

# Newsletter 15.3.24

## Arriving Late to School in The Morning



This week we have seen a slight improvement in the number of children arriving late to school although we are still in double figures daily. Please remember that the school gates open at 8.40am and gates close at 8.55am. If your child arrives after this time they often need to be escorted to class by a member of staff as they can be upset, anxious and embarrassed about walking into a class full of children. It also means that they miss valuable settling in and learning time. We understand that there are times where this is unavoidable, but being late is unfortunately becoming the norm for some children.

## School Lunches

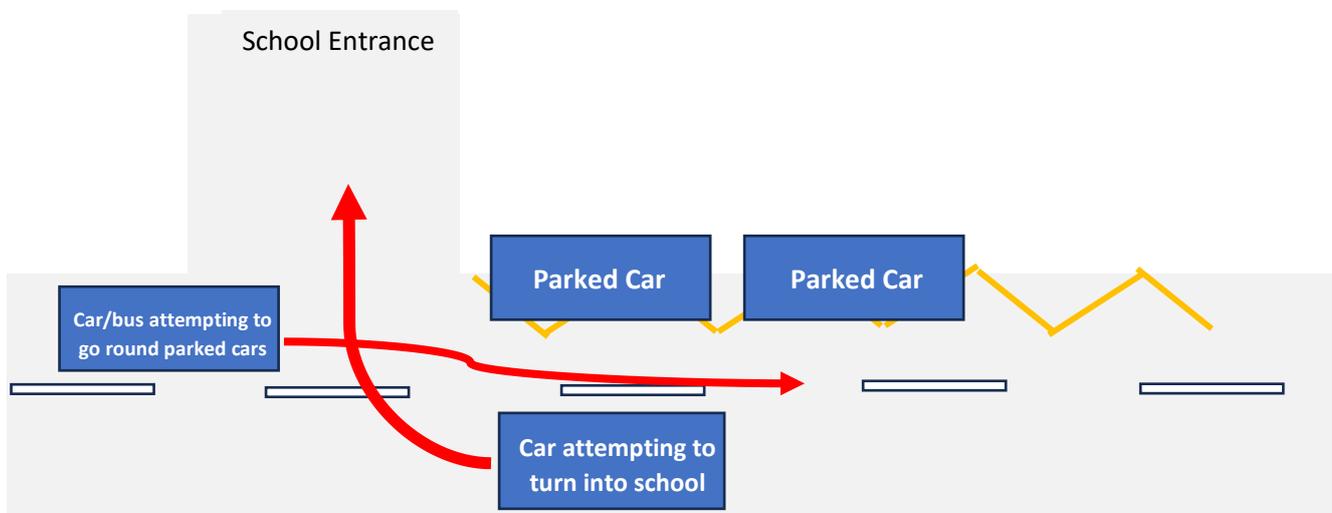
Lunches for Term 5 and Term 6 are now available to book in your ParentMail account. Please book prior to 5<sup>th</sup> April ready for the start of Term.

## School Discos Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March

Disco Tickets are available to book on your ParentMail account. Please see the ParentMail sent on 4<sup>th</sup> March for information. Please email [friendsofsouthview@hotmail.com](mailto:friendsofsouthview@hotmail.com) if your child has any dietary requirements.

## Parking for Breakfast Club

Please can I ask **again** that, should you need to drop off for the breakfast club, you do so **FURTHER AWAY** from the school entrance and exit. At this time of day, we often have food delivery lorries entering and exiting the d-ring/barrier area, there are several buses passing through Postland Road and the majority of staff arriving between 7:30am and 9:00am. Parking on the zig zags (and straddling the kerb doesn't actually help) reduces the traffic to one lane and restricts the view for drivers entering or leaving the school site. It's just not safe (or considerate)!



## Electric Scooters

We have had some of our children talk about coming to school on their, or other family members, electric scooters. We would like to remind all families that currently electric scooters can only be used on private land with the landowner's permissions. It is illegal to use them on the road or in public spaces.

<https://www.lincs.police.uk/advice/advice-and-information/rs/road-safety/advice-escooters/>

## **Books for our Library**



If you have any good quality reading books your child has finished with, we would be very grateful for them. Please can we ask you don't send in phonics specific books as we follow a very prescribed scheme so it would be unlikely we'd use them. Any donated books which can't be registered onto our reading scheme will be sold and money added to our school fund to spend on the children.

We've had some great books donated recently, so please keep them coming!

## **School communication**

Can we please remind parents that if you would like to contact a Teacher, to email the [enquiries@southview.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@southview.lincs.sch.uk) email address, this will be responded to and forwarded to the member of staff. Teachers have 48 hours to respond to a call back request. Please remember, they are busy teaching your children!

Staff wellbeing is as important as our children's wellbeing.

## **Supporting Safeguarding Concerns**

If you do see anything of concern in relation to a child, we ask that you make a telephone referral to Social Care by calling 01522 782111. This can be done anonymously. If you have a genuine concern about an adult in the local community, please telephone the police.

## **Facebook Page**

If you would like to join our closed Facebook group, please ensure you answer ALL membership questions.



All you have to do is go to your Facebook search bar, type in 'South View Community Primary School', click on THIS icon and answer ALL membership questions:

We now have **482** members in our group!



**South View Community Primary  
School**

Private group

## **Calendar of Events for this half term**

18<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> March - Book Fayre in School

22<sup>nd</sup> March – Payments for Year 5 Space Centre Trip Close at 10am

28<sup>th</sup> March – Last Day of Term - Easter Services at The Abbey (Weather Permitting) Information to follow

28<sup>th</sup> March – School Discos

## Achievement Assembly

<u>Class</u>	<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Reason</u>
<u>Acorns</u>	Presleigh-Rose T	For growing in confidence this term and showing such enthusiasm with her learning. Keep it up Presleigh!
<u>Catkins</u>	Tilly-Rose M	For growing so much in confidence. You are always keen to show your learning and have made lots of progress this term. Well done!
<u>Hazels</u>	Lars S	Lars has been really impressing the adults in Hazels with his fabulous ideas in his writing. He has the writing bug and just loves writing his story! Well done Lars!
<u>Maples</u>	Ciara-Mai M	For such an excellent attitude to learning this half term and for improving her handwriting - keep it up!!
<u>Chestnuts</u>	David H	For the amazing effort that he is putting into his AR tests. It is fantastic to see the enthusiasm that you are putting into your reading David, keep it up!
<u>Willows</u>	Connie B	For her increased confidence and resilience across the curriculum. She is independently having a go at activities first and then asking for help if she needs it. Keep up the hard work!
<u>Aspens</u>	Betsy F	For her brilliant setting narrative in English it included a range of different sentence openers and lots of detail to help with the reader's imagination.
<u>Beeches</u>	Joshua M	For working exceptionally hard on his perseverance & determination. He has made good progress in all areas & wants to be correct but has shown us all this week that even if he's made the tiniest mistake, he shakes it off and corrects himself. I am so proud of you Josh well done, keep it up.
<u>Junipers</u>	Carl-Jacob P	For working really hard to push himself to complete tasks in class. We are very proud of the progress you are making.
<u>Poplars</u>	Nathaniel M	For an impressive attitude to all his learning. Nathaniel tries his best in everything he does, showing resilience and greater independence. Well done and keep it up!
<u>Elms</u>	Freddi-Jae W	Freddi has been really impressing me, not only because he's a great role model, but also with his increased enjoyment of reading. He has been challenging himself and I am sure the effort will pay off. Keep it up Freddi!
<u>Laurels</u>	Jiya J	For fantastic work in English. Her writing is becoming beautifully accurate and she always tries her best!
<u>Oaks</u>	Oliwia W	Oliwia is an amazing Year 6 role model; she always puts 100% into everything she does and as a result her work is consistently of a high standard. She is a pleasure to teach.
<u>Redwoods</u>	Isla S	For showing superb effort in maths this term and for striving to challenge herself at all times.

## Term Dates

**Please note, sometimes Lincolnshire Terms Dates are NOT the same as those of Peterborough or Cambridgeshire.**

	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Term 1	<b>Training Days Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September 2023</b> Begins Wednesday 6th September 2023 Ends Friday 20th October 2023	<b>Training Days Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd September 2024</b> Begins Wednesday 4th September 2024 Ends Friday 18th October 2024	<b>Training Day Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd September 2025</b> Begins Thursday 4th September 2025 Ends Thursday 23rd October 2025
Term 2	Begins Tuesday 31st October 2023 Ends Wednesday 20th December 2023	Begins Tuesday 29th October 2024 Ends Thursday 19th December 2024	Begins Monday 3rd November 2025 Ends Friday 19th December 2025
Term 3	<b>Training Day Tuesday 2nd January 2024</b> Begins Wednesday 3rd January 2024 Ends Friday 9th February 2024	<b>Training Day Friday 3rd January 2025</b> Begins Monday 6th January 2025 Ends Friday 14th February 2025	<b>Training Day Monday 5th January 2026</b> Begins Tuesday 6th January 2026 Ends Friday 13th February 2026
Term 4	Begins Monday 19th February 2024 Ends Thursday 28th March 2024	Begins Monday 24th February 2025 Ends Friday 4th April 2025	Begins Monday 23rd February 2026 Ends Thursday 2nd April 2026
Term 5	<b>Training Day 15th April 2024</b> Begins Tuesday 16th April 2024 6th May 2024 - Bank Holiday Ends Friday 24th May 2024	<b>Training Day Tuesday 22nd April 2025</b> Begins Wednesday 23rd April 2025 5th May 2025 - Bank Holiday Ends Friday 23rd May 2025	<b>Training Day Monday 20th April 2026</b> Begins Tuesday 21st April 2026 4th May 2026 - Bank Holiday Ends Friday 22nd May 2026
Term 6	Begins Monday 3rd June 2024 Ends Friday 19th July 2024	Begins Monday 2nd June 2025 Ends Tuesday 22nd July 2025	Begins Monday 1st June 2026 Ends Friday 22nd July 2026
	Training Day - 1 day over year as twilight sessions	Training Day - 1 day over year as twilight sessions	Training Day - 1 day over year as twilight sessions

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*J M Tomlins*

# Information and Signposting to support

## Mental Health Padlet



**Children:** If you are worried about your child's mental health, and would like information or signposting to help, Miss Stanojevic has created a suite of resources for you to look through. We hope you find them helpful: <https://padlet.com/zoestanojevic/f9n5vfk8qytx6c3b>

**Adults:** Likewise, if you are struggling with your own mental health or are just looking for someone to talk to, please see our new Mental Health for Parents/Carers padlet which has a wealth of local and national charities that you can tap into for support: <https://padlet.com/corrinemitcham/mentalhealthparents>

## SEN Padlet

If you are worried about your child's additional needs and would like information or signposting to help, Mrs Mitcham and Mrs Henderson have created a suite of resources for you to look through. We hope you find them helpful: <https://padlet.com/corrinemitcham/SouthViewSENDSCO>

## Safeguarding Padlet



If you are worried about your safeguarding and would like information or signposting to help, Miss Turner and Miss Creasey have created a suite of resources for you to look through. We hope you find them helpful.

If you do see anything of concern in relation to a child, we ask that you make a telephone referral to Social Care by calling 01522 782111. This can be done anonymously. If you have a genuine concern about an adult in the local community, please telephone the police.

<https://padlet.com/nikitacreasey/safeguarding-guide-for-parents-carers-z16tu0bjogxihihd>

## Computing and Online Safety Padlet



<https://padlet.com/nikitacreasey/national-online-safety-guides-xre7bbiwsobjp2gp>