# Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May

Newsletter

## **Diary Dates**

#### Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May

Year 6 residential to London – leave at 7.30am Year 2 to spend the day at Mill Lane site Keyboard/piano lessons at Mill Lane

#### Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May

Year 6 residential to London Year 2 to spend the day at Mill Lane site Music lessons at Holt Road How Hill parent drop in at Holt Road – 2.30pm

#### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May

Year 6 residential to London – due to return at 4.30pm Year 2 to spend the day at Mill Lane site Drum lessons at Mill Lane

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May** Parent Reading – 8.45am – 8.55am – Year R, 1&2

#### House Points this week :

1<sup>st</sup>: Holkham 2<sup>nd</sup>: Felbrigg 3<sup>rd</sup>: Blickling 4<sup>th</sup>: Sandringham

## House Point totals so far this year:



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4<sup>th</sup>: Felbrigg - 55

#### Attendance Award

Well done to Angelo class who have had 97.99% attendance this week!

#### **Celebration Certificates**

Zak Fenwick, Cameron Bish, Hayden Chapman, Jenna Feaks, Douglas Crampton, Charles Daniels, Shayla Fulcher, Jamie Betts, Lola Jappy, Max Tucker, Jamie Sutton, Laidodou Jobarteh, Haydn Cursons, Harry Betts, Mia Kirby, Kyle Knights, Reggy King and Molly Hughes.

## Just a note.....

#### Staffing update:

Just to let parents of Zagazoo class know that Mrs Andrews will be away next week so Miss Anderson will be teaching the class during the mornings and Miss Wilson in the afternoons. We are looking forward to welcoming the Year 2s up at our Mill Lane site on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday while some of the Year 6 children are on their residential in London.

#### Slapped cheek:

Slapped cheek syndrome is a viral infection that's most common in children. It usually causes a bright red rash on the cheeks. Although the rash can look alarming, slapped cheek syndrome is normally a mild infection that clears up by itself in one to three weeks. Once you've had the infection, you're usually immune to it for life. We have had some cases of slapped cheek in school at our Holt Road site recently. Please follow the link below to the NHS website for information which may help you if you think your child is infected. Unless your child is feeling unwell there's no need for them to stay away from school once the rash has developed, as the infection is no longer contagious at this point. http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/slapped-cheek-syndrome/Pages/Introduction.aspx

#### Toys:

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Please can we remind parents that the children should not be bringing toys into school. We have had an influx of gadgets and gizmos being brought in which are disrupting lessons and causing problems. If you have any questions about this please see your child's class teacher.

## EACH (East Anglia's Children's Hospices) Calendar Art Competition:

Please see the attached flyer (via email/website) which explains more about this competition. If your child would like to take part they need to create a piece of artwork based around one of their favourite memories. Artwork can be drawn, painted, glued, chalked and glittered. All entries must be on a single-sided A4 sheet of paper and parents must complete the entry and consent form (also attached via email/website). School must send off all entries by Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June so we will set a deadline for entries to be in school by Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June. Winners will have their design shown as one of the months in the EACH calendar and receive a goody bag and certificate.

After school clubs' noticeboard All clubs run until 4pm at Holt Road and 4.20pm at Mill Lane		
Day	Holt Road	Mill Lane
Monday		
Tuesday	Board games – with Mr Williams Olympics – with Miss Mooney	Recorders – (lunchtimes) with Miss Blyth
Wednesday		Singing club with Miss Starling NO FORMULA GOBLIN CLUB Dance Club – with Cat
Thursday	World Art - with Mrs Gulley	NO CLUBS TODAY AS STAFF HAVE TRAINING
Friday		Match Attack (lunchtimes) with Mr Endall

## **Church News**

Our new theme for Collective Worship this half term is Forgiveness. Reverend Margaret visited us during the first week of this term to introduce the value to the children through an assembly on both sites. We have been exploring this theme throughout the last few weeks.

### Open the Book

Today the children heard the story from 2 Kings 11-12. This tells of the evil Queen Athaliah who wanted to kill the king's children so that she could remain queen. Prince Joash, one of the King's sons was saved and

hidden in a temple. He grew up learning to play quietly and laugh softly so he wasn't found. Queen Athaliah never went to the temple because she wasn't interested in worshipping God or following His laws. She was just interested in doing evil. One day, Prince Joash's uncle, a priest, came to see him. He explained that he would crown Joash as the true king of Judah. This happened, and three platoons of soldiers guarded the temple to protect King Joash. Queen Athaliah couldn't get through the barrier of soldiers and was defeated. Her evil rule had come to an end. King Joash would follow God's laws and be a good king.

We thought about how Prince Joash had to be hidden as a child to be kept safe and we prayed about children all around the world to ask God to help to keep them safe from harm.

## **PTA News**

#### **PTA Meeting**

Our next PTA meeting is on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May at 6.45pm at Mill Lane. We will be discussing the Summer Fayre so all parents/carers are welcome!

#### Ladies Night 80s disco

It's finally here! This Saturday we will be holding our first Ladies' 80s night at Horsford Village Hall. Tickets are still available through Chloe and Cassie Green or on the door on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May.



#### **Summer Fayre**

Keep Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July free as it is our annual summer fayre. If you would like to have a stall at the event please contact Sue Smith via the email address below. We are asking for £15 a stall together with a small donation for the raffle. We will be having a performance ring and already have TKF karate and some gymnasts on the bill. If you have any other ideas for performers please contact Sue. There will also be pony rides and bouncy castles etc for the children to enjoy throughout the day.

If you are able to offer help to the PTA please contact our chair Sue Smith via email at <u>horsfordprimarypta@gmail.com</u> or the office at <u>office@horsford.norfolk.sch.uk</u>



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