



Thringstone Primary School

Believe and Achieve Together

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Easter from your School's Governing Body.

Another term has whizzed past, and more delightful activities have taken place in school including trips to the Swannington Incline, a farm visit for our wolves class and a fabulous residential trip to Aymerton.

Well done to all those children that received Attendance certificates today.

Sports teams have represented Thringstone Primary competing in inter-schools events. Well done to all those children that took part in the cross country events.

The children looked amazing in their costumes for World Book Day and what a treat it was to have our own special message from author Michael Rosen.

We are also grateful to you and the children for the continuing generosity and support you provide in all the school's fundraising efforts; from Children in Need to Comic Relief to PTA.

Thank you to Mrs Hammersley for securing much needed funding for some Inclusive Books

We also thank Mr Chapple, Mrs Hammersley and all members of the school staff for their continued dedication to the children's learning and the extra-curricular activities and enrichments that they bring to each child.

Having been into the school on various occasions and speaking to the children, the governors can see that there is such a great buzz about learning and being a community, and the children are rightly proud of all their achievements.

End of the Financial Year

The end of the financial year means that governors have been working closely with Mrs Gascgoine and Mr Chapple to review the budget for next year, to ensure that ends meet and to identify areas where funds can be best used to support the development of the school and enhance the children's experience and learning. Continued and careful financial management means that the school continues to be in a position to develop and fund opportunities including the purchase of new resources.

Whole Governing Body Membership Update

New Governor: Since our update in December, we are delighted to welcome our new Governor, Thomas Ford, to the Board of Governors.

As a board we are now in the process of identifying the positions that will fall vacant and for those roles to pass to current and new members of the Governing Body. We would like for all roles to be filled ahead of the start of the 2025/26 academic year. It also means that we will have a Co-Opted Governor vacancy.

A Co-Opted Governor is an individual from the wider community who has the skills and experience which the governing board require. They will be appointed by the existing board, following an interview. If you are aware of a individual from the wider community (and who is not a parent of the school) who you consider may have the skills that could benefit the school's governing board please do let us know.

For example, skills can be those obtained through (but not limited to) employment, charitable work or perhaps having been a governor elsewhere. Governors can be contacted via the School Office.

Finally, We would like to thank our PTA for their continuing dedication to organising events for all of us to enjoy. With the support of both PTA and the parents of Thringstone, our PTA has funded the water coolers in KS1 and KS2 and has kindly donated funds for Cheetah's trip to the Swannington Incline.

And finally... On behalf of all the Governing Body, we wish everyone an enjoyable Easter holiday.