

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the final newsletter of the school year. The summer term has gone so fast and this morning we held our Leavers Assembly for the ten Year 6 children who leave us to go to Secondary School in September. This year they are heading off to Minster School, William Farr, Queen Elizabeth's High School and LSST.

The Key Stage 2 children had 2 amazing performances of 'Mystery at Magpie Manor' last week. It was utterly amazing and it was fantastic to see such confidence on the stage. The children's singing, acting and dancing showed what a truly talented bunch of children we have at Ingham School. We were all very proud of the children and we have had many positive comments-thank you!

### Staffing update

As you know Mrs O'Grady leaves us today as she is taking early retirement along with her husband. Mrs O'Grady started volunteering at the school in 1997 and she then joined as a teacher in 2010. She will be very missed. Mrs O'Grady has such a caring nature and the children and staff have been very lucky to work with her. Mrs O'Grady has been our go-to supply teacher for a number of years and has covered classes from Reception to Year 6 with little notice. She has also been a very active member of FOIS and carried out the role of Chair this year. I am sure you will all join me in wishing her a long and happy retirement and a big thank you to her for her dedication to Ingham Primary School over the last 28 years. I hope Mrs O'Grady enjoys a fulfilling and enjoyable retirement with her family and hope that she remembers that she will always be a part of the Ingham School family.

Miss Larkin also sadly leaves us after teaching Rowan class for the last 3 years. A big thank you to Miss Larkin for her hard work and effort with the Y1/2 class. She also led Young Voices this year which is a core memory for many children in Key Stage 2. Miss Larkin will also be much missed. We wish her well in her future ventures away from teaching.

Staff, children and governors would like to say a big thank you to both Mrs O'Grady and Miss Larkin for their dedication and positive impact on so many children. We wish you both best wishes for the future and keep in touch.



## Year 6

Yesterday, the children in Y6 had their Treat day run by Elsham Activity Centre. The children had great fun! Our Year 6 children leave us today after 7 years at Ingham School. They are a lovely group and they will be very missed. It hasn't been easy saying goodbye to the children today in our Leaver's Assembly, but we know that they are all ready for the next chapter in their lives. All of the staff at Ingham School wish them lots of luck and we hope they will all keep in touch with us.



## Class Dojo

Please note that from Friday morning at 9am, Class Dojo will not be in use for teachers and classes. If there is anything urgent, please message myself on Class Dojo as my account will be the only one monitored during the whole of the summer break. Class Dojo will run again from the first day back. Alternatively, you can contact me via email on [keeli.hutchinson@ingham.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:keeli.hutchinson@ingham.lincs.sch.uk)

## Diary Dates

**Thursday 4th September**

**Thursday 23rd October**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

Term 1 begins 8:45 doors open, register 8:55am

Finish for Half term

Term 2 begins

Break up for Xmas holidays

Thanks to all parents and carers for their support of the school this year. I look forward to seeing you all on the first day back on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September. I wish you all a very happy summer holiday. Stay safe and enjoy the break.

*K A Hutchinson*

Mrs Hutchinson- Headteacher