



# Gedney Drove End Primary School and Holbeach St Marks Primary School

19<sup>th</sup> July 2019

## **Dates for your diary**

4<sup>th</sup> September Start of Term 1

Dear Parents

I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you for your continued support this year. I would like to wish our year 6 leavers good luck in their new schools. Remember guys, reach for the stars – you can do anything you want – the sky's the limit! I hope you all have a relaxing break; term begins again on Wednesday 4th September 2019.

## **Breakfast Club Reminder**

I would just like to remind you of the arrangements for breakfast club which will continue in September. The gates will be open from 8.40am each morning, All children will go straight into the classroom, where they will be able to have toast. They will then take part in reading activities. Any child not wanting to eat breakfast will still come into school to take part in the reading, there will be no play before school.

## **Library Van HSM**

The next visits of the library van will be on 1<sup>st</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> August.

## **Library Reading Challenge 2019**

The Summer Reading Challenge takes place every year during the summer holidays. You can sign up at your local library, and then read 6 library books of your choice to complete the challenge. There are exclusive rewards to collect along the way, and it's free to take part!

## **Snack Term 1**

Only fruit is available at break time, this will be provided free for all those children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. Children in key stage 2 will be able to purchase fruit at a cost of 50p per week: the cost for next term will be £3.50. Please return the permission slip with your payment.

## **Swimming Term 1**

Swimming lessons will start again on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September. Gedney Drove End will be the first to swim and Holbeach St Marks will go the following week. At Holbeach St Marks lessons are for St Lucia and Barbados classes and at Gedney Drove End they are for Norway and Sweden. We will only be charging for the pool entry, as the school pays the cost of swimming teachers and transport. The cost is a voluntary contribution of £1 a week, £3 for GDE and £3 for HSM. Swimming dates are as follows;

**Gedney Drove End - 9<sup>th</sup> September, 23<sup>rd</sup> September and 7<sup>th</sup> October**

**Holbeach St Marks - 16<sup>th</sup> September, 30<sup>th</sup> September and 14<sup>th</sup> October**

Please complete and return the attached permission slip.

Many Thanks  
Karyn Wiles

## **Snack Term 1**

My child(ren) ..... Would like fruit at breaktime.

I enclose £3.50 for the term (year 3 -6 only).

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

**Swimming Term 1**

I give / do not give permission for my child(ren) .....to attend swimming lessons in Term 5.

I do / do not enclose a voluntary contribution of **£3 for GDE and £3 for HSM per child.**

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