



Best News ...


Dear Parents/ Carer,

The Week Ahead		
Mon. 8 th	- Year 6 SATs Week Dancing Yrs 5&6 Tag Rugby	School Hall 3.20 - 4.20pm Lunchtime (before second sitting)
Tues. 9 th	- Guitars Yr 4 Korfball Drums Irish Dancing KTROO Jumping Club	am in the Library Lunchtime (before second sitting) pm in the mobile School Hall 3.15 - 4.15pm 3.20 - 4.20pm
Wed. 10 th	- Guitars Skillforce - The Princes Trust Keyboard lessons Woodwind lessons Instrumental Concert	am in the Library 4.30pm finish pm Music Room pm ICT Suite 6.30pm @WWL
Thur. 11 th	- Yr 5&6 Korfball Samba Club Drums	Lunchtime (before second sitting) pm School Hall pm Mobile
Fri. 12 th	- Year 4 Tennis Club	

Dates for Your Diary (NB * indicates date change!)

Fri. 26 th May	Year 3 Stone Age Day
W/c 29 th May	Half Term Break
Friday 9 th June	School Disco
Mon 12 th - Fri. 16 th June	Year 6 Whitlingham Week
Mon 3 rd - Wed 5 th July	City Sports
w/b Mon. 10 th July	Assertive Mentoring Meetings
*Fri. 14 th July	FOWWLS BBQ
Wed. 19 th July	Upper School Performance
Fri 21 st July	Celebration Assembly


HOUSE POINTS



Buckingham	(Green)	216	Total - 68
Balmoral	(Blue)	124	Total - 60
Sandringham	(Yellow)	115	Total - 42
Windsor	(Red)	151	Total - 55

Congratulations to Buckingham this week!

THE ATTENDANCE CUP



Was awarded to
3S, 3ST, 5C and 6H
 With attendance of 100%
 For the week
 24th - 28th April 2017



GOLDEN BOOK AWARD



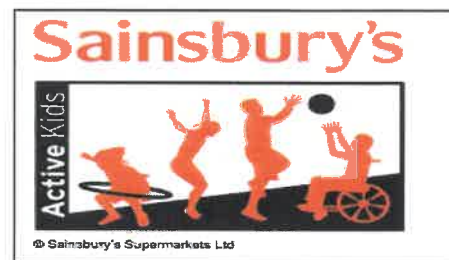
Congratulations to the following pupils for providing us with 'WOW' moments and for being entered into our Golden Book;

Thomas Sartain, Jack Oakley, Martha Schofield, Liam Barnes, Owen Gibbs, Evie Munday, George Potter, Brianne Turley, Ronnie Sonkoue and Ahmed Arkawazi

Active Kids Vouchers

Rally the community, every voucher counts

Active Kids vouchers can no longer be collected from Sainsbury's, BUT they can still be donated to our School until 30 June. Remember, every voucher counts towards brand new sports equipment, and experiences.



Get the kids to look in the car, on the fridge, under the sofa and in every old shopping bag for any missing vouchers!

A collection box is situated in the reception area. For more information please see: activekids.sainsburys.co.uk

Good luck with the voucher hunt.

GOGO Hares!

We were extremely honoured that our school was chosen to help with the launch of the 2018 GoGo trail in Norwich this week. The organisers of this week's event have been in contact to say: 'it was a real pleasure to be working with our staff and pupils and we just wanted to say a huge thank you to staff and pupils for today's big launch of GoGoCreate'.

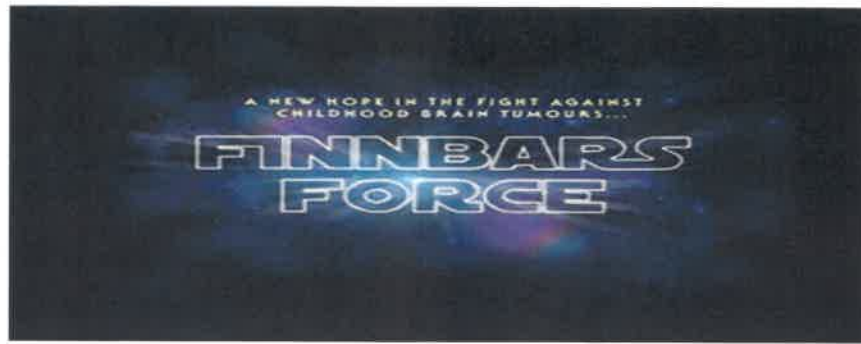
Some of you may have seen the fantastic article in the EDP. If you missed it then you can take a look at the following link:

<http://www.edp24.co.uk/news/colourful-characters-hop-into-norwich-school-to-launch-gogohares-learning-programme-1-5003917>

The trail is set for next year and will mark 50 years of fundraising by the charity 'Break', which it has supported with each of the GoGo trails. You can see more information about the trail at:

<http://www.gogohares.co.uk/>





On Thursday this week we had a dress up day to raise money for the charity Finnbar's Force.

£156.60 together we raised!





STAR WARS DAY
MAY THE 4TH
BE WITH YOU



Travelling Book Fair visit to WWLS

From the week beginning Monday 15th May, “The Travelling Books Company” will be delivering a range of fantastic children’s books for each class to view and purchase. You can look at the range at www.travellingbooks.co.uk.

Please view the leaflet your child has brought home with them as there is also a ‘3 for 2’ offer. We also gain chances to buy new books for the school with each purchase that is made.

Parents can buy “Pre-paid vouchers” online for their children to spend at the Book Fair. Please go to: www.travellingbooks.co.uk/parents

Some vouchers are to be won in school for impressive reading diaries in classes across the school!

The fair will take place between Monday 15th and Thursday 19th May between 3:30 and 4:00. Children will also be able to view the books in their classes at a time during the school day.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Polite Notice's

Vehicle entrance to school.

Could all parents/carers please ensure that they and any children that are with them stand well clear of the vehicle entrance to school both before and at the end of the school day so that any vehicles manoeuvring in and out of the entrance can do so safely and with a clear view.

Old five pound notes!

Please note that from Saturday 6th May the old, paper five pound notes will no longer be accepted as tender. You will be able to exchange any you may still have at Bank's and Post Offices.

Thank you for your attention to these matters.

YEAR 6 TEST WEEK

You are no doubt aware that Year 6 children will be sitting end of year tests in English and Maths next week. We can confidently state that all pupils are fully prepared and shouldn't find the experience too stressful. The following points are for your consideration:

- Attendance at all tests is crucial; your child cannot get a subject level if s/he misses part of it.
- All tests are in the morning, so a good night's sleep and a sustaining breakfast are also very important. Please encourage your child to eat plenty of breakfast and drink lots of fluids so his or her brain is well nourished and is ready to think and work.



The timetable below illustrates the day, time and duration of the test papers during the week commencing 8th May. The children and staff have worked hard, the children are prepared and have seen their skills and abilities improve throughout the year. All we ask of them is that they do their best – nobody can ask for more than that! Good luck everyone!



End of KS2 Tests will be held in the week beginning 8th May 2016. The tests will follow this timetable:

Date	Levels 3 – 5 and Level 6 test
Monday 8 th May	Reading Test
Tuesday 9 th May	Grammar Punctuation and Spelling Paper 1: English Grammar and Punctuation test Paper 2: Spelling test
Wednesday 10 th May	Mathematics Paper 1: Arithmetic Mathematics Paper 2: Reasoning
Thursday 11 th May	Mathematics Paper 3: Reasoning



YEAR 6 PUPILS ONLY

Year 6 pupils are invited to attend our breakfast club sessions in preparation for their tests. Breakfast will start at 8.20 until 8.40am. The pupils will have the opportunity to discuss any concerns they may have during this time and enjoy being with their friends as they prepare for the day. There is no cost involved – the breakfast is free!



TOP TIPS FOR TESTS OR SURVIVAL STRATEGIES FOR TESTS

- **Sleeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeep!**

Going to bed late makes you dozy. Dozy pupils find tests extra difficult because they keep nodding off—and the snoring is very irritating for other pupils! For the week or two before your SATs, go to bed**BEFORE YOUR PARENTS!!!**



- **Eat!**

Everyone thought Granny was daft when she said some foods were good for the brain. Well, don't tell anyone, but she was right. (Shhhh!)

Breakfast is especially good for the brain - cereal and a banana won't need much chewing - go on, you can do it!

- **Fresh air!**

If you are allowed to walk to school, do it. Go out at playtime and have a run around. Silly fact: Filling your brain with air makes it work better!



- **Water.**

You know what happens to a pot plant when it's not watered, don't you? Well, if you don't keep your liquid levels up, you will get all floppy and limp too! Get into the habit of sipping water throughout the day. Water helps to keep you alert and bright. But ... don't wait until SAT's week to start drinking more water as your body will not be used to it and . . . well . . . let's just say you'll know the route to the school like the back of your hand!

SCHOLASTIC

This is a fantastic way to contribute to reading resources in school.

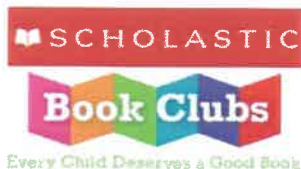
Your child has recently been given the latest Scholastic leaflet. It is packed full of books which would be great as reads.

If you would like to place an order please make cheques payable to 'SCHOLASTIC' only. Place orders in an envelope marked Scholastic Books and your child's name and class.

Alternatively orders can be placed online and delivered free to school by visiting: <http://clubs-school.scholastic.co.uk/white-woman-lane>

Orders will close on **Monday 8th May** when the complete order will be placed. Books should be with you before half term. Remember 20p in every £1 spent by you comes back to us in free books.

Thank you for all your support.



TALK HOMEWORK & 'WOW' WORDS

Each week we send a Talk Homework activity and 'Wow' Words 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 questions below;

What is your Favourite Book and why? Reading is as popular as ever! Last year was a record year for book publishers in the UK, and children's books are selling especially well. They sold 16% more last year, and the biggest seller was Harry Potter and the Cursed Child. Do you prefer fiction or non-fiction? Poetry or plays? Newspapers or magazines? Fact books or joke books? Find out what your family members prefer too – are their choices the same as yours or different? Find out and feedback to your class!



In Big Talk, we use 'WOW' Words to improve our vocabulary and 'big up' our sentences to make them more interesting. Our 'WOW' Word this week is;



Literature

(written works, writings, creative writing, literary texts, compositions, letters, printed works, published works.)

Please encourage your child to use this word, in the right context, as much as possible.

Thank you for your support in helping your child.

 **STARS OF THE WEEK** 

James Hunt 3C

For thinking of some very creative ideas in Extended Writing. Well done!

Keiran Clark 3C

For an amazing improvement in his reading and spelling. What a star!

George Green 3ST

For excellent attendance, brilliant effort in lessons and a fantastic attitude towards his Maths tests. Well done!

Billy Wigger 3ST

For a great improvement in effort in Literacy lessons and for contributing excellent ideas in lessons. Keep it up!

Summer-Jo Myers 3S

For producing some fabulous stories that have really entertained our class.

Mason Curtis 3S

For working very hard in lessons all week. You've really impressed me with your positive attitude.

Tyler Rudd 4G

For excellent technique in the long jump

Amelia Laws 4G

For excellent technique in the long jump

Tallulah Brickley 4S

For making an imaginative chair design in Art.

Daniel Gaskin 4S

For doing his best in a practice test, enabling him to achieve an impressive score.

Ruby Harris 5J

For boosting her reading each week and consistently handing in a perfect reading diary.

Madison Marshall-Nichols 5J

For being a supportive classmate and stepping in to help another child in literacy without being asked.

Kimberly Clarke-Banham 5R

For achieving a really improved score on her practice reading test this week - a testament to your hard work and effort!

Tommy Davis-Murphy 5R

For a much-improved score in your reading practice test this week, so great to see and proof that you can do it!!

Chloe Warner 6H

For being super helpful this week offering to do classroom jobs.

Imogen De Jong 6H

For a steady improvement in her scores on the maths calculations practice booklets.

Eve Bailey 6S

For doing superstar reading over half term, well done!

Natasha Bew 6S

For doing superstar reading over half term, well done!

Scarlett Smith 6S

For always having a full and detailed reading diary, well done!

Lily Beer 6Q

Lily always works hard in every lesson and making more of an effort to contribute verbally.

Joshua Ikins 6Q

Joshua has impressed this week with his general understanding of SPAG rules.

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CLASS TIMETABLE



DAY	SCHOOL	CLASS	TIME
MONDAY	Drayton Junior School	Beginner	17.00 - 19.30
	Heartsease Primary Academy	Beginner	17.00 - 19.00
	Colman Junior School	Beginner/Swim Ability	16.30 - 19.30
	City Academy	Beginner	16.30 - 18.30
TUESDAY	City Academy	Beginner	16.30 - 18.00
	City Academy	Adults	18.00 - 20.00
	Town Close	Improver/Swim Active	18.00 - 21.15
	Hethersett Junior School	Beginner	16.30 - 19.00
	Taverham School	Improver	18.00 - 19.30
	Colman Junior School	Beginner	17.00 - 19.00
WEDNESDAY	Colman Junior School	Beginner	16.30 - 19.00
	Drayton Junior School	Beginner	17.00 - 19.00
	Heartsease Primary Academy	Beginner	16.30 - 18.30
	Recreation Road Infant School	Beginner	15.30 - 17.30
THURSDAY	Recreation Road Infant School	Beginner	15.30 - 17.30
	Sprowston High School	Beginner/Improver	16.30 - 19.45
	Drayton Junior School	Beginner	17.00 - 19.00
	Long Stratton	Baby Penguins/Beginner/Improver	16.00 - 17.30
	Long Stratton	AquaFit/Adult Lessons	19.00 - 21.00
FRIDAY	Colman Junior School	Beginner	17.30 - 19.30
	Drayton Junior School	Beginner	17.00 - 18.30
	City Academy	Beginner	16.30 - 18.00
	Heartsease Primary Academy	Beginner	17.00 - 19.00
	Town Close	Improver/Swim Active	18.00 - 21.15
SATURDAY	City Academy	Beginner	09.00 - 11.30
	Thorpe High School	Beginner/Improver/Swim Active	08.00 - 12.30
	Colman Junior School	Beginner	08.30 - 10.00
	Colman Junior School	Parent and Child	10.00 - 12.00
	Hethersett Junior School	Beginner	09.00 - 11.30
	Hellesdon High School	Beginner/Improver	08.00 - 11.00
	Long Stratton	Beginner/Improver	08.30 - 12.30
SUNDAY	Colman Junior School	Beginner	08.30 - 11.30
	Norwich High School Girls	Improver	09.00 - 10.30

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