

7 February 2020

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**Don't forget: 4B's Cake Sale on Monday
at 3.30pm**



Poetry Festival

We were delighted with the high quality performances the children delivered, this week, at the Cluster Poetry festival. The performances ranged from individuals reading out their own compositions or poems they particularly liked, to whole class performances. Well done to every single pupil who took the time and effort to learn their poems and gain either a bronze, silver or gold certificate from the judges.

Here is one of the poems which had been written by a pupil, then performed (written by Kady and performed by her and Lily).

A moment of reflection

Life takes you on a journey
Love will always bring you home
Taking you to unexpected places
Even out of your comfort zone

Running through the wilderness
Breathing in the fresh air
Stopping and taking a moment
To appreciate what is there

A moment of reflection
I see the damage we have done
Tearing apart the forest
So many animals are now gone

As we are on our journey
We need to work together as one
To look after our planet
And right what we have done wrong

Kady and Lily



Safer
Internet
Day

Safer Internet Day takes place next week. The theme this year is about empowering young people to take control of their digital lives. The focus this year is on young people's online identity and asking young people to consider whether they and their peers are truly free to be themselves online.

Each class in school will cover one aspect of internet safety during the week ahead. We shall also be giving out some helpful pamphlets to parents next week about how to ensure that your child stays safe online.



Help with maths

If you are unsure how to help your child with their maths, we have a series of short videos on our website that show you, and your child, how each year group uses calculation methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. You can also read our calculation policy, which gives further written examples.

<http://www.acleprimary.norfolk.sch.uk/children/maths/>

ATTENDANCE

Our target school
attendance figure is
97%

Our current figure is...

96.44%

Non-uniform day

It is non-Uniform Day last day of half term **next Friday 14 February.**

In return for coming into school in non-uniform, please could your child bring in a donation of quality grocery items that will be used to make up hampers for the **FOSA FAMILY BINGO** hampers (in date until at least the end of April) as well as raffle prizes. Also, don't forget to come along to the Bingo on the **Saturday 7 March** at Acle Social Club, from 6.30pm for eyes down at 7pm. Children welcome. Many thanks **FOSA**

Reminders

- Water bottles for in the classroom should only contain water, not juice
- Any cash **MUST** be in a named envelope (reuse old envelopes are fine)
- Tuck must be paid for on the day purchased (25p or 50p per day), or alternatively you can pay in advance either weekly or half termly in cash (in a named envelope!) or online half termly.

Year 6/7 transition disco at Acle Academy

Year 6 children will have received a letter from the Academy about the disco on 12 February. Please note tickets are purchased **direct from Acle Academy** either from their school office, or on the night. The completed permission form should also be taken to the Academy **on the night.**



Dates for your diary

February

- Mon 10 Cake sale 4B
- Tue 11 Internet Safety Day
- Wed 12 'Faraday Kids' workshops Yr 5/6
Multisports club
- Fri 14 Non-uniform day
Cluster Rugby competition
'Happy Smiles' workshops

Break up for half term

Return to school Monday 24 February

March

- Sat 7 FOSA Bingo
- Tues 10 & Wed 11 Parents evenings

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