



**CLIPSTON ENDOWED VC
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Be Kind ~ Be Your Best ~ Be Happy

**Clipston Connects
Number 5**

4th October 2024

**"Do to others as you would have
them do unto you" Luke 6:31**



Diocese of Peterborough

W/B 07/10/24	Regular Events	New / One-off Events
Monday	Reading Volunteers in school Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	Full Governing Body Meeting
Tuesday	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	
Wednesday	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs Music Lessons	Harvest Festival in Church – 9.15am – all welcome
Thursday	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	
Friday	Swimming Year 4 KS1 French Club & Hotshots Basketball Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	WI Harvest Community Lunch



News: We marked World Animal Day in Worship Assembly this week focusing on St Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals. Children made insightful comments on the plight of nearly extinct animals around the world. Mr Howard has very kindly donated copies of his lovely books - super new additions to the school Library – thank you! We also looked at photos of this amazing elephant hawk moth caterpillar which was discovered in the Peace Garden at school – we really enjoyed discussing its life cycle and hope to see it again as a moth! Gold Awards were received by a number of children in recognition of a wide variety of achievements. It's always lovely to see the children flourishing with their learning and to hear about their clubs, hobbies and interests out of school too. They are always so proud to add their names to our Flourishing Flowers display! Mrs Till has returned to work for a few hours this week, whilst her treatment continues. We look forward to seeing her back in the office full time in mid-November. Harvest Festival Celebrations are in full-swing. If you can contribute to our charities, please add a few coins to the envelopes going home today and return them along with your Food Bank donation, so that we can take them to church next week. Last week's Harvest Flyer is attached again for your information. Thank you to everyone who attended the School Association AGM this week. We are so excited to be able to announce, with their financial support, our whole school trip to London in June 2025 to see the West End Show - The Lion King! Please respond to the letter being sent out today.

October	November	December
3 rd Woodpecker Trip to Peterborough 7 th Full Governing Body Meeting 9 th Harvest Festival in Church 9.15am 14 th Parent Consultations pm - evening 16 th Parent Consultations – Evening 18 th Parent Phonics Workshop -1.45pm 21 st – 24 th Parent Consultations - pm 25 th Last day of Term 1 28 th – 1 st Rhino Half-Term Holiday Club 31st Secondary Applications Close	4 th Training Day 5 th First Day Term 2 8 th Swimming starts for Year 3 25 th Full Governing Body Meeting 28 th Whole School Flu Immunisations	6 th Non-Uniform day in lieu of Chocolate Tombola Donations 12 th Infant Nativity 11am and 2.30pm 13 th Christmas Bazaar – afternoon 17 th Junior Carols in Church 2pm 18 th Pantomime Trip – details to follow 20 th Last day Term 2

Our Christian Value this term is **Kindness** – Be kind to one another – Ephesians 4:32
 The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs Emma Mercer. The Deputy DSL is Mrs Gina Guerriero
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