



# Caythorpe Chronicle

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2025



I hope you have all had a fantastic summer holiday and are ready for another busy and exciting year at Caythorpe School! It was lovely to see you all and welcome new families to the school. The children have come back to school refreshed and ready to learn looking extremely smart in their school uniforms. **Please ensure that all items of clothing and personal belongings are clearly labelled so that they can be returned easily, should they get lost.**

A warm welcome extends to Miss Simpson who is embarking on a Teaching Assistant Apprenticeship. She will be working with Neverland and in Hogwarts. We have an open-door policy at Caythorpe School and believe that communication is key to success. Staff will be available at pick up and drop off times to welcome the children into school if you need to pass on any quick messages. We are always here to help and support you and your family.

Don't forget, all parents/carers are welcome to our Friday celebration assembly at 2.50pm in the hall. Children who receive special awards of Been Spotted and Headteacher's awards will be informed by class dojo.

We will aim to produce the newsletter at least every fortnight to communicate. If you require a printed copy, please ask Mrs Williams at the office. We will continue emailing as before and in addition sharing via the school website and displayed on the staffroom/office window for reference.

I am really looking forward to sharing lots of exciting adventures with you all over the coming year.

Kind regards,

Mrs Hunt



A pupil has recently joined our school community who has **severe allergies to many foods including milk, egg, and nuts to name but a few.** These allergies can cause a life-threatening reaction known as **anaphylaxis.**

As a school, it is our priority to provide a safe and inclusive environment for all children. To help protect this pupil, we will be:

- **Educating the children** about allergies in an age-appropriate way, with a focus on kindness, understanding, and responsibility.
- **Encouraging good hand hygiene**, asking all children to wash their hands before and after eating to reduce the risk of cross-contamination.
- **Reinforcing the importance of not sharing food** with others.

We kindly ask for your support in reinforcing these messages at home. Together, we can create a safe and supportive environment for all children.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



We currently have a vacancy on our Local School Board (School Governor) as a community governor - however this could be held by a parent. It's vital we have the points of view of our community and a variety of specialisms on our school board to enable the school to develop further to provide the best possible opportunities and education for our pupils. If you or anyone you know would be interested in supporting the school application papers are available at the school office.



Clubs will resume next week. Some clubs will be at lunchtimes including Key Stage 2 Football, Reading, Times and Table Rock Stars/Numbots Children do not need to sign up for these clubs.

Netball will be held after school on Tuesdays until 4.30pm for pupils in Key Stage 2 (Years 3-6). Please return the slip and return to school if your child wishes to attend netball. Coach Laura will run this club, with Mrs Hunt leading any match fixtures.



**TO SMILE** Wrates Photography will be in school on Tuesday 30th September to take individual and family photographs. If you would like a family photo, younger siblings are welcome to come into school at 8.50am.

### Phonics Workshop



Parents and carers of pupils in Enchanted Forest and Neverland are invited to a phonics workshop on Monday from 9am-10am.

The workshop will include watching phonics lessons take place and followed by a presentation and questions and answers about phonics and early reading at Caythorpe.

[Follow this link to the Little Wandle Parents Page](#) where you will find resources to help you support your child with saying their sounds and writing their letters. There are also some useful videos so you can see how they are taught at school and feel confident about supporting their reading at home. Find our full Reception and Year 1 teaching programme overview [here](#) to see what your child will learn and when.



### Welcome Afternoon – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September - 2pm

Please come along to our FSA welcome get together.

The Friends of Caythorpe School would love to hear your ideas and welcome any new members to support fundraising events.



Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September – Swimming begins for Year 5/6 – details in letter to parents

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September – Bikeability begins

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September – 11+ examination – Carres and Kesteven and Sleaford High School entries to be held in school.

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September – FSA Welcome Coffee and cake 2pm

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September – Phonics Workshop

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September – 11+ examination

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September – FSA AGM 2pm followed by FSA meeting

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September – Wrates photography – individual and family photos

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October – National Poetry Day

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October – Healthy Relationships workshops

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October – End of term 1

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Term 2 begins

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Flu Immunisations

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December – End of Term 2

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Staff Training Day

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January – Term 3 begins

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For term dates for the year and 2025-26 are available online. [Term Dates – Caythorpe](#)