# **New Lubbesthorpe Primary** Times



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## Message from Mr Merry

Thank you for helping us to have a very peaceful start to the term. The children have settled well into their classes and routines are being successfully established. The days are working well although we still have a few children without names in their school uniform. I am really pleased to see so many pupils wearing correct school uniforms and PE Kit. Thank you.

## **Parents Evening**

You should have received a letter about Parents Evening today – please ensure that you return your appointment availability as soon as possible.

#### **Harvest Festival**

Harvest Festival will take place on Monday 7th October. Miss Frearson will lead an assembly for the children. This year, we are asking the children, parents, friends and family to bring their donations of produce and food in a decorated basket or as individual items, starting with tinned items. As part of our charitable work all items collected will be donated to worthy causes and individuals in our own local community. We would be grateful if baskets / boxes are brought into school on the week commencing 30th September, ready for Monday morning's assembly. Please remember that the basket / box will be donated to worthy causes with in our local community, so please don't send any container that you wish to be returned! Thank you! — Your support with this event is much appreciated and all concerned would like to thank you for your help and support in advance.

## **Governors at New Lubbesthorpe**

Please take a look at our school website for the new governing body of New Lubbesthorpe Primary School.

## **Phonics & Reading Session**

Thank to everyone that attended our phonics and reading session on Wednesday afternoon. We hope you enjoyed the session and look forward to seeing you at our next session for Maths on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 3.15-4.00pm.

### **School Garden**

We have a meeting on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 3.15pm for anyone interested in supporting the school with our allotment area. Please come along and join our volunteers Mrs Hickey and Mrs Guastella along with Mr Merry to see what we can do to progress this area. We would love anyone to attend whether it be donations of seeds/plants, advice or your time maintaining the area.

## **Official Opening**

We are delighted to announce that there will be an official opening ceremony for New Lubbesthorpe Primary School on Friday 4th October at 2.30pm. This will be an exciting event to celebrate the opening of the school for all the staff, pupils and governors and we warmly welcome our parents to join us. The ceremony will be followed by a tour of the school and refreshments for everyone in the hall.

#### Agenda:

2.30pm Arrival in the School Hall2.45pm Presentation in School Hall

3.00pm Main school entrance for the official opening and cutting of ribbon by Sue Steer -

Community Pioneer, Mrs Cherry Gibbs - Representative of the Drummond family and School

members

3.15pm Parents to collect pupils as normal from classrooms

Refreshments in School Hall

3.45pm Tours of the building

## **Reminders**

**Photos:** Deadline for returning orders for school photographs is Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September.

**Usborne Book Orders:** Deadline for orders will be Monday morning please. Thank you for all your orders so far. The purchasing of these books enables us to select free books for the classrooms so a massive thank you for your orders so far!

## **Dates for Your Diary**

#### October

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October Full Governors Meeting

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October** Official opening of New Lubbesthorpe Primary School

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October School tours 10.00am with Mr Merry for September 2020 starters

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October** Maths session 3.15-4.00pm all parents welcome **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October** Time Capsule 3.00pm – all parents welcome

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Half Term – school closed to all pupils

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October** Parents evenings 3.15-5.30pm – booking forms to follow **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October** Parents evenings 3.15-5.30pm – booking forms to follow

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October** Stay and Play session for parents 9.00-10.00am

Finance governors meeting 5.00pm

November

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November Community Light Switch On – Feature Square / Hub &

Christmas Craft Fair in the School Hall 3-7pm

December

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December Nativity Performance to parents 2.00pm

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December** Christmas Dinner and party afternoon for all pupils

**Friday 20**th **December** School closes for Christmas break 3.15pm

January

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January Teacher Training Day
Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January: School re-opens to pupils