



21st April 2022

Friends of Scampton School bring you

Chocolate

BINGO

Friday 29th April 6.30pm

£5 per person
2 Games Via Zoom
Raffle draw between games £1 per ticket
Tickets available through school
Correct money in an envelope would be appreciated.



Scamps

We have today emailed you a copy of Scamps Club's latest Ofsted Inspection report following a routine inspection last month. Please take a moment to read it. We are pleased that the inspector recognised the safe and positive atmosphere in the club. We believe the report confirms what a wonderful resource it is for families at the school.

Our thanks to the Scamps Committee and Scamps staff who work really hard every session to make it a safe and fun place for children to be. Scamps is a not for profit organisation and a valuable part of our school community. It is always seeking new

members for the committee so that it can continue to flourish and provide a reliable service for school families. Please speak with a member of staff if you can offer your support.

The best way to contact Scamps, for example to cancel a booking, is to email scamps@scampton.lincs.sch.uk or send a text to 07821134400. Both are monitored throughout the day.



This week's BIG QUESTION in our assemblies was:

Are names just a label or can they mean something more?



In this Easter Week we have thought about the resurrection of Jesus whose name means 'Saviour'.

COVID update

After over two years of restrictions, it has been widely publicised that most former restrictions have now been lifted including mandatory isolation and the availability of testing. We now move into a time of learning to live with COVID which of course has the benefits of being able to do many of the things we enjoyed pre-pandemic.

COVID has not however gone away. It is exactly the same virus it was last term. It remains an illness that is highly transmissible and can still cause people to

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become poorly. With testing less easily available, it often will not be possible to know whether a child's symptoms are COVID or not so we simply ask parents to act responsibly when children are ill with cold like symptoms or tummy bugs and not send them to school until symptoms have passed. This will help prevent whatever illness the child has spreading whether it being the highly transmissible COVID virus or another bug. We want to try and avoid multiple absences whatever transmissible bug it may be. If you do arrange a test for COVID and receive a positive result, the recommended absence from school is three days from the test for children (5 days for adults).

As we move into the summer months, we'll naturally be outdoors more with good ventilation through the school and will maintain hygiene standards so we expect all such illnesses to reduce. We hope that the disruption COVID has caused the school and its families will ease as a result. Your support with a responsible and sensible approach towards illness in children is appreciated.

COVID-19 vaccinations for 5 to 11 year olds

Following advice from the JCVI, healthy 5 to 11 year old children can now be offered two 10 microgram doses of the COVID-19 vaccine. If you would like your child to be vaccinated, you can [book online here](#) or contact your GP surgery.

Little Bear Cubs

Our next Little Bear Cubs session will be this Monday afternoon from 1.30pm. We are looking forward to welcoming many of the new starters that have now been offered places for this September.

Outdoors Project

The Outdoors Project resumes tomorrow for pupils who have booked a place. Junior pupils will already be in PE kits from their afternoon PE lesson. Infant parents may wish to send in something to change into suitable for the activities.

Reporting a child's absence

We thank parents for notifying us in good time of a child's absence. It is important that if a child is not at school that we know they are safe.

We welcome notification of absence by phone or email. **If emailing, please use the school email address - enquiries@scampton.lincs.sch.uk rather than an individual staff member's email address, that way everyone that needs to know can be alerted straight away.**

Scampton Jubilee Celebrations Saturday 4th June



On Saturday 4th June, Scampton is coming together to celebrate the Jubilee and everyone is invited! Plans already include a family fun afternoon from 2pm (entry free) and an evening event to include live band, disco and hog roast in the evening (ticketed). Both events are happening on the school site. More details are on the attached poster.

WE ARE COLLECTING DONATIONS FOR THE RAFFLE AND TOMBOLA THAT ARE PART OF THE AFTERNOON'S STALLS. A BOX IS IN THE SCHOOL FOYER FOR ANYTHING YOU CAN DONATE.

FOSS

Next Friday, 29th April at 6.30pm will be Chocolate Bingo, online via the zoom link below. We're hoping for lots of chocolate to be donated over the next few days from our non school uniform day tomorrow – this will be wrapped into chocolate hamper prizes for lots of winners on the night.

Now is the time to buy your bingo cards and raffle tickets. To buy your bingo cards, please send money in an envelope with your child's name on labelled 'CHOCOLATE BINGO'.

The price is £5 per player. This will buy you sufficient Bingo cards for the rounds being played on the night for one player (you can of course do it together). These will be sent home before the event along with raffle tickets (£1 per strip).

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Copies of the bingo cards and raffle tickets that have been sent home will be retained in school. We'll give full instructions at the beginning of the evening.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74772928103?pwd=g168DNE4AtJx7ZETNzabTkbbEFHy9W.1>

Meeting ID: 747 7292 8103

Passcode: Xq0E3r

Uniform recycling is now done through the FOSS Facebook Page. Please make good use of this service – it is good for the environment and saves you money!

The **FOSS AGM** will be taking place on 4th May at 6.30pm.

FOSS and the school would very much like to thank Brattleby, Scampton and Aisthorpe Social Club (BSA). In January 2022 the club closed after many years of being a social place for local villagers. Members wanted to donate remaining bank account funds to local good causes and have kindly passed £375 to FOSS! It will be put to very good use.

School Transport

If your child is starting primary school or transferring to secondary school in September 2022 they may be eligible for school transport. If you think your child is eligible please apply for transport as soon as you have your offer of a school place. Applications can be made online at the website below or a telephone application can be made by contacting the Customer Service Centre on 01522 782020.

LCC would be grateful if applications can be made by 31 May 2022.

For more information about the home to school transport policy and online applications please go to www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-college-transport.

Queries can be emailed to schooltransportapplications@lincolnshire.gov.uk.

Dates for your diary

29th April – Chocolate Bingo (online)
3rd May – Full Governors Meeting
4th May – FOSS AGM
9th – 13th May – Year 6 SATs week
27th May – Sports Day
12th July – Full Governors Meeting
15th July – Sausage and Song
22nd July – Last day of Summer Term
6th September – Children return to school
10th September – Summer Fair
14th-16th September – Residential Visit

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