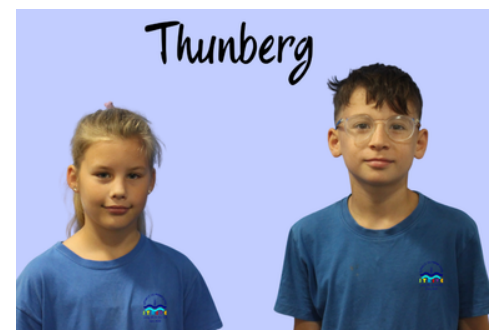


KEY DIARY DATES

30.9.26	Year 1/ 2 Victorian Day
1.10.26	Census Lunch
2.10.26	Non-Uniform Day Year 3/ 4 netball event
5.10.26	Nominate yourself as a parent governor by this date
15.10.26	School Disco
20.10.26, 21.10.26	Parent/Carer Consultations
23.10.26	Wear It Pink and F.O.S.S Cakes with AGM 9am
23.10.26	Last Day of Autumn Term 1

HOUSE CAPTAINS ANNOUNCED

What an honour it was to announce our new House Captains last week! The voting was incredibly close, and the quality of all the presentations was truly outstanding. Each of our new House Captains has thoroughly deserved their role, and we are so proud of them. They will be leading by example as positive role models, demonstrating our STRIVE values and encouraging their houses to earn as many House Points as possible. We can't wait to see them step into their new leadership roles and make a positive impact across our school. Well done to all involved! Watch this space for the other student leaders, who will be announced very soon!



HOUSE POINTS



It's an exciting tie this week, making the competition even more interesting! We can't wait to see which house will take the lead next week. Keep showing your STRIVE values and earning those House Points!



WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS

CONGRATULATIONS to our new Champions of Change. It has been great hearing all their great ideas, do encourage your child to share their ideas with their Champion, so that their voices are shared.



HERO AWARDS



Mrs Bradley was nominated for best teacher in the 2026 Ely Hero awards, way back in June. There was an informal interval and then the three finalists attended the awards ceremony on Friday 11th September at The Maltings. The parent who made the nomination included comments about giving children the chance to express themselves, build confidence and discover talents beyond traditional academic subjects. They also said she is heavily involved in school productions, fundraising and working to ensure musical opportunities remain accessible to all children. We feel so lucky to have her in our team! Well done Mrs Bradley!

IMPROVED PLAYTIMES



We are so pleased to see how much the children are enjoying our new zones at lunchtime. It has been fantastic to see children becoming more creative, forming new friendships and supporting pupils from different year groups.

As a result of this positive engagement, we have also seen an improvement in behaviour at lunchtime, with children enjoying purposeful activities and making the most of the different spaces available.

A huge thank you for all the costume donations. The children have loved exploring the new Imagination Station this week and have already been using their imaginations to create lots of fun and exciting adventures! The Year 5/6s have enjoyed them just as the younger children - so if you do have any larger costumes to donate - please send them in to the office!

