



Friday 29th January ~ Issue 19



Dinner Menu

Monday
BBQ Chicken
Savoury rice
Broccoli and sweetcorn
Quorn fillet in BBQ sauce (v)
Fruit crunch with custard

Tuesday
Cheese topped cottage pie
Cabbage and gravy
Vegetable Shepherds Pie (v)
Swiss Bun

Wednesday
Roast pork with stuffing
Apple sauce and gravy
Carrots and broccoli
Quorn Sausage (v)
Fruity Wednesday with yoghurt dip

Thursday
American Beef Burger in a
Homemade Roll
1/2 jacket potato
Baked beans
Spicy Beanburger in a
Homemade roll (v)
Pancake with Neapolitan Ice
Cream

Friday
Fish fingers
Chips and peas
Cheddar and red onion
Quiche (v)
Very berry muffin

Horsford C of E VA Primary School

What's happened in our school this week?

It's been a very busy week here at Horsford Primary with some important people visiting our school. Our Education Challenge Partner (ECP) did a Learning Walk over both of our sites on Monday alongside Mrs Best-White, Mrs Pellett and ourselves. He also spent time talking to our Leadership Team to find out what our priorities are for this academic year and what progress we have made so far towards them.

On Thursday our School Improvement Officer visited for the day and again worked alongside Mrs Best-White, Mrs Pellett and ourselves to observe lessons, talk to the children about their learning and look at the work in their books - again across both sites. She was very impressed with the behaviours for learning of the children and the way lessons are structured over a unit of work to allow the children to build on their learning each day. The children who spoke to Mrs Best-White about our school also showed that the hard work everyone has put in to making our new school the best it can be, is paying off. It was lovely to hear that they like the changes we have made and are enjoying our new school.

You will also have a chance to let us know what you think about Horsford Primary School next week when you visit for our Assertive Mentoring evenings. We have a short questionnaire which we would like you to complete and "post" into our boxes, which will be in the reception areas of both sites on Monday and Wednesday afternoon/evening. If you are not able to come next week please ask for a questionnaire from either office.

Pupils from Year 4 took to their saddles this week when they took part in Norfolk County Council's Level One Cycle Training Scheme. This scheme helps cyclists to practise the basics of balance, control, signalling and observation in a safe off-road setting. It was wonderful to see the children raring to go, with their bikes looking well maintained and their helmets securely fastened. They all had a brilliant time and were a credit to the school.

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Anatola, Mrs Kirton, Miss Anderson

Attendance:

VHC Apples - 96.9%
VHC Pears - 90.78%
Elmer - 84.76%
Kipper - 98.48%
Gruffalo - 89.58%
Funnybones - 89.9%
3/4G - 95.49%
3/4P - 94.67%
3/4F - 95.62%
5G - 94.77%
5L - 98.9%
6S - 98.41%
6B - 96.97%

Well done to:

5L

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:

Ella Green, Rose Kiddle, Lola Gilman, Jasmine Razzell, Sam Lacey, Megan Groves, Summer Kemp, Dolly Oliver, Max Denny, Alanna Wright, Lola Mai Evans, Jack Keeble, Gemma Dawson, Megan Aldus, Kyle Knights, Oliver Hubbard, Jordan Grapes, Zac Manley, Caitlin Henery, Constantin Preda, Harvey Dack and Joey Halls.

House Points:

Last week:

Blickling - 267
Felbrigg - 433
Sandringham - 355
Holkham - 424

Running Total:

Blickling - 34
Felbrigg - 41
Sandringham - 31
Holkham - 36



Weekly Diary

Monday 1st February

All day: Piano and keyboard lessons at Mill Lane
3.30-6pm: Assertive mentoring parents' evening

Tuesday 2nd February

All day: Year 3/4 Castle Trip
Morning: Recorders and piano lessons at Holt Road
1-3pm: Pears - Story Café
Afternoon: Gruffalo - forest schools
Afternoon: Skillforce for selected Year 5 children

Wednesday 3rd February

Afternoon: Drum lessons for children at Mill Lane
Afternoon: Kipper - forest schools
5-7pm: Assertive mentoring parent's evening

Thursday 4th February

Afternoon: Funnybones - forest schools

Friday 5th February

1-3pm: KS2 Cross country league event at Valley for selected children

Homework

This year all children will complete a homework task which will be set on a Friday and handed in by the Friday of the same week.

This week's homework topic: Number Challenge

The Story of Number....

Choose a number and find out some facts about it. Present your work in your own way. You could create a poster. **See the attached example to give you ideas.**

Year 6: SATs revision: Year 6 will not be expected to do the topic homework during their revision period.

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)

Clubs: Holt Road site (HR) Mill Lane site (ML)

	Lunchtimes	After school
Mondays	Recorders (ML)	Photography - until 4.30pm (ML)
Tuesdays	Board games (HR)	NO Expressive Arts this week
Wednesdays	Origami (ML) Singing (ML) Colouring (HR) Ball skills (HR)	Expressive dance - until 4pm (HR) Dance - until 4.30pm (ML)
Thursdays	Digital leaders (ML) Yoga (ML) Homework (ML)	African drumming - until 4.20pm (ML) Homework - until 4pm (ML)
Fridays		

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Year 5 Cycle Safety Training

Wednesday 10th and
Thursday 11th
February

Parent helpers
needed for both days
- pm only on the 10th
and all day on the
11th.

If you are available to
help please see Mrs
Clarke in our Mill
Lane office.

Holt Road Car Parking

Please can we remind parents, that as the car park is small at Holt Road, it is for staff only. Parents can use the Village Hall car park if they need to. Please remember to only use disabled spaces if appropriate.



Elmer Class

Unfortunately Miss Clasper's parents' evening sessions are cancelled next week due to illness. These will be rearranged as soon as possible. We will let you know by letter when we have the new dates.

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/?>



Sainsbury's

Active Kids

Eat well • Move well • Live well

We are now collecting for the next round of Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers. Please hand in your vouchers to either of our school offices.

Thank you

The story of number...

(Write as many facts as you can about your chosen number).

Is an odd
number

Has 9
units...



$100 - 51 =$

Comes before
50...

Comes after 48...

Is the square of 7...

Is half of 98...

The year Republic
of Ireland became
independent...

Is the number of
my Nan's house...



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Norwich Schools Art Competition

Holiday Cottages are asking children to produce drawings or paintings of their favourite place in Norfolk to showcase all the amazing sights and attractions the county has to offer.

The winner will be awarded a £500 voucher towards a family break in one of [holidaycottages.co.uk](https://www.holidaycottages.co.uk)'s beautiful properties, while their school will receive a £500 donation.

The runners up will win tickets to one of Norfolk's best known attractions while their schools will be awarded £150 each.

A selection of competition entries will be available to view on the [holidaycottages.co.uk](https://www.holidaycottages.co.uk) website.

If you would like to take part in this competition please make sure your entry is on A4 or A3 paper, has your name, age and class written on the back, along with the name of your favourite place.

Hand in to the school office by Monday 1st February