



Best News ...

Dear Parents/ Carers,

The Week Ahead

Mon.	4th	- Raspberry Pi Club Selected Yr 6 pupils	12.45 - 13.25
		Dance Club	School Hall 3.20 - 4.20pm
Tues.	5th	- Guitars am	
		No Korfball	
		Fashion Club	4P 3.15 - 4.15pm
Wed.	6th	- Guitars am	
		Keyboard lessons	Music Room
		Woodwind lessons pm	ICT Suite
		Skillforce- The Princes Trust	4.30pm finish
Thur.	7th	- No Korfball	
		Samba Club	
		NO Pottery Club	
		Drums PM	
		NO Yr 5&6 Girls football training	
Fri.	8th	- Young Voices Choir Practice	

Dates for Your Diary

Tuesday 12 th December	Christmas Lunch
Wednesday 13 th December	Lower School Performance 1.45 pm and 6pm (Ticket only entrance)
Thursday 14 th December	Lower School Performance 6pm (Ticket only entrance)
Friday 15 th December	School Disco
Tuesday 19 th December	Celebration assembly. Last day of term.
Wednesday 20 th December - Wednesday 3 rd January	School closed for Christmas Break
Thursday 4 th January	School open - Children return to school
Friday 26 th January	FOWWLS Bingo Night
1 st February 2018	Young Voices Concert O2 Arena London.

HOUSE POINT TOTALS!



Buckingham	(Green)	1	Total	- 27
Balmoral	(Blue)	4	Total	- 34
Sandringham	(Yellow)	2	Total	- 27
Windsor	(Red)	3	Total	- 19

Congratulations to Buckingham this week.

THE ATTENDANCE CUP



Was awarded to
3S

With attendance of 99.62%
For the week 20th - 24th November
2017



GOLDEN BOOK AWARD

Congratulations to the following pupils for providing us with 'WOW' moments and for being entered into our Golden Book;



*Marley Ward, Poppy Powell, Zack Pye, Jackson Darby and
All in Year 4, Set 3 English, Ellie Hipperson and Amber Denny.*

LOWER SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE



Cinderella
& **ROCKERFELLA**



The Lower School Christmas Performance is not far away...

The times of the performances will be as follows:

Wednesday 13th December: 1.45pm and 6pm

Thursday 14th December: 6pm

Tickets are available from your child's class teacher (first come first served).

We look forward to seeing you there!



Parent Group

Would you like a chance to share your experiences and hear about those of other parents? If so, Strength to Strength Parents is for you.

Parenting is the hardest job in the world and children don't come with a manual. However, you are the best person for the job and it is our experiences as parents which help us to learn.

We often talk about children learning something new every day - this is a chance for you to think about something new as well.

The Strength to Strength Parent Group brings parents together to share ideas and experiences whilst working through common issues. The group meets for a block of 6 weeks and will include issues such as; the importance of attention, praise and encouragement, tangible rewards and challenge charts, rules and boundaries and time out and consequences.

Strength to Strength Parent Group is a safe, relaxed and welcoming environment and refreshments are provided throughout.

The next course of meetings will be held at Lodge Lane Infant School between 11am and 1pm on the following dates:

December 8th and 15th
January 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th

If you would like to book a place please contact our school office and we can put you in touch with the group facilitator.



Icey and/or Snowy Weather



Many schools face difficulties as a result of adverse weather, particularly during periods of very low temperature and heavy snow. I am sure that you acknowledge that it is a difficult decision that sometimes has to be made as to whether to temporarily close the school for safety reasons and it is never a decision that is taken lightly.

In some circumstances closure is unavoidable, for example where there would not be enough staff on school sites to ensure pupil safety or the school site cannot be cleared sufficiently to be safe for all who attend the premises. We also have to take into account the travelling conditions and risk assess whether pupils, parents and staff can travel safely to and from school.

Information regarding whether White Woman Lane School is closed and a list of all schools which are closed can be found on the website www.schoolclosures.norfolk.gov.uk. As well as publishing the information on the web, Norfolk County Council will also highlight closures on our [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) channels, using the hashtag [#norfolkwinter](#).

In a situation where there has been snowfall and our school is open, pupils will only be allowed to play outside, at lunch and break times, if they have suitable clothing and footwear i.e. Wellingtons/snow boots and warm clothing and overcoats.



Asthma

If your child suffers with Asthma please ensure you have notified the school office. If they require medication for the treatment of Asthma symptoms please ensure they have appropriate medication(s) in school, at all times.

We encourage children to keep their clearly named, Asthma medication with them during the school day. However, we are very happy to keep spare medication in the school office. Again, this should be clearly named.

Please be aware that the school is currently unable to provide or administer emergency Asthma medication other than that prescribed for specific children.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

TALK HOMEWORK

Each week we send a Talk Homework activity home and we would be very grateful for your support.

We are trying to help all our children develop excellent speaking and listening skills, which in turn will help them with their writing. "If a child can't say a sentence then they can't write it either!"

Please spend at least 10 minutes talking with your child about the question below:

This week in singing assembly, the children have been singing 'You're the voice' by John Farnham. As well as being an 80s classic, the song has a very good message to it which is still very relevant today.

*We have the chance, to turn the pages over
We can write what we want to write
We gotta make ends meet, before we get much older
We're all someone's daughter
We're all someone's son
How long can we look at each other
Down the barrel of a gun?*

*You're the voice, try and understand it
Make a noise and make it clear
Oh-wo-wo-wo, oh-wo-wo-wo
We're not gonna sit in silence
We're not gonna live with fear
Oh-wo-wo-wo, oh-wo-wo-wo*

Can you explain what the lyrics mean?
What do you think the message of the song is?
Is it a hopeful message?

VOCABULARY NINJA!

Vocabulary is extremely important. It allows children to be able to make themselves understood, to understand others and to understand things that they read or hear.

Please ask your children about these words. Can they explain what they mean or use them in a sentence?

This Week's Words

Grasshopper	Shinobi
mistake	exquisite
smash	bonanza
smug	buffoon
dare	hoax
revenge	violate



 **@VocabularyNinja**

'Words unlock the doors to a world of understanding...'

Talk homework is set in Best News every Friday and will be discussed at school on Tuesday mornings.

Thank you for your support in helping your child.



STARS OF THE WEEK



Alesha Allen 3C

For always trying her best and listening carefully in lessons. Alesha worked hard to write fantastic instructions in Literacy - well done!

Archie Heyes 3C

For being a star during Maths week. Archie showed great enthusiasm and accuracy when weighing ingredients and was able to use money correctly in our Maths restaurant.

Harrison Stedman 3ST

For being thoroughly engaged during Maths week. Harrison showed great mathematical understanding and fantastic enthusiasm for each activity. As well as this, he worked brilliantly alongside others. Well done Harrison!

Scarlett Brooker 3ST

For showing an excellent attitude towards her learning and fantastic listening skills. As well as this, Scarlett has shown great kindness towards others this week. Keep it up Scarlett!

Lucy Howes 3S

For producing a really impressive diary entry. It was crammed full of great descriptive language. Well done.

Lola Bootyman 3S

For being such a kind, friendly and helpful member of 3S. Keep it up.

Reggie Day 4P

For being a kind and honest human being!

Jacob Bray 4P

For always being ready and willing to learn. A pleasure to teach!

Annabel Symonds 4P

For being an all-round excellent member of 4P!

James Hunt 4S

For demonstrating great determination when swimming.

Daisy Davis-Murphy 4S

For great effort when learning about poetry in literacy.

Kayleigh Lucas 5D

For impressive efforts in English this week, Kayleigh has really engaged in the lessons - well done!

Spencer Thompson 5D

For always being ready to provide great ideas to our class discussions in English - well done!

Grace Friend 5R

For having a great week of focus and effort in learning new multiplication strategies - keep it up, Grace!

Henry Mann 5R

For impressive efforts in tackling the long multiplication method with 2 by 2 digits - keep it up!

Jake Gotts 6Q

Jake has worked hard to understand the Lattice Method for Multiplication.

Leo Parsons-Finch 6Q

Leo always keeps an immaculate, up to date reading diary. Well done.

POPPY APPEAL

Thank you very much for helping
with our Appeal.

£ 43-25
was collected by you.

Without your help, we would be unable to
continue our vital welfare and benevolent work.

Yours sincerely



Local Honorary Organiser

District Total (if available) £

Registered Charity No. 219279

