

Linchfield Community Primary School

Newsletter Friday 2nd July 2021

Visit from Sarah Outen

On Tuesday 29th June Sarah Outen visited our school. Sarah is a sports ambassador for Inspiret our PE school partners. Sarah set herself a challenge to bike or scooter around every Inspiret school from Grantham to Skegness over three days to celebrate Inspiret turning 10 years old. This involved travelling over 200 miles. Most of the school greeted Sarah on the playground during her journey with plenty of cheers. As part of the 10-year journey, inspiret set Linchfield the challenge to produce a short 500-word story. We are so proud of Erin Bundock in Year 3 who produced a fantastic story based around the location of Deeping. The story book will be passed around each class, so that classes can share different stories from the children based within an Inspiret school. Thank you, Sarah, we had a fantastic time and look forward to seeing you again for an assembly soon!!!









School Information

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Road Safety Workshops

This week, Year 2 had a very important lesson in road safety. Mr Hall, the road safety officer, took the children on a walk around the local area. He showed them how to look out for danger on the road and from driveways. We then practised walking safely across the road. We all agreed it was a very important life lesson.





Andy Hall, a road safety officer from Lincolnshire County Council, came to visit year 5 this week to highlight the importance of wearing a bicycle helmet. The children discussed reasons for and against wearing a helmet and talked about the repercussions of not wearing one. The children were given stories/scenarios about how accidents can occur and how wearing a helmet can prevent injury.





Drop Off & Collection Times

A number of staff and parents are concerned about the safety of our children at drop off and collection times at school. If you are unable to walk to school please be mindful of where you park or stop when dropping off and collecting your child/ren. Some parents are driving into the outer car park too fast and are not allowing children to cross the car park safely. Some parents are parking inappropriately on the road outside school which is resulting in the road being blocked. Offensive language or abusive behaviour is not necessary or acceptable and could result in a ban from school property. Our children's safety is paramount and should always be a priority for the entire school community. Thank you for your support tin this matter.

Staff Governor

We have successfully appointed a new Staff Governor and I am delighted to tell you that Mrs Graves is joining our Local School Board in September 2021. Congratulations Mrs Graves - we are looking forward to working with you to continue to drive school improvement.



Ceramic Mosaic Workshop

This week has been very exciting in Year 6 as the children have had the opportunity to take part in a ceramic mosaic workshop to create a wonderful masterpiece for our school that will be part of their legacy at Linchfield. The children were all wonderful as they took part and really enjoyed being creative and contributing! The big decision now is where to hang it in school so that it can be fully appreciated by everyone.













Lincolnshire Road Safety Newsletter

Time for Road Safety



The newsletter from the LRSP Education Team

Term 6 - Primary Schools Update

Now that summer has arrived, your pupils will begin to spend more time outdoors. Please help us to spread important road safety messages to pupils at your school.

Children at Play

Warn children of the dangers when playing in the street, car parks or anywhere near moving vehicles. Be aware that quieter residential areas and car parks will also have residents, visitors and delivery vehicles using the roads and it is very easy for drivers to miss a child in their blind spots when manoeuvring.

Bikes

We always advise that children wear a correctly fitted cycling helmet when riding a bike, remain observant at all times and cycle appropriately in safe areas

Pedestrian Safety

Children can be encouraged to follow the basic principles of STOP, LOOK, LISTEN, THINK, when crossing the road. With so many quiet hybrid and electric vehicles on the roads, children need to be more aware of their surroundings and check carefully before crossing the road.



Year 6 Transition to Secondary School

Many of your Year 6 pupils will be travelling independently for the first time when starting secondary school in September which can be a big step.

With the excitement of beginning in a new school, it is easy to take road safety for granted and staying safe can easily be forgotten. This could be made worse by the distraction of a rushed, unplanned journey.

You can support your pupils to prepare for this transition, by helping them to think carefully about the ways to stay safe on their journey. During this term, the children could start to plan for their new journeys to school; we have attached a Transition Worksheet for this purpose.

New Academic Year

As we look ahead to the new academic year, we hope to have greater opportunity to deliver our education package to schools around the county, helping to support curriculum goals relating to physical safety. In September, we will be calling for schools to appoint their Junior Road Safety Officers for the upcoming year, and we will have lots of exciting ideas and activities to help support them in their important roles, in delivering the road safety message to their peers.





School Uniform



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SUMMER UPDATE 2021

We have been pleased to see many customers in the shop looking to buy their school uniform early especially new starters and their families.

As a result of the increased footfall, especially on a Saturday, we have decided to implement an appointment system for any customers who need to view uniform before making any purchases. If people would like to use this service they can call us to book an appointment slot. As demand for Saturday appointments will be extremely high we also have slots available in the week after school - Tuesday to Friday.

Appointments will be available until Saturday 17th July after which we will be offering Click and Collect or Home Delivery services only for the duration of the Summer Holidays.

We would strongly encourage you to visit the school page on our website to view the full uniform range and the size options available.

It would also be extremely helpful if you could measure your child before visiting the shop as this will help you to select the correct sizes you need. We are unable to offer fitting rooms at this time.

Our capacity in the shop is reduced due to Covid restrictions so we respectfully suggest you visit with as few family members as possible.

We will continue to offer a counter service for uniform purchases when parents know what they require and do not need any additional help.

We would like customers to order online if at all possible leaving the appointment service available for those who need it most.

Thank you for your continued support during our busiest time of year. We will endeavour as always to offer you our best service.

With best regards from The Shotbowl Team