

6 July 2018

Headteacher: Mr Paul Henery

Premier Sport "Try a Sport" sessions

Premier Sport came in yesterday to give all those children not at the UEA the chance to try out a new sport. KS1 had the chance to do archery whilst KS2 played Ultimate Frisbee. Pupils really enjoyed the opportunity to try out some different sports and learn new skills. This event was funded by Sports Premium.

The cricket coach from "Norfolk Cricket" will come in again for the last two weeks of term, delivering some additional cricket sessions to Year 1 and 2 pupils. They have enjoyed the chance to learn cricket skills over the course of this term, again funded by Sports Premium.



Cluster Athletics

We were very proud of all our pupils (45 in total, from Reception to Year 6) who took part so well in the Cluster athletics competition which took place at the UEA yesterday, in very hot conditions. They all competed to the best of their ability and many of them returned with medals for finishing in the top three for their event. At the end of the morning we had won a significant number of events, particularly in the track disciplines, finishing just behind Freethorpe in the overall standings. Well done to all the competitors, for their sportsmanship, effort and behaviour throughout the whole event. Thanks, too, for the parental support and to all those who helped run events on the day.

Maths competition

We took a team of able mathematicians from Year 6 to take part in a county wide competition held at Langley school on Monday. Against strong opposition from a number of teams, including those from independent schools, our team of 4 (Thomas A, Jasmine, Lily and Kaydn) finished in 3rd place, having completed a number of rounds which tested a wide range of their mathematical skills. Well done to the whole team for all their efforts!

ATTENDANCE

Our target school attendance figure is

97%

Our current figure is... **96.16%**

Stone Age 'Roots' visit to Year 3 and 4

We had "Roots" come in to school last week to enhance our cross curricular project on The Stone Age. Pupils from Year 3 and 4 participated in lots of fun, practical activities all linked to their topic. They had opportunities to light their own fires, (getting sparks to light cotton wool), cook bread over a camp fire, taste herring, make stone age tools using branches and flints and create cave paintings, having first made their own pigments. It was a very exciting and engaging morning for the children, as you can tell from their comments about their favourite activities:

"Trying the fish was the best!" – Chloe B

"Cave painting, peeling the stick and getting messy." – Brody

"Rolling the bread." – Kyle

"Everything! But making the axes the most." – Logan

"Lighting the cotton bud" - Sophia



It's here!

Don't forget our Super School Fete and BBQ tonight 5 – 8pm!

The programmes were sent home with your youngest child yesterday, along with a list of the Auction Lots, please do have a look, think about your bid and if you are not able to attend send a bid with a friend!

Lots of lovely stalls: Tombolas, soccer challenge, lucky dip, welly throwing, coconut shie, hook-a-duck, lolly lotto.

Refreshments: BBQ, strawberries, cakes, ice creams, Beer tent, Pimms & Prosecco, soft drinks, tea & coffee. So you and your children can have your tea here!

Entertainment: The children will be performing their entries into the Cluster Song & Dance Festival, Country Dancing and Ray's Disco providing the compering and music.

Lots and lots of raffle prizes! You can buy more raffle tickets on the gate.

See you there!!

Transition for September

Our Year 6 pupils who will be going on to either Acle Academy or Flegg High will be having their transition days next Monday and Tuesday. We shall be having our own transition morning for pupils within our school on the second of those days, Tuesday 10th. Pupils will have the chance to spend time with their new teachers for the majority of that morning, with parents given the chance to meet their child's new teacher at the start of the day, whilst pupils are in a whole school assembly (between 9.05 and 9.30).

From September, the teaching structure for the school will be as follows:

Reception – Mrs Welch

Year 1 – Miss Lansdell

Year 2 – Mrs Tovell

Year 3 – Ms Margerum

Year 4 – Miss Bode

Year 5 – Mrs Hudson / Mrs Taylor

Year 6 – Mrs Lloyd / Miss Owen

Teaching assistants will be with their new classes on Tuesday morning too.

School reports and SATs results

Your child's school report will be sent out next Thursday. The report gives a written summary of the progress and achievement of your child over the course of the year, both in the core subjects of English and Maths and also in their cross curricular work (incorporating the foundation subjects). Pupils in Year 6 will get their report slightly earlier than everyone else as their SATs results will be available from Tuesday next week.

We first need to check that all results are accurate, then we will give each child in Year 6 the outcome of the test individually. The school report for Year 6 will contain the written test results and will hopefully be sent out that same day, next Wednesday.

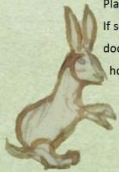
If, having read your child's report, you wish to talk through any particular issues with the class teacher, they will all be available on Monday July 16, between 3.30 and 4.30pm. Sign-up sheets will be put up from Thursday next week if you feel that you need to make an appointment.

Free Summer Holiday Children's Activities

Norfolk Record Office
2-3.30pm

Hare Today, Gone Tomorrow Thursday 2 August 2018

Planning on doing one of the GoGoHares trails taking place this summer? If so, visit us to have a look at some of the rabbits and hares included in documents at The Archive Centre, before creating a puppet rabbit to take home and one to go in our large-scale warren.



Get Ready for Battle! Friday 3 August 2018

Discover the rules of heraldry and consider what you would have on your own coat of arms, before using fabric paints to create your own tabard.



Life in a Castle Friday 10 August 2018

Explore medieval daily life with artefacts from Norwich Castle, then design and furnish your own mini-Great Hall to take home.



Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

Places must be booked on 01603 222599 or www.archives.norfolk.gov.uk/events



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Reminder

Please do not allow the children or younger siblings to play on the Outdoor Exercise Equipment or the Woodland Tower at the end of the day.

UPCOMING EVENTS

July

- Mon 9 Year 6 transition
- Tues 10 Whole school transition
Football club
- Fri 13 Sailing club
Dance club
- Mon 16 Defenders club

Please use the calendar on our school website
www.acleprimary.norfolk.sch.uk
for dates of events for 2018 and beyond

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