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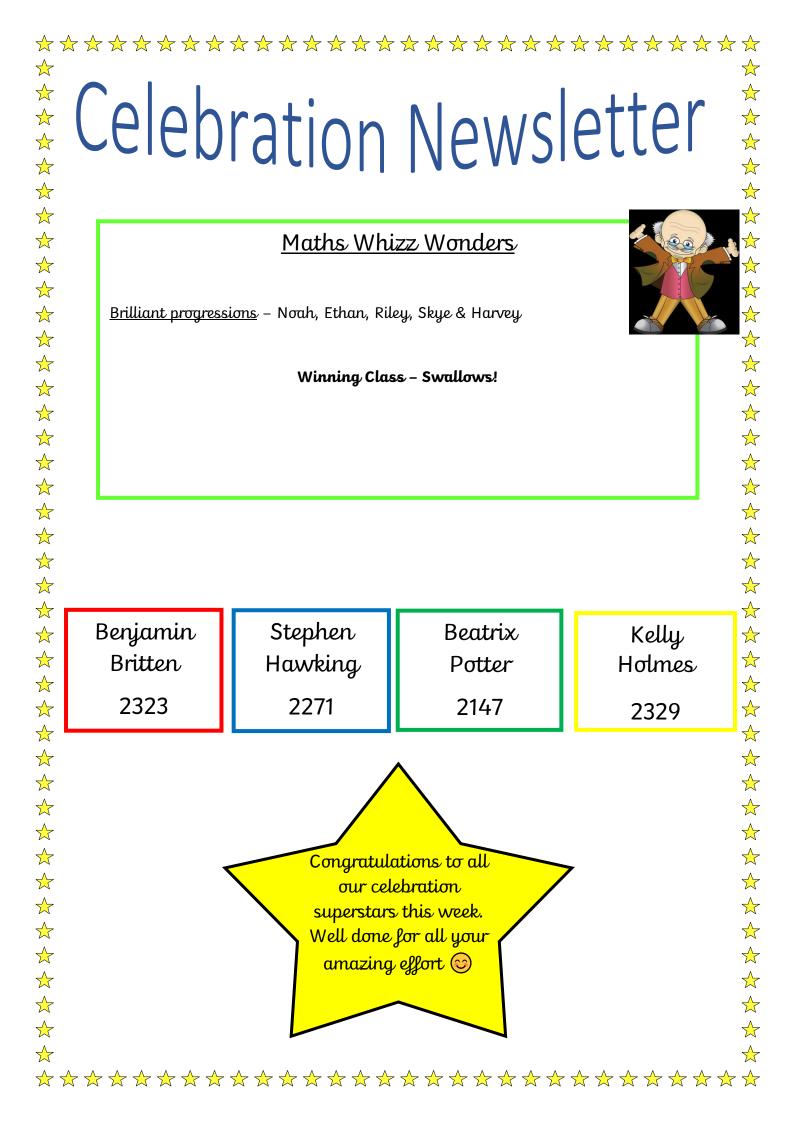
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Swifts are currently in the lead with the Reading Challenge. Well done!

Remember to keep reading at home and getting an adult to sign your reading diary to earn a gem for your class bottle.



Newsletter

Friday 6th April



Values

Our main value for this half term is Nurture. This also links in with Thankfulness, Compassion & Generosity.



The Big Battery Hunt

As part of our Eco work, we are taking part in 'The Big Battery Hunt!' Next Friday each family will be sent home with a box for collecting batteries, along with a sheet for keeping record of the amount of batteries collected. As well as helping to keep batteries out of landfill, we could be in with a chance of winning a prize by submitting the amount of batteries we have collected.

Here is a letter from the Duracell Bunny;

I am writing to ask you do something extremely important. I need you to take part in the Big Battery Hunt and recycle your used batteries.

Did you know that over 600 million batteries are thrown away each year. That means that over 20,000 tonnes of batteries end up in landfill sites where they take over a hundred years to decompose. This is outrageous! The chemicals in the batteries can pollute the soil and water, harming poor innocent animals and endangering our lives too. Do you really want that?

But it doesn't have to be this way! You can do your bit to help our planet by going on a Big Battery Hunt to find all of our used batteries and taking them to our local recycling point. We can return them to our local supermarket when we do the shopping. It's so easy!

I hope you will agree that it is so important and so easy to recycle our used batteries. I'm sure you are just as excited as I am to go on our Big Battery Hunt to collect and recycle as many batteries as we can find!



<u>Year 6 SATs</u>

Next week our year 6 children will be sitting their SATs. Please ensure they get plenty of early nights and a good breakfast. Good luck everyone, we know you will all be fabulous!



<u>Ukrainian Appeal</u>

Many thanks for supporting our Ukrainian appeal. We have raised £154.41 so far from our non uniform day and the sale of friendship bracelets. More bracelets are being made so check with the office if you want one. All proceeds are going to the British Red Cross Ukraine Crisis Appeal. $\frac{1}{2}$

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Sports Equipment for Schools

The Beccles and Bungay Journal are running a Sports for Schools promotion. There will be tokens printed tokens daily in the Eastern Daily Press (two on Saturday), Norwich Evening News (two on Saturday) and weekly in the North Norfolk News, Dereham Times, Fakenham Times, Beccles & Bungay Journal, Lowestoft Journal and Great Yarmouth Mercury. The first tokens will appear on Monday 9th May, and the final token Saturday 16th July.

Please tell your friends and family to help collect tokens so that we can be in with a chance of winning some equipment for our school.

There is a box in the office foyer where you can post your tokens.





Our first Schoodoodle club was a great success. The children made rollers and then created some fabulous prints.



Dates for the Diary

Monday 9th May - KS2 SATs week Saturday 14th May - School choir performing at St. Mary's Church, Bungay Thursday 19th May - Norse Special Space Explorers Lunch - Deadline for ordering is Tues 10th May Friday 27th May - Jubilee Celebrations - Information to follow Monday 30th May - Half Term **Tuesday 21st June** - Tempest Photography Class & Leavers photos Thursday 23rd June - Book Fair - More details to follow Wednesday 29th June - Choir singing at the Royal Norfolk Show Monday 4th to Thursday 7th July - Swallows Bikeability Monday 18th to Wednesday 20th July - Swallows Residential to Horstead Monday 25th July - Summer Holidays



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