



Aslacton Primary School - Newsletter Friday 29th April 2022

This week at Aslacton

Eagles have been estimating, measuring, and drawing angles in maths. We have been calculating missing angles across 90, 180 and 360 degrees. In English, we have studied a Caribbean glossary, learning new phrases and topic words. The children have created their own computer-based glossary posters. In R.E, we have started a unit on Peace, defining what peace means to us. In art, eagles have started designing a posy for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee, thinking carefully about the significance of certain flower types. Year 6 have continued to work very hard in SATs revision sessions-great work! This week in English, Kestrels have practised extending their sentences by using conjunctions and expanded noun phrases. In maths, we have started learning about fractions by looking at the whole, how many parts it is divided into and how many parts are shaded. In our computing lessons, we have evaluated our animations from last half term and have started our new topic on branching databases. Owls have planted a container garden, written instructions for how to make one, learned about the parts of a plant and set up many experiments to see what affects plant growth. We have explored time in maths.

Message from Mrs Haines

Our Year 6 children visited Long Stratton High School this week, and shortly afterwards a representative of the High School called me and thanked them for their participation, on point questions and behaviours. I could not have been more proud in that moment. I watched them as they walked out of my assembly this morning, they are all growing up so fast but with such mature skills and attitudes towards learning and life. I know they will do well in their High School phase. Also this week our Year 2 children have had Road Safety training this week and have learnt some vital life skills about keeping and staying safe. They again showed excellent attitudes and behaviours whilst out in the village. Well done everyone.

I hope you all have a great bank holiday weekend.

Dates for your diary:

Bank Holiday –school closed
Monday 2nd May

Owl Learning Café
Thursday 5th May 9am in the hall see page 2 for more information.

Year 6 SAT week
Monday 9th-Thursday 12th May to include SATs breakfasts from 8.30. See page 2

Platinum Jubilee Street Party Lunch
Save the date! Friday 27th May. More details to follow.

The Friends of Aslacton had a very productive meeting this week. We would like to remind everyone that the Friends is open to all parents (and staff) of the school and everyone is welcome. If you would like more information please speak to Mrs Leggett (Chair) or Mrs Allin-Baker (Sec) or anyone else on the committee. We are a friendly group who work to raise extra funding for the children at the school.

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SATs breakfasts

Miss Knight would like to invite **all the Year 6 children** to a SATs breakfast session, every day, at 8.30am on the week of 9th May. Come in early and share a croissant, hot chocolate, and juice to power start the day! We will discuss the morning ahead, key strategies for the paper of the day, and create positive mindset attitudes. Please come along! Children who attend breakfast club will be able to join these sessions at 8.30am and should go to breakfast club as normal at 8am.

Owl Class Learning Café

Parents of Owl class children are invited to join us for a learning café on Thursday 5th May at 9am in the hall. This is an hour long session where you will learn alongside your child and complete some fun activities. Kestrel and Eagle will have cafés later in the year. Please drop your child at the classroom and then wait outside the hall doors.

Speed Limit outside the school

Please can we remind you that the speed **limit outside the school is 30mph**. As a school we are all in agreement that this is too fast for outside a school and we are looking at how we go about requesting this to be reduced. Please can we ask that you are especially mindful of your speed due to the number of parked cars and moving children when travelling down the road at school drop off and pick up.

Class DoJo

We have been alerted to the fact that when you go to sign up to Dojo a page appears about payment, please ignore this, you do not need the paid version of the app.

Cake Friday The cake was won by Lea.



House Points Here is how it stands at the end of this week.

	Holkham	Winterton	Brancaster	Mundesley
This week:	95	87	77	97
This term so far:	148	186	185	190



We will be learning about and celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in the week before half term.

We will share more information over the next couple of weeks including details of our street party on 27th May.

On 27th May we would like to invite the children to come to school dressed in 1950s style or red, white and blue clothes. No football kits please as this is a party event. Please remember that the children must be able to take part in all the usual school day activities. Please ensure their footwear is safe and suitable for a school day.

Headteacher's Award

Owl: Gracie for her perseverance and for her fantastic maths.

Kestrel: Ellie B for her fantastic reading and sound knowledge with Mrs Tyler.

Eagle: Reuben for a mature and helpful attitude in the classroom, always demonstrating independence and initiative.

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Little Tractors Forncett Playgroup

B I N G O

Saturday 14th May, 1-5

Forncett Village Hall

NR16 1JG

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tickets from Amy Humphreys
trustee3littletractors@gmail.com
Adults £4 Children (under 12) £2
non-ticket holders also welcome

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FOOD & DRINK AVAILABLE

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