

Aslacton Primary School Newsletter

Thursday 19th October 2017

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Children in Need

Children In Need is being held on Friday 17th November. To support this worthwhile cause we would like the children to come to school dressed in their pyjamas in return for a donation to the charity of £1.

Aslacton tea towel

Your child has brought home a flier showing how to order an Aslacton Primary School tea towel. Money raised from these goes to support the children in the school. If you would like to see an example of the tea towels, one is available in the school office.

Parent Helpers

Do you have a skill or enthusiasm which you would like to share with the school? Do you have time to spare when you could hear readers? We are always grateful for support from parents and if you would like to help, please leave your details with the school office and we will contact you.

Aslacton Small Holding

Owl class enjoyed a lovely walk to the Aslacton small holding yesterday. The rain held off and the children were able to explore the orchards and vegetable plots, as well as meeting the sheep and goats. It was a wonderful opportunity to find out more about autumn plants and flowers, and support our work in class about harvest. We would like to thank Mrs Robinson for her time and kindness when showing us around.

Cluster Cross Country Event

On Tuesday morning, children from years 3,4, 5 and 6 took part in the cluster cross country event at Long Stratton High School. The children were an absolute credit to our school and should be very proud of how well they performed. A special well done to George, Maisie and Lily-Leigh who have all qualified for the next round of the event.

Dog's Trust

The children enjoyed a very informative presentation from Jo from the Dog's Trust yesterday, finding out more about how to be safe around dogs.

The dog trust came to visit us and we were told how to be safe around dogs. I liked the game of dog activity charades. By William in Eagle class.

School Photographs

Please could parents return school photograph orders to the school office by Monday 30th October.

New School Website

We will be launching our new website on the 30th October 2017.

The address is: aslacton.corvuseducation.com

Changes to Dinner Menu

Please note that Norse Catering have changed the dinner menu for Thursday 2nd November to celebrate Guy Fawkes night.

Local Pork Sausage in a roll with fried onions

Or

Quorn sausage in a roll with fried onions
1/2 jacket potato and baked beans

Iced Ginger Parkin

Starting School in September 2018

If you have a child who will be five between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019 your child could start school full-time in September 2018 and you should apply to Norfolk County Council by 15th January 2018. It is important that you apply for a school place for your child, even if your child currently attends a nursery or you have an older child already at school.

Application forms can be obtained from Norfolk County Council Customer Service Centre on 0344 800 8020. Email: admissions@norfolk.gov.uk or apply on line www.admissionsonline.norfolk.gov.uk website open until 15th January 2018.

Half Term

School breaks up today for the half term holiday, and re-opens on Monday 30th October. We wish everyone a happy and relaxing holiday.

New Parents Open Afternoon

On Tuesday 21st November we are holding an Open Afternoon for prospective new parents. Parents of children due to start school next September are welcome to come and have a look around at 2:00 p.m.

Family Bingo

Friends of Aslacton School would like you to come enjoy a game of Bingo! A family afternoon with a tuck shop and a raffle and just 5 cards for £2. A fun time for all. The date for your diary is Friday 3rd November, 3:15pm to 5:00pm in the School Hall. All funds raised will go towards enriching the learning environment for our children.

Birthday Assembly

Any pupils with birthdays on the 27th October will be celebrated on the 3rd November 2017.

Attendance

We are aiming for 100% attendance in school. The class attendance for this week has been:
Owl Class 97% Kestrel Class 95% Eagle Class 92%

Dates for your Diaries

Tuesday 31st October No Film or Football Clubs
Friday 3rd November Art Club commences
Friday 3rd November Family Bingo
Tuesday 7th November No Film or Football Club
Tuesday 21st November Prospective parents visit