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Welcome back – Happy New Year ☺

All the children have settled well back into the new school term this week, it's been great to welcome everyone back after the Christmas break. We do hope you have all had a good holiday and we wish you all a very Happy New Year from the staff and school community. We are looking forward to another packed term of learning as well as other events such as some of Kittiwakes visiting the O2 next week! As always, please do keep an eye on the weekly newsletter for all the needed information as well as regular updates and notices on Class Dojo. Please do remember that senior staff are on the gates each day, so don't hesitate to chat to us about anything or message your teachers directly on Class Dojo – this is an excellent communication mechanism.

Application for Reception places

Families can to apply to Norfolk County Council for admission to Reception for September 2024 if your child was born between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020. Admissions close on 15th January 2024. Please find below a link to the NCC website to make your application if you have not done so already.

<https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools/school-admissions/admission-to-reception-classes>

Norfolk Puppet Theatre Jack and the Beanstalk – Monday 15th

Norfolk Puppet Theatre will be performing their newest show, Jack and the Beanstalk to the whole school, in the hall on Monday morning. Their performances are always wonderful so we are very much looking forward to their visit. If you are able to, please donate £3 towards the cost of the show via SCOPAY, FOBS have kindly agreed to contribute to the cost too.

Y5/6 Young Voices Trip - 16th January

We are very much looking forward to our visit to the O2 on Tuesday. Pupils that are going need to be at school ready to board the coach at 7.15am. We anticipate arriving back at school at 1am on Wednesday morning, parents will be kept up to date via ClassDojo messages. Letters with arrangements for the day have gone home in bags earlier this week and it has been posted on ClassDojo - please do contact Mr Williams or the office if you need any further information. We cannot wait to share photos and stories from what will be an incredible experience!

Supporting your child with worries and anxiety workshop - 17th January

The Mental Health Support Team will be holding a parent information session on supporting your child with worries and anxiety. This will be held at school on Wednesday 17th January from 8.30am. Please drop in and meet the team and ask any questions, the team will be with us until approximately 10am. If you would like to come please let the office team know.

Community Readers

Can you spare a few hours each week to be a Community Reader? Our Community Readers can be family members or part of the local community. They listen to the children read individually or in small groups. We invite Community Readers into each class to enhance our weekly reading sessions. If you know anyone who would be interested in supporting the school with reading, please let Mrs Morrell know in the School Office.

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Thank You

Thank you to The Co-operative Store in Wells for donating all the ingredients for our Christingles - Kittiwake Class had great fun creating them all. Thank you also to Spire Solicitors for donating a new Christmas tree for our school foyer, a very kind gesture and one we were very grateful of.

FOBS

Happy New year to you all. Our AGM is due in the next month and we would love to get more parents along and involved in what we do. The committee is going to see a lot of change over the next 18 months with the Chair stepping down this time and members leaving as their children head to high school. If we do not start to recruit more members FOBS will cease to exist which would have a huge impact on the school and your children. Traditionally we have held the AGM on an afternoon however we are aware that this prevents many people who work from attending, therefore we are considering an evening AGM. If you would like to come along and hear what the committee have achieved this year and the role you could play please can you complete the poll on the following link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe2Ct6xSh_bbpPu5mhNu_2R1Ecq6c_ZbrCSB9BFukFI9j2YAg/viewform?usp=sf_link

Good Work Awards/Values Awards

SEALS: **Maya** (because you have shown an excellent understanding of representing numbers to 5)

TURTLES: **Hatch** (you listened and followed the instructions carefully in PE)

DOLPHINS: **Riley-Rose** (because you have been working quietly, effectively and with real determination)

KITTIWAKES: **Elsie** (because you are working hard in maths especially on equivalent fractions)

Lilia (because you are always respectful to Seal's learning environment indoors and outdoors)

Alfie (because you have shown good manners)

Harry (because you are constantly polite, respectful and patient to others)

Ophelia (because you always show respect to the staff in school)

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Dates

Tuesday 16th January - Young Voices Trip
Wednesday 17th January – Managing Your Childs Anxiety Coffee Morning - Mental Health Support Team
Monday 22nd January – NNSSP Y3/4 Gymnastics @ North Walsham
Friday 2nd February - NNSSP Y3-6 Swimming Gala @ Sheringham
Monday 5th February - Cluster Y4-6 Girls Football Festival @ APHS
Friday 16th February – Last day of term
Monday 26th February – Term starts
Wednesday 27th March – Be Inspired visit by Paige Reid, England Netballer
Wednesday 27th March – Last day of term
Monday 15th April – Summer Term starts
Friday 24th May – Last day of term
Monday 3rd June – Term starts
Wednesday 19th June – Sports Day 9.00am – 13.00pm
Monday 24th - Friday 28th June – Holkham Woodland Week
Wednesday 3rd July – Friday 5th July – Whole School Transition (internal and APHS)
Friday 19th July – Finish for the Summer Holidays



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