



Gedney Drove End Primary School and Holbeach St Marks Primary School

22nd June 2018

Dear Parents

Dates for your diary

27th June Y5 Taster Day at UAH HSM only

27th June Finland to Sealife Centre

28th June Cuba to Sealife Centre

28th & 29th June Y6 Move Up days UAH & Peele

2nd July End of year play HSM

3rd July Summer play GDE

4th July GDE Year 5 to 5 F's Go Large - Peele

5th July E-safety workshop Y6

9 – 11th July Alton Towers Residential

16th July Leavers Trip

16th July Natureland Trip

17th July Sports Day

19th July Leavers Assemblies

20th July End of Year

4th September Start of term

Curriculum Activity Sessions

Following on from your parental questionnaires, where a number of parents wanted to know how they could support their children, we are holding some events to help inform you about terminology and methods. We would like to invite all parents to stay for a Maths activity session and a SPAG (spelling, punctuation, grammar) session. Dates and times are as follows:

Holbeach St Marks

SPAG 9am Tuesday 26th June

Gedney Drove End

Maths Finland class 2.45pm Thursday 12th July / Norway and Sweden 3.15pm Thursday 12th July

SPAG Finland class 2.45pm Thursday 5th July / Norway and Sweden 3.15pm Thursday 5th July

Natureland Seal Sanctuary - Skegness

On Monday 16th July, Barbados and Sweden classes will be visiting the Natureland Seal Sanctuary at Skegness. They will be leaving and returning within the normal school day. This visit is part of their term 6 topic work. All children will need to bring a packed lunch and plenty to drink, packed lunches will be ordered for those entitled to free school meals. We will need to ask for a voluntary contribution of £10.00 towards the cost of the trip, please complete the permission slip attached.

Cuba and Finland Trip to Hunstanton Sealife Centre

Finland Class will be visiting the Sealife Centre in Hunstanton on the 27th June and Cuba will be visiting on the 28th June. On both days the coach will be leaving promptly at 9am, we will be returning to school by the end of the school day. Packed lunches will be provided for children entitled to Free School Meals. The charge for this trip is a voluntary contribution of £10, which will go towards the entrance fee and the cost of the coach. Please indicate on the permission slip if a lunch is required.

Library Van HSM

The next library van visit to Holbeach St Marks will be on the 5th July. During the summer holiday's the van will visit on the 2nd and 30th August.

Hot Meals

Please find attached the menu for the week commencing 2nd July.

Should you wish to order a meal, please return the form, with payment by Monday 25th June.

If your child is entitled to a free lunch, please send a completed form back to school.

Swimming Term 6

Please find below the remaining swimming dates for this term.

Gedney Drove End 2nd July

Holbeach St Marks 25th June, 9th July (Alton Towers Trip)

The swimming lesson on 16th July has been cancelled due to school trips, anyone who has paid will receive a refund.

Stars of the week

Well done to the following children for their amazing achievements this week.

Gedney Drove End

Finland – Ruby for her place value, reasoning and problem solving skills. Also for her drawing of a blue whale.

Sweden – Mia for her 3D shape properties in Maths problem work.

Norway – Tara for an incredibly strong performance in the school play practice.

Holbeach St Marks

Cuba – Rebecca for great artwork.

Barbados – Thomas M for vast improvement in handwriting.

St Lucia – Kieran for great contribution to play rehearsals.

Many Thanks

Karyn Wiles

Sealife Centre Trip Cuba Class

I give / do not give permission for my child(ren)to attend the trip to Hunstanton Sealife Centre on the 28th June.

I do / do not enclose a voluntary contribution of £10.

My child is entitled to a free school meal and I would like a packed lunch provided.

Signed.....Date.....



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Signed.....Date.....

Natureland Trip Barbados and Sweden

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Signed.....Date.....