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School wins first £50 book token

Hawthorn Tree Community Children's Centre, Fishtoft, is the first winner of a £50 book token in Boston Borough Council's "don't smoke and drive" car window sticker campaign.

Participating schools are entered into a monthly draw for a book token, with 12 £50 prizes to be won between now and the end of March next year.

Thirty-six schools and nurseries are taking part in the project, which could also see drivers pocketing a £10 shopping voucher if their car is spotted displaying a sticker.

There are 52 chances to win a £10 shopping voucher just by putting a sticker in the window of your car.

The weekly winners will be announced every Wednesday on the Boston Borough Council website, Twitter and Facebook

pages, and also in the Boston Target. Winning schools will be contacted direct.

- Window stickers are available from Boston Borough Council in West Street, the Boston Target office in Wide Bargate and the Geoff Moulder Leisure Complex.

- If your number plate is a winner, all you need to do to claim your shopping voucher is to bring your registration document to the council offices during normal opening hours.

- Prizes not claimed after four weeks will be donated to charity.

Pictured: Week one winner of the £10 shopping voucher went to Jen Durrant and daughter Ruby Durrant, age 8, also of Hawthorn Tree Primary School. Jen's car was spotted displaying the 'Don't smoke and drive' sticker in Geoff Moulder Leisure Centres car park.



A Golden May Fair for Hope

Golden ticket winner Hope Spooner (7) collected her ticket to ride every single ride at Boston May Fair this year.

Hope joined the official proclamation which launches the fair each year by the Mayor of Boston and the chairman of the Derby, Notts, Mid and South Lincolnshire Section of the Showmen's Guild.

Read more at <http://bit.ly/2pTKN8Y>



Boston Women's Aid calls out for votes

Boston Women's Aid is bidding to bag a massive cash boost from the Tesco Bags of Help initiative.

Tesco teamed up with Groundwork to launch its community funding scheme, which sees grants of £4,000, £2,000 and £1,000 – all raised from the 5p bag levy – being awarded to local community projects.

Read more at <http://bit.ly/2qADOy4>

Boston Playgoers to hold open day for new members

Award-winning Boston Playgoers Society is holding an open day at Blackfriars Theatre for anyone who might be interested in joining their amateur dramatics group.

Read more at <http://bit.ly/2qoRa4l>



Free legal advice and cake up for grabs for dementia campaign

Cake, refreshments and free legal advice are on offer at a series of coffee mornings taking place at branches of a Lincolnshire firm of solicitors to mark Dementia Awareness Week.

Read more at <http://bit.ly/2p4WWUH>

Shady border is just 'fern'

The long shaded border on the north side of St Botolph's Church, opposite the Sessions House, has been given a further makeover following the intervention of the Boston in Bloom team.

Read more at <http://bit.ly/2pFwZPk>



Week four winner –

Read more at <http://bit.ly/2ngHd3i>

