



# Newsletter

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020



## Values for Life – Respect

This is the value for this half term, which links values of reverence, truthfulness and peace.



### Class Update:

#### Oaks

**Maths:** We have been ordering fractions, multiplying and dividing fractions and finding fractions of amounts and equivalent fractions.

**Literacy:** We are going to debate the ethics of zoos and write a discussion text on this.

**Science:** We are setting up an experiment to investigate micro organisms and the benefit of handwashing.

### Class Update

#### Willows

Willows have really enjoyed our topic 'Dinosaur Roar', we have learnt so much about dinosaurs. Our new topic after half term is 'Roots, Shoots and Muddy Boots'.

Willows would love some artificial flowers and plants for our new florist role play.

Next term we will be going on local walks to find different plants and trees.

HAPPY HALF TERM

### Class Attendance –

The class with the highest attendance each week will receive a star for their door and the class with the most stars will win a prize at the end of term. This will run from the previous Friday to the current Thursday. Let's see which class can get 100% attendance every week.



Willows – 97.41%

Oaks – 98.7% **Well Done Oaks**

### SAT's club date change

Due to the Tag Rugby Sports events at Hobart on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> of March, SAT's club will be moved to Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March at the same time.



### Parents Evening

Parents' evenings will be held on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February and Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February.

Theresa Lavery (Community focus officer) will be joining us on one of the parents evenings and will be asking parents to complete a small survey on your local area.



Parent's Evening

### Sports Relief

To raise money for Sports Relief this year, the children will be doing sponsored laps of the field on **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March**. To add some more fun to the day, they can come in fancy dress.

Sponsor forms are going out today. The children can get sponsors for how many laps they can do.



### EDP Plant to Plate

#### **BONUS TOKENS**

There will be 10 additional bonus tokens printed every day on the following dates;

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> Feb

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Feb

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Feb

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Feb

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Feb

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Feb

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb.

Eastern Daily Press,  
Evening News, Great

Yarmouth Mercury,

Lowestoft Journal, Beccles

& Bungay Journal, North

Norfolk News and

Dereham & Fakenham

Times



### Times Table

#### Olympics

Well done to the following children for their achievements in the Times Table Olympics:

Miles C – Level 4 and  
Level 5

Molly – Level 5

Betty - Bronze



### Star of the week

Here are our 'Stars of the Week' from this week:



### Next Term's Clubs

Monday - Multi Skills Club 3.30 – 4.30 pm (Spaces still available)

Monday – Year 6 SAT's Club (3.15 – 4.00 pm)

Tuesday – Kiddy Cook 3.15 – 4.15 pm (Spaces are limited)

Thursday – Lunchtime Karate 12.45 – 1.15 pm (Spaces still available)

Friday – Boogie Bounce 3.30 – 4.15pm (Spaces are limited)

Consent for these clubs can be given via the Parent App. Payments can be brought into the office.

Please note that if you are signing up for a club, you are committing your child to attending EVERY WEEK.

Please do not take space if you cannot commit as spaces are limited.

**Note:** We still have outstanding Forest School consent forms from years 3-4, please return these to the office before the end of today.

### Parent Support Advisor

Please find attached information about our local PSA. It details how she can help in many different areas, plus contact details.



### Coronavirus

We have placed a poster on the parents notice board, giving some advice on how to protect yourself and others. Germs can live on some surfaces for hours. To protect yourself and others:

- Always carry tissues with you and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.
- Bin the tissue, and to kill the germs, wash your hands with soap and water, or use a sanitiser gel.
- If you have arrived back from China within 14 days follow the specific advice for returning travellers.

This is the best way to slow the spread of almost any germs, including Coronavirus.

Find out more at [gov.uk/coronavirus](http://gov.uk/coronavirus)



### Dates for your Diary

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February – Last day of term

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February – Return to school

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February – Qualifying children to Swimming Gala – to be there for 12pm to 3.15pm

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February – Year 6 Forensic Science Day @ Hobart

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February – Parents Evening

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February – Parents Evening

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February – Forest School for years 3 & 4

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March – Tag Rugby event at Hobart – 3.45pm to 5.15pm

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March – Year 6 SAT's club (changed from Monday for this week only)

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day (theme is 'Into the woods')

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day special lunch

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March – Sports Relief (details to follow)

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March – Year 4 Off Road Safety

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March – Year 4 Off Road Safety

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March – Willows Trip to Gressenhall Farm and Workhouse – letters to follow

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Oaks Trip to Banham Zoo – letters to follow

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April – Last day of term

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April – Back to school



## Focus On Willows

Each week the classes will take turns with showing you what they have been doing in class.

Mrs Chilver's has created an amazing display board, explaining what Willows have been learning in their Forest School lessons. Why not take a look when you are here for Parents Evening!



Willows have been really enjoying music this term, learning about rhythm and pulse and working in teams to produce their own music.





## Whole School Collective Worship



Woodton's Big Question  
In collective worship, we discussed the question 'Why should we show Respect?'  
We worked in mixed aged groups to discuss what respect meant and recorded our thoughts which are displayed on our Big Question board.

