Mantra of the Month:

"The best preparation for tomorrow is doing your best today"

As stated in the 8<sup>th</sup> September 2017 edition of the Great Dunham Gazette and most of the subsequent newsletters, we are open on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March. This is the day we will be holding the annual Easter egg hunt and Easter hat parade (2:30pm). There will be no After School club on 29<sup>th</sup> March. **We will be closed on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June.**

## Hickling visit to Norwich Castle



Hickling visited Norwich Castle on Thursday for a special Dragon's Tale storytelling session. Children helped Sir Leigh create a believable story about how he bravely slayed the dragon which meant he could marry the princess.

## Year 1 Parent Lunch

Thank you to the parents who attended the parent lunch this week. We hope you enjoyed it.

## Easter Lunch



There is a special Easter lunch on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March. Please ensure order forms are returned no later than Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

## Year 2 Parent Lunch

Year 2 will be inviting one guest to join them for lunch on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March, which coincides with the Easter lunch.

Please ensure order forms are returned no later than Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

## Thursday's Hot Dinner change

There will be a change to Thursday's dinner menu. Instead of chicken tikka the kitchen will be sending fish fingers and chips. Please let Mrs. Jarrett know if you would like to change your order.

## Easter Hat Parade



We will be holding an Easter Bonnet Parade on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March at 2:30pm.

Children are asked to make their bonnets at home and bring in to school on Thursday.

## Parent Governor Vacancy

There are currently two vacancies for parent governors. If you are interested or would like more information, please speak to Mrs Elburn who is in the playground on Thursday mornings. Elections will take place after Easter.

**VACANCY**

## Big Battery Hunt Leaderboard



We have had a great response to this hunt so far. The top 5 are:

Emily Clack	569
Archie Cook	512
Ella-Jean Mitchell	454
Ben Bagguley	431
Harriet Moxey	175

You have until Easter to bring in your used batteries. Keep recycling!

## Attendance this week – (97.5% school target)

Oulton ~ 98.67%
Hickling ~ 98.8%
Ranworth ~91.23%
Filby ~ 95.53%

# GREAT DUNHAM GAZETTE

Issue 16 ~ 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

Attendance for the year so far is 97.09%

## Dates

### March 2018

- 28<sup>th</sup> Easter Lunch
- 28<sup>th</sup> Year 2 Parent Lunch
- 29<sup>th</sup> 2:30 Easter Hat Parade
- 29<sup>th</sup> School Open - ~~No After School Club~~
- 30<sup>th</sup> Good Friday - School closed

### April 2018

- 2<sup>nd</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> Easter Holidays - School Closed
- 16<sup>th</sup> School Restarts
- 17<sup>th</sup> Y5/6 Parents meeting re SATs and Bradwell Residential
- 18<sup>th</sup> Year 6 and Year Group Photographs
- 25<sup>th</sup> Year 3 Parent Lunch

### May 2018

- 7<sup>th</sup> Bank Holiday - School Closed
- 9<sup>th</sup> Year 4 Parent Lunch
- 14<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> Year 6 SATs Week
- 21<sup>st</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> Y4/5 non-swimmers only one hour swimming each day
- 23<sup>rd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Residential Bradwell, Essex
- 28<sup>th</sup> - 1<sup>st</sup> June Half Term - School Closed