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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 30<sup>th</sup> 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 fantastic writing based on  
'The Magic Paintbrush.'

### Skylarks Stars of the Week



William B - For having  
wonderful ideas and  
working at a faster pace.  
He always has lovely  
neat work.

For clear reading and  
being on task with  
writing and careful  
presentation.

### Swifts Stars of the Week



For being consistently ready  
to work, demonstrating  
excellent listening skills and  
maintaining a tidy  
workspace in every lesson.



For demonstrating  
excellent focus and a  
strong understanding  
in your maths  
lessons.

### Swallows Stars of the Week



For being caring,  
patient and involving  
everyone in her group  
when creating an art  
installation.



For being determined  
to demonstrate his  
knowledge and skills in  
his PiXL papers, using  
his time wisely.



### Swallows

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Alice

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Georgia

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Teddy

### Swifts

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Freddie

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Harry

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Jack

### Skylarks

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Millie

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Arthur A

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Joel

### Rock Star Status

Breakthrough Artist – Eryn

Rock Star – Ronnie

### House Points

Stephen Hawkings – 12146

Beatrix Potter – 12779

Benjamin Britten – 13709

Kelly Holmes – 11310

### Class Attendance

Sparrows – 97.78%

Skylarks – 97.39%

Swifts – 96.00%

Swallows – 98.06%



Rust – Donnie & Phoebe

Iron – Bonnie

Tin – Florence

Brass – Florence & Jayce



## 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/>



### Free Uniform

On Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February after school we will be putting out all our donated uniform in the school hall. Please come along and take anything you can make use of. There are some brand new items up for grabs. It is all free and needs a home.

### Dodgeball Tournament

Well done to our federation team for taking part in the dodgeball tournament this week. All the children were incredible at dodgeball with such good team spirit with everyone giving it a really good go.



### Eco

Well done to Joel for using acorns to try and grow some oak trees.



### Out of School Achievements

Beccles Rugby Club under 9s played against Southwold Rugby Club last Sunday. Two of our year 4 boys played against each other. They both played really well and had great fun!

We also have a year 1 girl who also attends Beccles Rugby Club. She really enjoys the training. Well done for being so active!





## Voting is Live!

Our voting is now live until 31<sup>st</sup> 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!



## Change of Parent App

We have been working on changing over our systems for parents and guardians to make things easier and to also include online payments. We will give you more information about which app you will need to download and instructions nearer half term. We will be using the new system after half term. At first I will be closely monitoring meal choices until everyone is up and running with the new system.

**IMPORTANT**

## Dates for the Diary

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February - Half term

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February - National Nest Box Week

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February - Skylarks Dance Festival - More details to follow

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February - Parents' Evening

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March - Parents' Evening

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March - World Book Day



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