

Townley School and Pre-School

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Dear Parents/Carers

It is with regret that I have to inform you that I am resigning from the Governing Body of Townley School and Pre-School. Due to family health reasons and the fact that I have been the Chair for 14 years, which is far too long, it is time to stand aside and allow a new chair with fresh energy and new ideas to take the school forward into what I am sure will be an exciting future.

I have really enjoyed my time at Townley and I would like to thank all parents and carers for allowing me to meet your children and for all the fun and happy memories they have given me.

There will shortly be an election for the new chair and I am sure he/she will be introduced to you in the near future.

This isn't really goodbye because I have two grandchildren who will attend Townley in the future and I will be keeping in touch with the latest news through the school website. Also, no doubt, I will still see many of you out and about in the village.

John Garlick

We have one vacancy for a parent governor. If you are interested in this vacancy please make an appointment for an informal chat with myself or Mrs Higgins.

English Challenge

A big well done to Dagan, Elliot, Theo and Olivia L., who took part in the Cambridgeshire Year 6 English Challenge 2016.

Harvest Service

The Harvest Service will be held at the Church in the village at 1.30pm on Wednesday 5th October. After the service we will be selling any donated produce, tea and cakes back in school. We would welcome donations of produce and cakes on the day.



Reading Trophy

The reading trophies have been awarded this week to Hannah, Abi and Sophia. Well done, keep on reading!

Emergency School Closures

In the event of an emergency school closure please be aware that we would put a message on the new website and the school Facebook page, so it would be worth making sure that you have saved the links to one of these sites.

Defibrillator Training 12th October at 1.30pm

If you would like to learn to use the defibrillator The East of England Ambulance Service are offering free training for up to 15 parents/members of the community who would be prepared to use the defibrillator in an emergency. If you are interested please contact Mrs Higgins.

Mr Garlick's Retirement from the Governing Body

Mr Garlick has been a real stalwart of the school over the past 14 years. We would like to thank him for his dedication over the years.

Provisional Diary Dates

5/10— Harvest Service at the Church 1.30 then tea and cake for sale back at school!

14/10—Parents Forum 2pm -Positive Relationships

17/10—Parents Evening

19/10- Parents Evening

20/10—Last Day of Half Term

31/10—Back to School—Start of Friendship Week

10/11 -Bedtime Read 5pm

13/12-Christmas Play

14/12- Christmas Play

15/12 -Christmas Outing

19/12-Christingle

20/12- Last Day of Term

5/1—Back to School



Macmillan Cake Break

Thank you for your generous support this morning.
We have raised £68.00 so far!