

# GRIMOLDBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Web site address: [www.grimoldby.lincs.sch.uk](http://www.grimoldby.lincs.sch.uk).

Welcome back to a new term, all staff and governors would like to wish you a Happy New Year and hope 2010 is the best yet for you and your family.

## **PTA News**

Valentines Disco  
Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February  
6-7.30 pm

Tickets on sale from February 1<sup>st</sup> February at the school office £2.50

Choice of filled rolls; butter or no butter, cheese, ham or egg and followed by ice cream/ ice lolly and squash to drink.

(Foundation Stage parents must stay and supervise their children)

Please fill in the form at the bottom and return it on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February if you would like your child to attend to attend this event.

## **Parking**

I would like to remind parents about using the staff car park for dropping off and collecting children. We request you do NOT use the staff car park but to park and walk your child to school, even if it means arriving a little late.

I have had lots of complaints from the residents of St. Edith's Gate about the parking. They have informed the local police who intend to monitor this. Would you please not use St. Edith's gate for parking.

## **Diary Dates**

Parents Afternoon/Evening  
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Match 3.30 to 5.00pm  
(Creche available in Hall)

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> March 6-7.30pm **(No Creche available)**

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April – Last day of term  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> April School reopens after the Easter Holiday

(Slips will be coming out later for you to indicate which day you prefer and which time)

## **Sweat shirts**

Reminder

Please put your child's name in their **sweat shirt, PE shorts and T shirt, plimsolls and on lunch boxes and water containers**. We have many children with the same size, colour and make as other children and we have no way of knowing whose is whose! We will keep un-named sweatshirts for one week after finding them and then dispose of them.

## **Free Computers**

The Government are keen that every household has access to the Internet and are offering free computers and broadband access to families who have a child in Years 3 to 9, if your child or children attend a maintained school in England, or you are a carer or Foster parents for looked after children in school from Years 1 to 13, are registered for Free School Meals or if they receive one of the qualifying benefits; income-based Jobseekers Allowance, Income Support, Child Tax Credit but not Working Tax Credit and an income of less than £16,040, income based Employment Support Allowance or the Guaranteed element of the Pension Credit. If you think you qualify for this visit Becta's home access website or contact the DCSF press office on 0207 925 6789.

## **Bad Weather**

At school we like to get the children out into the fresh air at playtimes. Would you please make sure your child has an outdoor coat with a hood or a hat so even when it is raining they can still go outside and not get their hair wet. We do allow children to stay in when we have a lot of snow on the ground but we do not keep children in when it is raining unless it is very heavy rain. If the school closes for any reason it will appear on Radio Lincolnshire, Lincs FM and it will be on the County Council website.

PTA Valentine Disco Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February 6 to 7.30 pm

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Year group \_\_\_\_\_

Choice of filled roll butter/no butter, cheese, ham, or egg (please circle which your child would prefer)