THE EDWARD RICHARDSON PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

"Love to learn and learn to love."

WHAT'S GOING ON?

12th Nov	PSFA Film Night
18th Nov	Open Day for Reception 2027
30th Nov	Family Afternoon (Class 2,3,4)
2nd Dec	Class 1 Parent Share (14:45)
2nd Dec	Class 2,3,4 Parent Share (14:30)
17th Dec	PSFA Breakfast with Santa
18th Dec	Christmas Sing-Fest (Church)
18th Dec	Last Day of Term 2
5th Jan	First Day of Term 3

FRIDAYS FROM 1PM – SCHOOL OFFICE CLOSES (EMAIL US IF NEEDED)!

ELSA Hub Update

Our ELSA Hub is finally up and running, and we're already seeing what a difference it makes, which is just brilliant. It's a stunning building, and a huge thank you goes to everyone who contributed towards it. Keep an eye out for a small 'official opening' with the children in the near future!

We're also hugely grateful to the Edward Richardson Trust, whose generous donation has paid for a lovely concrete step up to the Hub and some all-weather tables and chairs for the outside area.

SABOTAGE!

It's always a busy, action-packed term, but this one has taken a particularly strange turn! You may have heard from the children, or seen on our Facebook page, that a time traveller paid us a rather bizarre visit during one of our Friday Celebration assemblies. Our older children are now hard at work investigating, determined to get to the bottom of the mystery, and they'll be publishing their reports over the next few weeks. Watch this space!

As the term goes on, we'll keep doing what we always try to do with communication: keep it balanced, so you get what you need without being swamped. Please do keep an eye on the School Calendar and your emails. And as we always say, if an event is coming up and you don't feel you know enough about it, just get in touch.

Thank you, everyone, for your continued support of our amazing village school. It really does mean the world.



Stuart Spendlow

Short Version: Busy term, strange visit, check calendar/emails! Oh, and remember the School Office is closed from 1pm on a Friday!

COME ON IN!

We're excited to be opening our doors again so you can come in and see what the children have been learning! Please pop these dates in your diary:

Parent Shares – Wednesday 2nd December
Class 1: 2:45pm
Classes 2, 3 and 4: 2:30pm

Family Afternoon – Monday 30th November, 3:30–4:00pm
This is for Classes 2, 3 and 4 to come and look through children's books/work. Class 1 families can already see all of their children's wonderful learning on Tapestry, so they won't need to come in for this one.

If you can make it - great. But, as always, there's no pressure.

Short Version: Come along if you can!

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Just a reminder that JB Sports & Education aren't only our wraparound care - these are our After School Clubs too! There's a choice of two clubs every weekday, and we've sent out the timetable with this newsletter. If you've already set up your JB account, you can sign up now!

Short Version: We offer after-school clubs every night, it's just some people don't realise!



FILM NIGHT

Just a friendly nudge that our PSFA Film Night is coming up next Thursday! All the details have already gone out, but if you've got any questions, just get in touch.

Short Version: Film Night 12th November!

ASTHMA FRIENDLY

We're buzzing to announce that we've been recognised as an Asthma Friendly School by NHS Lincolnshire! This means our staff are trained to spot and respond to asthma attacks, we have an emergency inhaler kit on site, and our Asthma Champion, Mrs Winter, makes sure children with asthma are safe and fully included in school life.



If your child has asthma, please make sure we have an in-date inhaler and a copy of their Asthma Action Plan, and let the office know if anything changes.

Short Version: We've achieved Asthma Friendly status!

INCLUSION HUB

Things might seem a bit quiet on the Inclusion Hub front, but trust me, there's plenty going on behind the scenes. That's the real reason for the bags under my eyes!

We're hoping building work will start this term, and we'll keep you updated as timescales firm up. Fair warning: we may be putting out a plea for willing volunteers when it's time to clear things out…



Short Version: Inclusion Hub building work starts soon (hopefully)!