

Horsford C of E VA Primary School

What's happened in our school this week?

On Monday Years 2,3 and 4 visited Bewilderwood as part of our 'Mythical Creatures' Reading Week. The children had a fantastic day, daring to cross the 'Broken Bridge', getting lost in the 'Sky Maze' and working together to build a den for their mythical creatures to live in. The highlight for most children was their brave descent down the 'Slippery Slopes' where the children supported one another to take the plunge and congratulated their friends at the bottom. The day was summarised at the end by a child saying, "It was awesome, we all had a go at everything, even the teachers!" The staff had a great day too and felt very proud when the good behaviour and manners of the children were commented on by the Bewilderwood team and members of the public. Everyone returned to school feeling worn out but wearing a big smile to reflect their day.

Tuesday night saw the Year 5 children take part in their Ancient Greek themed production "Go for gold". It was wonderful to see so many parents and staff coming to support the children. They did an amazing job and were a real credit to the school. Thanks, as always, must go to the Year 5 teachers - Miss Lee and Miss Greenwood - along with the teaching assistants, who have worked tirelessly over the last month or so preparing the children for their roles, making props and rehearsing songs. It was definitely all worth it. Thank you also to the people who made donations to help with our licence fee and prop budget.

Last Friday's Easter Fayre was a tremendous success, with £900 being raised. It was our second PTA event held as a whole school and it was lovely to see the younger children playing the games alongside their siblings and peers. Thank you to those parents who visited the fayre too. It will always be difficult for us to run events like this as a whole school when we are on two sites, but we appreciate the time parents put in to supporting us. Hopefully the arrangements were as smooth as they could be given the situation. Our next Fayre is on Saturday 25th May, which means we should be able to hold it outside, assuming we have some warm weather!

Finally, we would like to welcome Mr Watson to our school. He will be teaching Elmer class throughout the Summer Term. We wish you all a wonderful Easter holiday. Miss Anatola, Mrs Kirton, Miss Anderson

Celebrations

Each Monday, we hold our Awe and Wonder Celebration Worship, where certificates are awarded to one or two children from each class for positive behaviour or exceptional effort.

This week's certificate winners were:

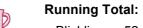
Oliver Bish, Olivia Draper, Lucy Stone, Morgan Pope, Douglas Crampton, Sonny McKenzie, Benjamin Newbury, Luke Owen, Summer Kemp, Charlie Hawkins, Joshua Newbury, Karrah Hales, Jack Fordham, Tudor Popescu, Ella Lincoln, Max Denny, Joshua Skipper, Jasmine Wilde, Niall Barrett, Jamal Sohna, Ryan Amies, Caitlin Henery, Jessica Arend and Kieran Durrant.

Vebula

House Points:

Last week:

Blickling - 662 Felbrigg - 515 Sandringham - 628 Holkham - 728



- Blickling 52
- Felbrigg 58
- Sandringham 52
 - Holkham 50



Monday Cheese and tomato whirl with pasta salad Mild vegetarian chilli with steamed rice (v) Peas and sweetcorn Shortbread with ice cream

Tuesday

Beef lasagne Broccoli and cauliflower cheese bake (v) Garlic bread Mixed salad Summer fruit sundae

Wednesday

Roast pork with stuffing and gravy Chickpea and lentil casserole (v) Roast potatoes Spring greens and carrots Fruity Wednesday with yogurt dip

Thursday

Chicken korma with steamed rice Homemade naan bread Vegeballs in tomato sauce with pasta twists (v) Broccoli Peach sponge slice with custard

<u>Friday</u> Fish fingers or salmo

Fish fingers or salmon fingers Cheese flan (v) Chips Garden peas or baked beans Decorated cupcake

Attendance:

VHC Apples -98.86%

VHC Pears - 91.01%

Elmer - 94.19%

Kipper - 98.7%

Gruffalo - 95.51%

Funnybones -

96.27%

3/4G - 77.72%

3/4P - 97.35%

3/4F - 96.08%

5G - 94.12%

- 5L 95.71%
- 6S 97.28%
- 6B 93.59%

Well done to: Apples



Weekly Diary

Monday 11th April

Tuesday 12th April 1.30-3pm: Kipper - Story Café Afternoon: - forest schools

Wednesday 13th April Afternoon: Drum lessons for children at Mill Lane Afternoon: - forest schools

Thursday 14th April Afternoon: - forest schools

Friday 15th April

Music lessons

Mary Sadler will not be able to provide music lessons in the first 2 weeks of the new term due to having a minor operation over the school holiday. The first music lessons will therefore take place in the week beginning 25 April. Mary will work with the school to arrange, where possible, convenient times to make up for the missed lessons.

Dance Club

Wednesdays

3.30 - 4.30pm

Mill Lane

Y3-6

There are 4 FREE spaces left for next term's after school club. See Mrs Clarke in the office if you would like your child to have a place.

School Lunches

Please be aware that as from April 2016 Norse (our school lunch provider) will be putting their prices up to £2.20. Holt Road children will continue to benefit from free school meals if they wish.

Homework

This homework is being set over the Easter holidays and will need to be handed in on **Monday 11th April**.

This week's homework topic: Easter theme

R and Y1: Design and make an Easter card

Y2: Why do we celebrate Easter? Choose your own way to present your answer.

Y3/4: What Easter traditions do we have and why? Choose your own way to present your answer.

Y5: Why do we have chocolate eggs at Easter time? Choose your own way to present your answer.

Year 6: SATs revision

Year R, 1 and 2

Reading: daily and record in diary

Spellings: practise words on the back of diary

Years 3-6:

Reading: daily and record in diary

Maths: practising your times tables

Spellings: learn set words and write them into a sentence (tested on Friday)

After school clubs

All after school clubs will start second week back (apart from Dance club on Wednesday at Mill Lane). We are currently deciding on the new clubs and letters will go out first week after Easter to allow children to sign up for them.

Online shopping

When doing your online shopping please go via the Easy fundraising site to help us raise money for the school. Here is the link:

http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/horsfordcepta/?v=a

Homework Survey

Let us know your thoughts about homework by filling in our online survey. The link is:

http://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/ZR866/

This link will also be available on our school website page.



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School lunch order form

Name of child: _____ Class: _____

Please complete the form for your child's lunch orders for the next 3 weeks.

| Week 1: 18/4/2016 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|
| Normal hot dinner | | | | | |
| Vegetarian hot dinner | | | | | |
| Jacket potato | | | | | |
| School packed lunch | | | | | |

| Week 2: 25/4/2016 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|
| Normal hot dinner | | | | | |
| Vegetarian hot dinner | | | | | |
| Jacket potato | | | | | |
| School packed lunch | | | | | |

| Week 3: 2/5/2016 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|-----------------------|---------------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|
| Normal hot dinner | | | | | |
| Vegetarian hot dinner | Bank holiday | | | | |
| Jacket potato | school closed | | | | |
| School packed lunch | | | | | |

If your child is having a school packed lunch, please write: ham, cheese or tuna in the box.

Please make sure we have the order forms back by <u>Wednesday 13th April</u>.

Thank you