

Friday 5th February ~ Issue 20

Dinner Menu

Horsford C of E VA Primary School

What's happened in our school this week?

Year 3/4 visited Norwich Castle on Tuesday. The Stone Age topic is new to the curriculum this year so it was wonderful for the children to be involved in their Mystery of Prehistory day. They had a chance to learn a little about how archaeologists search for objects from the past and how careful they have to be when they pick them up. They found out how archaeologists record where an object was found. In another activity the children learnt about how Stone Age people cooked their food. The children had to make a model of a Stone Age pit oven. There were two other activities - the first was a session where they completed a trail while learning about how life changed through the Stone Age. The final activity gave the children the opportunity to try some Stone Age craft work - they learnt how thread was plaited and were able to bring their work home. The children gained a great deal from the day, which was very enjoyable.

Thank you to those parents who attended our Assertive Mentoring session this week, please contact your child's teacher if you had to cancel, so you can arrange to make another appointment.

We are also grateful to those of you who filled in one of our questionnaires. As a new school it is helpful for us to get feedback so we know how we can make our school even better for the children. If you have not had an opportunity to complete a questionnaire please use the one attached to this newsletter and hand in to either office. We will let you know the general feedback after we have had a chance to collate the results.

As part of National Storytelling week children from our Mill Lane site visited one of the showhomes at Butterfly Mill to listen to stories read by Mary Jane Story. This was organised through David Wilson Homes and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who took part. Remember to follow our Facebook and Twitter pages to keep up to date with any photos of events etc.

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:

Toby Jones, Teya Pulford, Asia Leggett, Oscar Coleman, Harrison McKinney, Poppi-Honey Wagstaff, Cameron Bish, Benjamin Newbury, Brandon Barney, Chloe Boot, Libby Thompson, Ameer Shah, Siana Matthewson, Milo Slaughter, Kai Pulford, Rose Greengrass, Amelia Beardsworth, Harry Dack, Joseph Stimpson, George Applegate, Ben Wright, Jake Luongo, Connor Barrett, Maddie Richards, Felicitie Ladbrooke and Owen Browne.

House Points:

Last week:

Blickling - 393

Felbrigg - 361

Sandringham - 390

Holkham - 337

Running Total:

Blickling - 38

Felbrigg - 43

Sandringham - 34

Holkham - 37

Monday

Pasta Bolognese topped with cheese

Homemade herb bread

Broccoli

Macaroni cheese (v) Apple and date crumble slice

Tuesday

Chicken Korma

Savoury rice

Naan bread

Farmhouse vegetables Vegeballs in tomato sauce (v)

Fruit flan

Wednesday

Roast beef with Yorkshire pudding and gravy

Roast potatoes

Carrots and cauliflower Vegemite pastie (v)

Fruity Wednesday and yoghurt

Thursday

Chicken with pasta in tomato sauce

Farmhouse mixed vegetables Sweet potato and lentil curry with rice (v)

Scrummy sponge with sauce

Friday
Baked salmon with a crispy crumb

Chips

Peas and sweetcorn medley Vegetable frittata (v) Frozen yoghurt

Attendance:

VHC Apples - 97.5%

VHC Pears - 95.39%

Elmer - 99.46%

Kipper - 95.45%

Gruffalo - 91.49%

Funnybones -89.13%

3/4G - 95.38%

3/4P - 95.47%

3/4F - 94.78%

5G - 97.66%

5L - 98.89%

6S - 98.94%

6B - 98.98%

Well done to:

Elmer



Weekly Diary

Monday 8th February

All day: Piano and keyboard lessons at Mill Lane

Tuesday 9th February

9.15am: Year 2 Music Concert at Holt Road for selected children and parents only

1-3pm: Apples - Story Café **Afternoon:** Gruffalo - forest

schools

Afternoon: Skillforce for selected

Year 5 children

7pm: Year 6 SATs information

evening at Mill Lane

Wednesday 10th February

All day: Year 5 cycle training - enrolled children only

Afternoon: Drum lessons for

children at Mill Lane

Afternoon: Kipper - forest schools **3.30pm:** Year 6 Boys' Plate football match HOME St Williams

Thursday 11th February

All day: Year 5 cycle training - enrolled children only

Afternoon: Funnybones - forest

schools

1pm: Cross country league event at Taverham - selected children

only

3.30pm: Year 5/6 Girls' League football match AWAY at Drayton

Friday 12th February

Break up for half term Non uniform day









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: Chinese New Year

Reception: Find out which animal is linked to the year you were born - and draw it.

Year 1: Design a meal to celebrate Chinese New Year

Year 2: Find out how people celebrate Chinese New Year

Year 3/4: Design a poster celebrating the Chinese New Year - Year of the Monkey

Year 5: Draw and write about some of the traditions used on the Chinese New Year

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)	Expressive Arts - until 4.20pm	
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			



Non Uniform Day

Friday 12th February

£1 per child or £1.50 per family

Proceeds to the PTA
Those who do not wish to take part must come in uniform.

Elmer Class

Parents are invited to a drop in session with Miss Anatola and Miss Anderson on Wednesday 10th Feb at 3.30 - 4.30pm. Assertive Mentoring sessions will be arranged for when Miss Clasper returns.

Mr Powell will be teaching Elmer class until the end of half term.



PE at Holt Road

Please can we remind parents that children need to be able to remove their earrings for PE. If they are not able to do this yet then parents can either come into school to help do so or remove them at the start of the school day.



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/?



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.



School lunch order form

Week 1: 22/2/2016	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Normal hot dinner			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	,	
Vegetarian hot dinner					
Jacket potato					
School packed lunch					
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Week 2: 29/2/2016	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Normal hot dinner					
Vegetarian hot dinner					
Jacket potato					
School packed lunch					
Week 3: 7/3/2016	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Normal hot dinner					
Vegetarian hot dinner					
Jacket potato					
Jacket potato School packed lunch					



Week starting: 22 Feb • 14 Mar • 18 Apr • 9 May • 6 Jun • 27 Jun • 18 Jul

Cheese and Tomato Pizza

Mixed Salad and Coleslaw Minted New Potatoes Spanish Omelette (v)

YADNOM

Peaches with Ice Cream

Beef Bolognese with Pasta Twists and Herby Bread

Sweet Potato and Lentil Korma with Rice (v)

YAGSEUT

Farmhouse Mixed Vegetables

Toffee Cream Tart

Homemade Creamy Vegetable Bake (v) Roast Chicken with Stuffing and Gravy Fruity Wednesday with Yogurt Dip **Broccoli and Carrots Roast Potatoes**

MEDNESDAY

Local Pork Sausages with Creamy Mash

Vegemince Cottage Pie (v) **Baked Beans**

YAGSAUHT

Sponge Pudding with Sauce

Fish Fingers or Salmon Fingers Vegetarian Sausages (v)

YADIAH

Garden Peas or Baked Beans Very Berry Muffin Chips

Week starting: 29 Feb • 21 Mar • 25 Apr • 16 May • 13 Jun • 4 Jul

Vegetable Stromboli (v) Macaroni Cheese

Homemade French Bread Mixed Salad Strawberry and Vanilla Swirl Mousse

Spicy Bean Burger (v) Chicken Goujons

Dutch Apple Pudding with Custard Potato Wedges **Baked Beans**

Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy

Vegemince Pasty (v)

Carrots and Cauliflower **Mashed Potato**

Fruity Wednesday with Yogurt Dip

Pork Meatballs in Tomato and Basil Sauce Steamed Rice Vegemince Bolognese with Pasta Twists (v) **Farmhouse Mixed Vegetables**

Brownie Slice

Fish Fingers or Salmon Fingers Quorn Fillet (v)

Chips Garden Peas or Baked Beans Fruity Flapjack

Week starting: 7 Mar • 11 Apr • 2 May • 23 May • 20 Jun • 11 Jul Mild Vegetarian Chilli and Steamed Rice (v)

Cheese and Tomato Whirl with Tossed Pasta Salad

Peas and Sweetcorn

Shortbread with Ice Cream

Broccoli and Cauliflower Cheese Bake (v) Summer Fruit Sundae **Beef Lasagne Mixed Salad Garlic Bread**

Roast Pork with Stuffing and Gravy Chickpea and Lentil Casserole (v)

Fruity Wednesday with Yogurt Dip **Spring Greens and Carrots** Roast Potatoes

Chicken Korma with Steamed Rice Homemade Naan Bread

Vegeballs in Tomato Sauce with Pasta Twists (v)

Peach Sponge Slice with Custard

Fish Fingers or Salmon Fingers Cheese Flan (v)

Garden Peas or Baked Beans Decorated Cupcake Subject to alteration

Fresh Bread, Fruit, Milk Drink and Water

Jacket Potato option subject to the school's availability

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