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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 9th May 2025

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 Star of the Week



For being his best writing a leaflet for next years Sparrows independently.

Skylarks Stars of the Week



For always making a good effort with handwriting, phonics, reading & confidence!

Josh - For being his best, great work in fractions and for working hard on his spellings.

Swifts Stars of the Week



For being SO interested in his learning and asking great questions!



For being respectful to others by being a good listener.

Swallows Stars of the Week

Alex - For contributing more in class, allowing us to see parts of his glowing personality.



For working out and measuring angles - building in confidence enough to help others.



Swallows

1st Place – Evie – 2,661

2nd Place – Lottie – 1,165

Swifts

1st Place – Emma – 4,531

2nd Place – Elizabeth – 4,082

3rd Place – Ella B – 2,876

Skylarks

1st Place – Ronnie – 9,920

2nd Place – Josh – 2,175

3rd Place – Isabelle – 632

Rock Star Status

Evie – Rock Legend

Harry – Breakthrough Artist

House Points

Stephen Hawking – 15085

Beatrix Potter – 13345

Benjamin Britten – 16765

Kelly Holmes – 13602

Class Attendance

Sparrows – 90.38%

Skylarks – 98.50%

Swifts – 92.67%

Swallows – 91.50%



Watch this space...



News & Dates

Beach Clean

Thank you to all who came along to help with the beach clean last Saturday. We were very pleased to find Pakefield beach quite clean, so we didn't pick as much litter as we have done in the past. The most surprising piece of litter found was a sold sign!



Makeup and Jewelry

A reminder that make up is not permitted to be worn in school. One small stud is allowed which must be removed for PE. No dangly earrings please.

New Phone System

We now have a new phone system which has an option menu when you call. There is an option to leave a message with your child's absence. Please remember to ring the office and let us know if your child is going to be absent from school before 9am.



Federation Festival - Tuesday 20th May

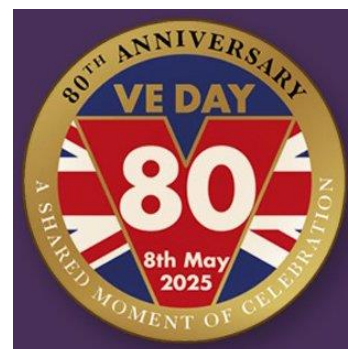
Letters have been emailed about the upcoming festival. Please return your reply slips asap if your child would like to take part in the talent show.





VE Day Celebrations

The children took part in some VE Day activities today, followed by a special picnic lunch to celebrate the 80th anniversary of VE day.



Fruit Kebab Friday - 16th May

Our next 'Fruit Kebab Friday' is on 16th May. Please bring in a piece of prepared fruit so we can make the kebabs. If any parents can help, please let the office know. Thank you.



Year 6 SATs

Good luck to all our children sitting their SATs next week. You are all amazing!

**GOOD
LUCK**



Norse Special Menu

Norse are providing a special 'Day at the Seaside' menu on Thursday 15th May. No more bookings can be made now. The menu on Friday 16th May will be the pinwheels which should have been on the Thursday.



School Dinners

We are still getting the wrong packed lunch options booked. **Please check the menu carefully as not every option is available every day.**

Please also note that on special lunch days, the only option available is that lunch. There are no jacket potato or packed lunches available to order.



Dates for the Diary

Monday 12th May to Thursday 15th May - KS2 SATs

Thursday 15th May - Day at the Seaside Special Menu

Friday 16th May - Y6 Sats Treat - Lowestoft Beach 16.00 - 18.00

Friday 16th May - Fruit Kebab Friday

Monday 19th to Friday 23rd May - Walk to School Week

Tuesday 20th May - Federation Festival

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May - Half Term

Monday 9th June - Swallows Rounders Tournament at Hobart - Letters have been sent out to those taking part

Tuesday 10th June - Tempest Photography Class & Leavers Photos

Thursday 19th June - Swallows London Trip

Thursday 26th June - Whole School at The Royal Norfolk Show - Details to Follow

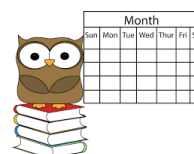
Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd July - Bungay High School Transition Days

Saturday 5th July - PTA Summer Fete

Thursday 17th July - 18.00 Swallows Summer Production

Tuesday 22nd July - 09.00 Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Tuesday 22nd July - Last Day of term



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