

# Great Easton Grapevine

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Autumn 3



## Polite Reminder

ONLY children that are booked into KidsClub are allowed to play on/with the school equipment. Please do not allow siblings to do so when collecting children from school.

## **MILK BOTTLE TOPS**

Please note, we are no longer collecting these – thank you to everyone that has sent some in.



A heartfelt thank you to everyone who took part in this summer's **read-a-thon**. You raised an incredible **£707.91** – which is enough for a whole year's worth of new books for the library!

**Time to return books:** many children have books at home that they've had on loan since before the summer holidays. Please hunt them out and send them in so the children can borrow something new.

If you're not sure what you have on loan, please email [ruth.e.tidball@gmail.com](mailto:ruth.e.tidball@gmail.com) and I will let you know.

Ruth Tidball



Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> we will be having 'Jacqui's Jackets' - Jacket potato with various fillings - egg mayonnaise, tuna, cheese & beans - pudding as per menu.



*to Eadie Lidster who has joined Mr Curtis' class in Year 5.*



**since last Grapevine....**

14/9 R&Y1 Share Letter & Topic Map

18/9 Free School Meals Eligibility

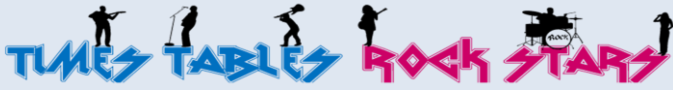
## **WANTED!**

Mrs Williams is looking for any unwanted 'Dexian' or metal shelving for the kiln room. Please contact if you have any or know anyone that might be able to donate some.

**CERTIFICATES ISSUED DURING LAST  
FRIDAY'S ASSEMBLY**



**No report this week**



**Thomas Copping**



**Bella Collings**



**Anthony Wilhelm**



**R/1 Olivia Durham-Carter**  
**Y1/2 Amelia Durham-Carter**  
**Y3/4 Freddie Copping**  
**Y4/5 Rudy Morris**  
**Y5/6 Emily Wilson**



**AMBASSADOR**

*Miss Jackman held an assembly on Monday asking if any of the children would like to become School Improvement Ambassador this year. They have been asked to write me a little note or draw a picture to indicate they are interested, possibly explaining how they'd like to make the school even better.*

*Everyone gets a space. We will meet fortnightly and discuss aspects of the School Improvement Plan and work together to improve learning and teaching. They are an incredibly powerful and important group and their pupil voice has brought about many positive changes over the years, so it is a great thing to be part of, if your child is interested.*



### PTA Annual General Meeting – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> October

The PTA Annual General Meeting will be held at the Green Man in Lindsell at 8:00pm – all welcome.



### Bag to School collection – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September

The next Bag to School collection has been booked for Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September. Collection bags have been sent home in book bags. For guidance on what can be donated look at <http://uk.bag2school.com/what-we-collect>. We receive payment by kilogram collected. Please keep hold of filled bags until the day before collection as we don't have space to hold them.



### Join our Facebook Group

Search Facebook for *PTA Great Easton Primary School* and join the group or email us at [pta@greateaston.essex.sch.uk](mailto:pta@greateaston.essex.sch.uk)



### SHOP ONLINE? HELP YOUR PTA THE EASY WAY – NO BAKING REQUIRED!

If you regularly shop online or about to make a large one off purchase online, check if you could easily raise money for our school PTA by shopping online via 'The Giving Machine'. All you need to do is register at [www.thegivingmachine.co.uk](http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk) and simply visit that website, select the online store you intend to shop at from the list and be redirected to the website of your choice and the retailer will donate a small % of the transaction to the PTA. You can also install the app called 'Shop&Give'. There are over 2,000 shops to choose from including Amazon, John Lewis, Next, Tesco, Asda, M&S, Clarks, ebay.

## Upcoming events

The 2018/2019 calendar of events is TBC

## Noticeboard

Search Facebook for *PTA Great Easton Primary School* and join the group

[pta@greateaston.essex.sch.uk](mailto:pta@greateaston.essex.sch.uk)

## DIARY DATES

**ANY NEW ITEMS/AMENDMENTS TO PREVIOUS WEEKS' WILL BE IN RED & MARKED WITH \* IN CASE YOU PRINT IN BLACK & WHITE!**

### September

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup>-Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> – Year 5 Danbury Residential

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> – Bags2School Collection – 9:00am

### October

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> – Years 3-6 E-Safety Day plus Parents' session at Joyce Frankland

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Flu Vaccinations

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> – 2pm – Harvest Service – Great Easton Church

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> – Non-Uniform Day – Magic/Hallowe'en Theme

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> - after school-7pm – Family Fun Friday – more details to follow

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> – HALF TERM (2 weeks!)

### November

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> – BACK TO SCHOOL

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> – Individual & Sibling Photographs

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – Book Fair – 'The Book People'

Tues 20<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> – Parent Consultations – details to follow with Schnappy sign-up

### December

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> – 2:00pm - KS1 dress rehearsal

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> – KS1 daytime performance (with babies & toddlers) 9:15am

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> – KS1 evening performance 6:00 drop-off for 6:30 start

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> – 2:00pm – KS2 dress rehearsal

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> – KS2 daytime performance (with babies & toddlers) 2:00pm

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> – KS2 evening performance 6:00 drop-off for 6:30 start

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> – 2:00pm – Christmas Carol Concert at Great Easton Church

**FUTURE DATES:** Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January – Young Voices Concert at O2; February – Year 6 Parent Consultations; Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February – Valentines Sleepover; Tues 19<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> March – Years R-5 Parent Consultations; Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May – Sports Day; 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Isle of Wight Residential; Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July – 2:00pm – Yr 6 Isle of Wight Assembly; Fri 12<sup>th</sup> & Sat 13<sup>th</sup> July – Family Camping Weekend; Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July – 1:30pm – Yr 6 Leavers' Show; Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July – 9:30am – Leavers' Service;