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OUR VISION IS TO LOVE OUR NEIGHBOUR, ENABLING EVERYONE
TO FLOURISH AND REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL.

John Chapter 10 Verse 27

Date: Friday 23rd June 2023

Our Newsletter comes out every Friday with updates about what the children have been up to during the week, information, things to celebrate important dates for the diary. Please take the time to read through and if you have any questions, please speak to Mrs Cave or Mrs Wood in the office.

This Week's Achievements

Sparrows Stars of the Week



For writing a postcard independently from the snail to his snail friends.



For being helpful with sweeping the classroom.

Skylarks Stars of the Week



For great progress in phonics and good contributions during guided reading.



For being kind to everyone and always doing her best. She has a brilliant 'can do' attitude.

Swifts Stars of the Week



For showing determination to work independently when copying definitions from the dictionary.



For producing beautifully presented work during refugee week activities and showing great sensitivity when talking about refugees.

Swallows Stars of the Week



For making the effort to change his behaviour and attitude towards learning, he has really impressed us this week.



For having a positive mindset, always working hard and a great role model.



For working hard to improve his writing and producing an interesting formal letter.



Skylarks

1st Place – Millie – 3,872

2nd Place – Hope – 708

3rd Place – Kitty – 380

Swifts

1st Place – Aubrey R – 4,803

2nd Place – Noah – 2,493

3rd Place – Ella – 1,522

Swallows

1st Place – Maddie – 6,727

2nd Place – Catherine – 6,014

3rd Place – Daisy – 2,809

Rock Star Status

Headliner – Charlie, Ollie W

Rock Legend – Riley

House Points

Stephen Hawkings – 4431

Beatrix Potter – 4404

Benjamin Britten – 4260

Kelly Holmes – 4324

Class Attendance

Sparrows – 100%

Skylarks – 96%

Swifts – 98.15%

Swallows – 96.56%



Brass – Ronnie

Steel – Maddi

Aluminium – Harry



News & Dates

Beach Clean

The eco committee have organised a beach litter clean on Sunday 2nd July. All are welcome. We are meeting at the beach car park at Dunwich at 10.30am. Please bring a bin bag.



Class Photos

You will have received an email with the links to order your child's class photo online. If you haven't yet ordered, please do so asap.



Sports Day - Friday 30th June

This year's sports day will be held on Friday 30th June. Parents are welcome to come along and watch. The morning session will be from 10.30am until 12noon. You will then need to leave the school grounds so that the children can have their lunch break. Parents are then welcome to come along from 1.30pm until the end of the school day. Everyone is welcome to come along. Please note that at the end of sports day children will be taken back to their classes and dismissed as normal.

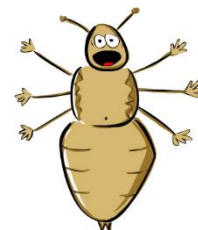


Breakfast Club

If your child attends breakfast club, please make sure that they wait until the link corridor is opened to enter the school. Children are not permitted to enter via the hall. This is to ensure that staff are on site and ready for the children.

Headlice

We have headlice in Sparrows class. Please can you check your child's hair and treat if necessary. Thank you.





Nelson's Journey Purple Picnic

We are having a Purple Picnic on Thursday 13th July to support the charity Nelson's Journey. This charity helps to support children who have suffered a bereavement. The kitchen will be offering packed lunches only on this day. Please book as normal via Pupil Asset. Bookings close on Friday 30th June.

We are asking for a contribution of £1 in exchange for wearing an item or accessory in purple. Non school uniform is allowed. We hope to get as much support for this charity as possible, thank you.

**Nelson's
Journey**

Eco Day - Thursday 13th July

We will be having another eco day on Thursday 13th July. The theme this year is B for Biodiversity, and the children will be taking part in activities based on butterflies, bees, birds and beetles.



Sporting Achievement

Two of our year 5 boys play for Bungay Town Football Club.

Last Sunday the Bungay U10's team won the Beccles Football Tournament. Well done boys!





It is really important for you to talk to your child about online safety.

What age should you start to talk to your child about online safety?

As soon as your child shows an interest in engaging with technology, it's time to begin sharing simple online safety strategies with them.

Will Gardener
CEO of Childnet

Conversation starter ideas

- 1 Ask your children to tell you about the sites they like to visit and what they enjoy doing online.
- 2 Ask them about how they stay safe online. What tips do they have for you, and where did they learn them? What is OK and not OK to share?
- 3 Ask them if they know where to go for help, where to find the safety advice, privacy settings and [how to report](#) or block on the services they use.
- 4 Encourage them to help. Perhaps they can show you how to do something better online or they might have a friend who would benefit from their help and support.
- 5 Think about how you use the internet as a family. What could you do to get more out of the internet together and further enjoy your lives online?

Dates for the Diary

Saturday 24th June - PTA Summer Fete

Thursday 29th June - Eco committee to Royal Norfolk Show

Friday 30th June - Sports Day

Sunday 2nd July - Eco Committee Beach Clean

Thursday 13th July - Eco Day

Thursday 13th July - Purple Picnic for Nelson's Journey

Wednesday 19th July - PM Performance of Swallows Summer Production

Thursday 20th July - Evening Performance of Swallows Summer Production

Friday 21st July - Leavers Assembly and Last Day of term



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