



### Willoughby Science Week

We have experienced a range of fabulous science experiments this week. Our carousel of activities provided opportunities for us to access experiments whilst working in different groups. Our 4D 'Planetarium' was a huge success. We enjoyed travelling from Mars to Jupiter, experiencing magnetism and light to name but a few. We would like to thank Bourne Grammar students for showcasing a range of experiments. We particularly enjoyed exploring sound and watching chemical reactions, especially the fizzes!



### Request for Tombola and Raffle Prizes

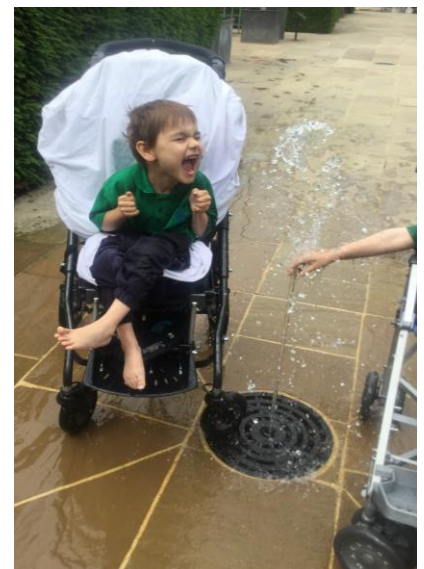
Micky Stokes (Parent and volunteer School Fundraiser) is asking for your help. Do you have any tombola/raffle prizes that you are able to donate to the school for future fundraising events? If you do, please send the items for the attention of the School Office. Donations such as chocolate, sweets, gift sets, children's items or toys would be greatly appreciated.

### Lilac and Purple Class School Trip

On Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, Lilac and Purple classes enjoyed the sunshine, splashing around in fountains at Burghley House Garden of Surprises. The children loved getting wet, running through water curtains and pressing buttons to make smoke and bubbles appear. After drying off and warming up, we all enjoyed a picnic lunch together on the grass before returning to school.

### ITV The Voice Kids Competition

Pheobie aged 13, is the sister of Willoughby School pupil Archie from Orange Class. Pheobie auditioned for the hit T.V show The Voice and was selected out of 10,000 applicants. Pheobie is in "Team Jessie" – Jessie J is her celebrity mentor. Pheobie has successfully made it to the Battle Round, this will be shown on ITV Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 8pm. We would like to send our good luck wishes to Pheobie and her family.



## Golden Apple Awards

Students and teachers came together to celebrate their achievements at the Lincolnshire Live Golden Apples Education Awards on Monday evening. There were tears of jubilation at the glittering ceremony held at the Double Tree by Hilton hotel in Brayford Wharf, Lincoln. Achievers of all kinds packed the awards which shone a spotlight on the hard work of students and teaching staff over the last year. The evening was compered by Melvyn Prior from BBC Radio Lincolnshire who said: "To get this far was unbelievable and you all should be extremely proud of your achievements." Congratulations go to Natalie Blackwell awarded "Special School Teacher of the Year" and to Amy Davey awarded "Special School Teaching Assistant of the Year" and congratulations to Willoughby School Head Boy Stephen Coote who received the "Star Student Award".



## Willoughby School Football Team Sponsored by Bakkavor

This photo was featured in the Bourne Local Newspaper on Friday. Willoughby School football team took part in a football tournament last month wearing the new kit, sponsored by Bourne company Bakkavor. Team captain Sam, Ben, Finley and vice-captain Luke (all pictured), as well as Thomas and Ryan from Willoughby School played in the PAN Disability football tournament at the ABAX Stadium, home of Peterborough United. Team Willoughby came fourth and returned to school beaming with pride.

## Willoughby School Sports Day Details

Willoughby Sports Day takes place on **Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July**. The sports day timetable is:

Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	
Time	Class
9.30am – 10.00am	Purple Class
10.15am – 10.45am	Lilac Class
11.00am – 11.30am	Gold Class
11.45am – 12.15pm	Red Base
1.15pm - 1.45pm	Amber Class
2.00pm – 2.30pm	Academy 2

Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	
Time	Class
9.30am – 10.00am	Orange Class
10.15am – 10.45am	Turquoise Class
11.00am – 11.30am	Academy 1
11.45am – 12.15pm	Jade Class
1.15pm - 1.45pm	Yellow Class

## Congratulations to Nicola Hill – Academy 2

Pictured on the next page is Nicola at her Graduation Ceremony last Friday, who has now graduated as a fully qualified teacher. Many congratulations Nicola from everyone at Willoughby School.

## Academy 1 - Garden of Surprises Trip

We picked a lovely day to go out for our summer trip. The sun was shining and it was lovely and hot, so we didn't mind getting a little wet.



## Coast to Coast Cycle Challenge

Last Saturday Pamela (Orange Class Teacher) completed 150 mile Coast to Coast cycling challenge, raising in excess of £600 for Batten's disease. Waiting at the finishing line was Alexander and his mum Sarah. If you would like to sponsor Pamela, please visit her Just Giving page.



<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/pamela-fitton>

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## Diary Dates

As we head towards the end of the academic year, listed below are some dates for your diary.

Event	Date
Willoughby School Sports Day	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July
Turquoise class trip to Rutland Water	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July
AJM Healthcare Wheelchair Services	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July
Amber class trip to Spalding	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July
Academy 2 Rutland class trip	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July
Willoughby School Sports Day (please refer to the timetable above)	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July
Willoughby School Summer Garden Party	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 1.30pm – 2.30pm
School reports	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July
Parent/carers invited to meet new Teachers	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> July 3.15pm – 4.30pm
2019 Leavers Assembly	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July at 10.30am – 11.30am
Yellow class trip to Skegness	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July
End of year School Disco	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July