# Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

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### **Diary Dates**

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June Keyboard/piano lessons at Mill Lane

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June** SEN Parent Drop In – 8.30-10am at Holt Road – please note change of day! Music lessons at Holt Road 4pm - Nebula Showcase at Hellesdon High

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June Drum lessons at Mill Lane

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June** 2.30pm - Nebula Film Festival at The Forum

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June Parent Reading – 8.45am – 8.55am – YR, 1&2

#### SEE BELOW FOR CHANGE TO PREVIOUSLY SET DATES:

**Year 2 performances** – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July – 9.30am and 2pm – Parents invited

**Year 6 Church Leavers' Service** – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July – 11am – Parents invited

#### After school clubs' noticeboard All clubs run until 4pm at Holt Road and 4.20pm at Mill Lane

Day	Holt Road	Mill Lane
Monday	Mathletics - lunchtimes	
Tuesday	Tennis – with Miss Mooney Musicals – with Mrs Andrews	Recorders – (lunchtimes) with Miss Blyth
Wednesday		Dance Club – with Cat Formula Goblin Club with Mr Patient and Miss Blyth
Thursday	World Art – with Mrs Gulley	Korfball Club with Miss Greenwood Singing Club with Miss Starling
Friday		

## Upcoming events.....

#### Nebula Showcase – Tuesday 27th June

On Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June our Year 1 and Year 6 pupils, along with children from our Dance and Singing Clubs at Mill Lane will be taking part in our annual Nebula Showcase event at Hellesdon High School. We have hired the venue as it has a wonderful stage area with enough space for parents from all the Nebula schools to come and watch the children perform and "showcase" their talents in a range of fields. If you have received a letter asking for your permission for your child to take part, we hope you will also be able to be part of the audience for this exciting event. We look forward to seeing some of you there!

#### Nebula Film Festival – Thursday 29th June

Some of our Year 6 pupils recently took on the challenge to create their own short film to highlight the impact of social media on young people today. On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June they will join children from the other Nebula schools to talk about and show their films. We hope those parents invited will be able to join us in the audience for this unique event.

#### Multiskills Event – Wednesday 5th July

Our Reception children will be taking part in a multiskills event at Hellesdon High school on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July. This gives the children the chance to experience a range of different sports alongside children from the Hellesdon Cluster of schools. We hope they have a great time.

#### Transition Days – Monday 10<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July

Year 6 pupils moving to Taverham High will spend the afternoon of Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July and all day on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July at the school. Year 6 pupils moving to Hellesdon will spend Monday 10<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July at their new school. On these two days all of our current pupils will move up to their new year group and teacher. We will be sending a letter out nearer the time with more details about September 2017.

#### Music Concerts – Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th July

We are really looking forward to celebrating the musical talents of our children at our annual music concerts this year. The Year 2 concert is at 9.15am on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July and will be held at Mill Lane as this is one of their transition days. Our Year 3-6 concert is at 6.30pm on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July. All parents are welcome at both events.

#### Online Safety Evening – Tuesday 11th July

Please see the attached flyer with this week's newsletter which invites all of our parents to an online safety evening at White Woman Lane School on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6.30pm. Due to the nature of the content discussed at this evening, this event is for over 18s only.

#### Y6 Online safety conference/workshop – Wednesday 12th July

Our Year 6 pupils will be taking part in an online safety conference/workshop at White Woman Lane school on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July. This is linked to the work the Nebula schools have been doing with The Breck Foundation.

#### Y1 and Y5 Skillforce Presentation Ceremonies – Wednesday 12th July

Some of our Year 1 and all of our Year 5 pupils have taken part in the Junior Prince's Skillforce Award this year and will be collecting their certificates during a presentation ceremony on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July. Parents of these children should have received a letter inviting them to the ceremony to see their child collect their certificate. There are specific time and venue details for each child's ceremony so if you don't think you have received this information please visit our school office.

#### New to Year 3 Parent Meetings – Wednesday 12th July

We are holding two meetings on Wednesday  $12^{\text{th}}$  July for parents of children moving into Year 3. This will be a chance for you to have a tour of our Mill Lane site, visit your child's new classroom and ask any questions you may still have around their transition into Year 3. If you have not already completed a slip telling us whether you are coming to the 4pm or 5.30pm meeting, please visit the school office.

As you can see we have a busy few weeks ahead of us. Further dates and info will follow on next week's newsletter.

#### House Points this week:

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

#### House Points total this year so far:

1<sup>st</sup>: - Holkham - 107 2<sup>nd</sup> – Sandringham - 97 3<sup>rd</sup> – Blickling - 74 4<sup>th</sup> – Felbrigg - 64



#### Attendance Award

Well done to class 5P who have had 98.9% attendance this week!

#### **Celebration Certificates**

Daniel Pound, Ella Green, Nika Matvejeva, Olivia Arnup, Chayce Evans, George Heaver, Kamilija Jefimova, Connor Green D'Eath, Corren Lewin, Oliver Betts, Charlie George, Ruby Lacey, Kian Cooper-Lewin, Freddie Silvester, Megan Scrivens, Chloe Boot, Jamie Lemon, John Leveridge, Olivia Burden, Emma Middleton, Cristiano Leasnu, Hannah Blanch, Lucas Smith and Ben Wright.

#### Merit Awards:

Congratulations to Freddie Silvester, Mary Sokalsky, Joshua Stone, George Applegate, Joseph Stimpson, Stepanie De'ath, Kenna Buchanan, Ruby Elvin, Dulcie Goff, Jasmine Wilde, Jessica Prior, Sam Starling, Reggy King, James Hawkins, Amelia Emmerson, Jake Cook, Oliver Elder-Myhill, Brooke Eldershaw, Jakob Fountain, Toby Jones, Lola Gilman, Ava Apperley-Schoenherr, Ruby Quinton, Hayden Chapman, Xylia-Mae Brown, Holly Dawson, Finley Yeo, Charlie Whittred, Ebony Hermitage, Jack Canham, Megan Groves, Jack Tink, Henry Buck, Daisy Bull, Olivia Edridge, Jenna Feaks, Katelyn Bone, Bethan Kirby, Michael Fulcher, Tyler Aldous, Lauren Stannard, Lexie Wiseman, Lucy Stone, Olivia Draper, Isabelle Abbott, Oliver Ward, William Sokalsky, James Gill, Honor Barr, Charlie Gunton, Grace Dell, Sonny Mckenzie, Poppi-Honey Wagstaff, Connor Green-D'Eath, Ella Genc, Rose Kiddle, Sophie Keeble, Lucia King, Ava Burnett, Luke Owen, Imogen Crowe, Louis Tooth-Delaney, Ethan Bryan, Summer Canham, Harvey Brown, Poppy Chan, Daniel Pound, Bethany Scott, Jake McDonald and Morgan Pope who all achieved their merit awards this week.

## **Church News**

Our new theme for Collective Worship this half term is Justice. Reverend Margaret visited us last Wednesday to introduce the value to the children through an assembly on both sites. We will be exploring Justice throughout the rest of the term during our Collective Worship.

#### Open the Book

In this week's Open the Book session, the story of Jacob continued. Jacob went to see his uncle and fell in love with Rachel, one of his daughters. He asked his uncle if he could marry her. His uncle agreed but said that he had to work for him for seven years. At the end of the seven years, he had to marry the uncle's eldest daughter. He did marry Rachel but had to work for his uncle for a further seven years. He met Esau, his brother, again and Esau forgave him for what he had done (see last week's newsletter for the story). In this story we learn that we cannot do just what we want without a consequence.



## **PTA News**

Summer Fair 1<sup>st</sup> July 12-3pm

If you are able to volunteer to set up or be about for the fair, or if you know anyone who would like to have a stall (cost of £15 and a small donation towards the raffle) please contact Sue Smith via the email address below. Confirmed on the day: performances from TKF Karate, school choir and Dance Zenergy; also pony rides, bouncy castles, BBQ and refreshments (inc. alcoholic beverages), music entertainment with compare, police car games, competitions, tombola and raffle.

#### **Raffle Tickets**

Please can you return your raffle tickets to school as soon as possible if you are wanting to take part in the raffle at our Summer Fair.

#### Donations

We are still looking for donations of empty Pringles tins and coffee cans for our ping pong game at the Summer Fair. Also unopened bottles, tins and jars of food or other items for the tombola, items for the Trash or Treasure (bric-a-brac) stall and cakes etc for the refreshment stall.

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>