



Newsletter

Friday 28th 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

Literacy: We have been practising writing notes on a non-fiction text. We have begun writing a non-chronological report on whales and writing a story with ourselves as the whale.

Maths: We have been calculating possible answers to equations with two missing values, column subtraction and revising formal division methods.

Science: We are investigating microorganisms and how handwashing affects cleanliness of our hands.

Class Update

Willows

Welcome back, we hope you had a lovely week off.

The children have all worked really hard this week. Our new topic for this half term is 'Roots, Shoots and Muddy boots'. With the weather we're having there are lots of muddy boots!

We have made our own globes using balloons and found where the different continents are. We have our next lot of spellings for a test next Friday. Please help your child to learn these. Finally a quick reminder that PE kits must be in school everyday as we have PE on a Friday afternoon again.

Have a lovely weekend.

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 term Friday to the current Thursday. Let's see which class can get 100% attendance every week.



Willows – 94.44 % **Well Done Willows**
Oaks – 94.35 %

SATs club date change

Due to the Tag Rugby Sports events at Hobart on Monday 2nd of March, SATs club will be moved to Wednesday 4th March at the same time.



Sports Relief

Reminder: We hope you have all been gathering sponsors from family and friends for our Sports Relief day. You still have one more week to raise some more money. Lets see how much money we can raise.



EDP Plant to Plate

BONUS TOKENS

Keep collecting those EDP tokens, we still have a long way to go to reach our 1000 goal.

There will be 10 extra bonus tokens to collect this term on the following dates;

Tuesday March 3rd

Friday March 13th

Saturday March 21st

Tuesday March 24th

These tokens can be found in the EDP and Norwich Evening News.

Also in the following titles Great Yarmouth Mercury, Lowestoft Journal, Beccles & Bungay Journal, North Norfolk News and Dereham & Fakenham Times

Week commencing March 2nd and March 23rd.



Times Table Olympics

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

Jessica – Olympic medal

Maya – Level 15



Star of the week

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



Parent Survey

Parent surveys were handed out during the parents evening appointments. Just a reminder that all completed surveys can be brought into the office and put into the box for confidentiality.

Thank you

School Uniform & PE Kits

We have attached a letter reminding you all of the school uniform that is expected to be worn. Please can we ask that there are no trainers and tracksuit bottoms worn as uniform, also nail varnish will be removed if worn into school.

Hair also needs to be tied back.

Thank you.

Lunchtime Singing Club



Mrs Lloyd has started a lunchtime singing club, the children have been learning to sing Gary Barlow and the Common Wealth band 'Sing'.

Update:

We managed to complete two full posters for the Aldi's Kits for Schools, that means we managed to collect over 600 stickers. We have been informed that we should receive our school sports kits in the spring term, containing lots of goodies, which will include balls, bibs, cones, egg and spoon kits, batons and more!

Thank you again to everyone that helped collect so many stickers.



Collect and win with Aldi's Kit for Schools.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 2nd March – Tag Rugby event at Hobart – 3.45pm to 5.15pm

Wednesday 4th March – Year 6 SATs club (changed from Monday for this week only)

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

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day special lunch

Wednesday 11th March – Sports Relief

Tuesday 10th March – Year 4 Off Road Safety

Tuesday 17th March – Year 4 Off Road Safety

Monday 23rd March – Willows Trip to Gressenhall Farm and Workhouse – letters to follow

Thursday 26th March – Oaks Trip to Banham Zoo – letters to follow

Wednesday 1st April – Last day of term

Monday 20th April – Back to school



Swimming Gala

Congratulations to William, Jessica and Miles for their amazing swimming in the 2nd round of the swimming gala. They represented the Hobart Cluster on Tuesday afternoon and the cluster came second overall by one point. Going onto the last race the Hobart cluster were equal to first place on 122 points. It was an amazing performance by all involved.

We are very proud.



World Book Day – Thursday 5th March

'Into the Woods'

Children can come in fancy dress on this day, along the theme of 'Into the woods'.

We would like to invite parents to join in with World Book Day at 2pm to sit and read with their children.

The PTA will be providing tea, coffee and a cake sale from 3pm (donations of cakes etc would be gratefully received, please bring into the office Thursday morning). The School Council will also be running a book stall in the afternoon to raise money for the children of Woodton Primary School.

World Book Day Special Lunch

If you would like your child to have the special lunch next Thursday, please book via the Parent App by Monday 9pm.

'Royal Beast of a Feast' Meatballs in Sauce

Inspired by 'Beast of Buckingham Palace' by David Walliams

With

'Blow Away Bows' Pasta Bows

Inspired by 'Room on the Broom' by Julia Donaldson

OR

(v) 'Mrs Brady's' Mac and Cheese

Inspired by 'I Heard it in the Playground' by Allan Ahlberg

Garden Peas

Inspired by 'Daisy Eat your Peas' by Kes Gray and Nick Sharratt

Five Salad Items

Inspired by 'Famous Five' by Enid Blyton

Chocolate Crunch with Chocolate Sauce

Inspired by 'McTavish takes the Biscuit' by Meg Roscoff

Focus On Oaks

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

The children in year 6 had the opportunity to partake in Hobart's Forensic Science Day. They learnt how to use bunsen burners and other scientific apparatus such as data logging equipment. Alongside this, they also learnt about the techniques that forensic scientists use to eliminate suspects in crimes. They analysed samples such as powder and learnt how to do chromatography.

