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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 January 2026

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 her best when
blending phase 3 graphemes.

Skylarks Stars of the Week



For always fulfilling
the school values and
for using her phonics
to sound out for
spelling.



For always showing
such kindness to others
and being a superb role
model. Also for his
absolute love of learning.

Swifts Stars of the Week



For using a range of
descriptive vocabulary
to write an opening of
a story.



For completing some
amazing handwriting.

Swallows Stars of the Week



For always being
helpful, caring and
having great
motivation to learn in
all subjects.



For consistently
improving his
handwriting in all
subjects.



Swallows

1st Place – Teddy - 1973

2nd Place – Georgia - 1764

3rd Place – Hayden - 1620

Swifts

1st Place – Jocelyn - 3253

2nd Place – Isabelle - 1384

3rd Place – George - 1210

Skylarks

1st Place – William B - 1556

2nd Place – Millie - 1410

Rock Star Status

Wannabee – Murphy

Unsigned Act – Will S

House Points

Stephen Hawkings - 11319

Beatrix Potter - 11909

Benjamin Britten - 12794

Kelly Holmes - 10510

Class Attendance

Sparrows – 91.11%

Skylarks – 99.13%

Swifts – 96.40%

Swallows – 91.29%



Chrome – Arthur R



News & Dates

National Nest Box Week

During half term it is National Nest Box Week. It would be lovely if you could make a nest box at home and send in photographs to feature in the newsletter.

For information and ideas, please visit

<https://www.nestboxweek.com/>



Eco Badge

Well done to Lucian, Noah & Ezra for organizing Fruit Kebab Friday as part of their work on healthy living. They have all earned their Eco badges.



Fruit Kebab Friday

A huge thanks to the parent helpers who came in to prepare the fruit kebabs. Thank you as well to all who sent in fruit today. The children all enjoyed their fruit kebabs at breaktime.



DigiFest

DigiFest is an annual celebration of digital making in Norfolk libraries throughout February. With free events for children and young people aged up to 16, there is something for every aspiring digital mind. It forms part of their digital inclusion strategy and aims to inspire the next generation of coders and creators.

Have a go at stop-motion animation, robotics and coding - just some of the exciting events coming to all Norfolk libraries in February 2026!

For more information visit <https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/digifest>





NEWSLETTER

Voting is Live!

Our voting is now live until 31st March!!

Please vote in store for our new project - An Outside reading Shed. We want to build an outdoor reading shed which will be a cosy, weatherproof space where children can escape into the world of books.

Voting for our project will be featured in Beccles, and Southwold Express, Queen Street.

Please tell all your friends and family to vote for us!



Dates for the Diary

Monday 26th January - Panathlon - Letters have gone home to those taking part

Monday 26th January - Y3/4 Dodgeball Tournament- Letters have gone home to those taking part

Monday 16th to Friday 20th February - Half term

Monday 16th to Friday 20th February - National Nest Box Week

Monday 23rd February - Skylarks Dance Festival - More details to follow

Thursday 26th February - Parents' Evening

Tuesday 3rd March - Parents' Evening

Thursday 5th March - World Book Day



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