



Aslacton Primary School - Newsletter Friday 9th February 2018

LSHS Y6 Languages Day

On Tuesday 6th February Year Six took part in a Languages Day at Long Stratton High School.

It was a fun experience. We had lots of fun. It helped us to learn about languages. It was a good experience of what we would do at High School. From Year 6

Eagle Class Maths Games Session—change of date

Eagle class would like to invite their parents/ carers to a maths games session on Thursday 22nd February at 9:00am (please note the change of date.) During this session you will learn some of the games that they play in class, and learn some maths games to play at home to support their learning.

Parents Evening

We will be holding our parents evenings this term on Wednesday 28th February and Thursday 1st March from 3:30pm-6:00pm. This is a great opportunity to talk to your child's class teacher about their progress and attitude to learning. Appointments last for ten minutes. You will be able to sign up for an appointment in the school office from 1pm on Monday 19th February. Alternatively you can email or ring to arrange a time. We look forward to seeing you.

Pupil Survey

We recently carried out a survey with the children to find out their views on our school. The responses we received were very positive. A very large majority of children knew who to talk to if they had a problem. The children felt that they always try their best in school, however one or two children said they did not know how to improve their work and we will work on this over the coming weeks. Almost all the children said they know how to behave in school and they feel that there are lots of opportunities to be active in school. We always listen carefully to what our children tell us, and they have a voice through the surveys, School Council and our Children's Voice groups.

Parking

We would like to remind all parents that they should park with consideration for local residents when dropping off and collecting their children. Please do not park on grass verges or block access to properties. Please also ensure that children use the path to the pedestrian gate rather than walking through the car park in order to keep them safe.

Upcoming Dates:

Eagles maths games session—

Thursday 22nd February
9:00am

World Book Day—Thursday 1st
March

Parents Evening—Wednesday
28th February and Thursday
1st March

Science Week— week
beginning Monday 12th March

Attendance:

We are aiming for 100% attendance in school. The class attendance for this week has been:

Owl 99%

Kestrel 95%

Eagle 95%

SMILE: We aspire to unlock the full potential of every pupil by Stimulating, Motivating, Inspiring Learning and Enjoyment

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Art Club

Mrs Mundford will be running an Art club next half term. This will be on a Thursday and will commence Thursday 22nd February to 22nd March. If your child is interested please sign the registration form on Mrs Mundfords classroom door. There will only be 15 spaces available.

Zumba Club

We will be running a Zumba club next term. This will be on a Monday and will commence on Monday 26th February. If your child is interested please register your interest with the office.

Animations

Owl Class welcomed parents in to their class to watch their Lost and Found stop motion animations this afternoon. Thank you very much to all who attended and well done to the children for their amazing work.

African Drumming Workshop

The whole school really enjoyed taking part in a djembe drumming workshop on Thursday afternoon. It was run by Dan Mothers from The Norfolk Music Service. The children had a great time learning about the different djembe beats and copying drum patterns.

I liked making a loud bang on the drum—Laurie

I liked how we had to hold the drum with our legs—Lexie

My best thing was when we played Simon Says— Sophie

It was very good—Alfie

Core Stories

After half term, the children will begin work on their new core stories. The core story forms the basis of the learning they will be doing over the half term. Owl class will be reading "Lila and the Secret of the Rain" by David Conway. Kestrel class will be reading "The True Story of the Three Little Pigs" by Jon Scieszka, and Eagle class will be reading "Stig of the Dump" by Clive King. We are very much looking forward to sharing these books with the children.

Cake Friday

Congratulations to Olivia this weeks winner of the Cake Friday raffle.

Head Teacher's Award

Well done to:

Jonty in Owl Class for his super reading and maths work this week.

Lea in Kestrel Class for making a great effort to learn how to tell the time.

Hayden in Eagle Class for working so hard in maths this week.

After School Clubs

STEM club will restart after half term on Thursday 8th March.

Food & Cookery will restart on Monday 19th February.

Art club will restart on Thursday 22nd February.

Zumba club will commence Monday 26th February.

There will be no skipping club next term.

Community Event



Pancake Races at Carleton Rode Village Hall on Tuesday 13th February 11am—1pm.

Entry £1 per child (to include two pancakes). Extra pancakes and refreshments available to purchase.

All proceeds to the Carleton Rode Church Lent Fund.

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