



Friday 8th July ~ Issue 38



Dinner Menu  
£2.20 per day

## Horsford C of E VA Primary School

### What's happened in our school this week?

Congratulations to Felbrigg house who are the winners of our first House Competition. They will be visiting Felbrigg Hall on Tuesday 19th July. A letter giving more information to parents will be given out to all children involved, with a permission slip attached. Fingers crossed for good weather!

On Monday and Tuesday of this week our children at Mill Lane were visited by Craig O'Brien, Environment Manager for Balfour Beatty, who are constructing the NDR. The children had a wonderful time making bird feeders using apples, lard and seed as well as dissecting owl pellets to find out what the owls had eaten. Craig donated two bird boxes and a bat box to the school, which we will be putting up over the summer holidays.

The children in Year 2 had a wonderful time on their residential at How Hill this week. If you haven't had a chance to see what they got up to, please visit the News and Updates page on our website or follow the links from our Facebook page.

It's been a very sporty week here at Horsford Primary with children from KS2 taking part in the annual City Sports Event at the UEA. Monday was the track heats and from here some children went through to the track finals on Wednesday.

On Tuesday we took seven children to take part in the field events and an impressive five children came in the top seven places; a special mention goes to Connor Barrett and Ruby Elvin who both came 2nd in the Long Jump. Wednesday's Final's Day was thankfully warm and quite eventful. Connor Barrett came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 800m and Cal Johnson, Morgan Vincent and Max Sheehy came 4<sup>th</sup> in their events. Well done to the Year 3 girls who got into the semi finals of their relay event. A huge well done to all of our pupils who took part: Max Sheehy, Lola-Mai Evans, Gracie Chapman, Rose Greengrass, Ella Harris, Morgan Vincent, Cal Johnson, Connor Barrett and Amia Harper. Our KS1 children also took part in a multi skills event at Hellesdon High School on Friday morning. All children were a credit to the school and thoroughly enjoyed competing against pupils from other schools and cheering each other on.

Children from our School Council visited Horsford Church this week to have their photo taken next to the WWI war memorial. This was part of Operation Norfolk Remembers which aims to get local communities to photograph their WWI War Memorials so they can be included in the first digital database of these wonderful pieces of history. The images will be shown throughout the day on Saturday 9th July at the Forum.

We look forward to seeing the children on Monday for the first of their two days with their new class/teacher.

Miss Anatola, Mrs Kirton, Miss Anderson

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

### Attendance:

- VHC Apples - 92.5%  
VHC Pears - 98.55%  
Elmer - 95.37%  
Kipper - 95.45%  
Gruffalo - 97.73%  
Funnybones - 99.46%  
3/4G - 93%  
3/4P - 97.86%  
3/4F - 97.67%  
5G - 93.57%  
5L - 100%  
6S - 100%  
6B - 98.46%

### Well done to:

**5L and 6S**

## 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:

.Teya Pulford, Maxwell Bish, Darcey Watts, Isabel Straton, Oliver Jeff, Caitlin Burnett, Jack Canham, Freya Begley, Dolly Oliver, Raffaele Lesanu, Haydn Cursons, Hollie Thompson, Josh Quniton, Finlay Vincent, Charles Daniels, Callum Pearce, Kyle Knights, Jasmine Wilde, Ryley Begley, Lucas Smith, Jamal Sohna, Chardonay Burrows, Caitlin Henery, Zack Gray, Theo Tabiner and Josh Roope.

## House Points:

### Last week:

- Blickling - 507  
Felbrigg - 449  
Sandringham - 559  
Holkham - 524



### Running Total:

- Blickling - 81  
Felbrigg - 87  
Sandringham - 83  
Holkham - 81



# Weekly Diary



## Monday 11th July

### Transition Day

Year 6 to HHS (if transferring there!) Other Year 6s to stay with current teacher  
All children to meet their new teacher/class.

**Morning:** Keyboard & piano lessons at Mill Lane

**Afternoon:** New reception children join their class.

**3.30-6pm:** Assertive mentoring parents evening for Mill Lane children

## Tuesday 12th July

### Transition Day

Year 6 to HHS (if transferring there!) Other Year 6s to stay with current teacher  
All children to meet their new teacher/class.

**Afternoon:** New reception children join their class.

**Afternoon:** Y5 Skillforce at Frettenham

**4-5.30pm:** Nebula Showcase at HHS for selected children

## Wednesday 13th July

**All day:** New to Year 3 parents open day (ring Mill Lane office for appointment times and to sign up)

**Afternoon:** Drum lessons at Mill Lane

**6pm:** KS2 Music Concert at Mill Lane

## Thursday 14th July

**Throughout the day:** Skillforce presentation ceremonies for Y5 pupils (see invite for your child's time or ring office)

**9.30am:** Year 2 Production

**2pm:** Year 2 Production

**6pm:** Year 6 Production (ticket needed)

## Friday 15th July

**10am:** Year 6 Leavers' Service at Horsford Church - parents welcome.

**1.30pm:** Teddy bears' picnic for Reception children

Thank you to everyone who has donated bottles and cardboard to Mrs Beckett for her junk modelling projects. We have enough items at the moment so do not require any more at present.

## This week's homework topic:

No topic homework for this last full week of term!

## Staff Updates:

Please find below a list of our teachers for September 2016. As you will know, the children will be meeting their new teacher on Monday and Tuesday next week, so hopefully this will help you to learn their names in advance. As you will see Miss Lee is absent from the list. She has been offered a teaching post in Dubai so is off to much sunnier climes in September. We wish her all the best and hope she has enjoyed her first year of teaching with us here at Horsford! Miss Chenery will be joining us to take her place in Year 5.

**Reception/Year 1 teachers:** Mr Williams,  
Mr Neave &  
Miss Thurston

**Year 2 teachers:** Mr Watson &  
Miss Turley

**Year 3/4 teachers:** Mrs George,  
Mrs Fuller &  
Miss Greenwood

**Year 5 teachers:** Mr Patient &  
Miss Chenery

**Year 6 teachers:** Miss Blyth &  
Miss Starling

## Drum lessons at Mill Lane

There are now spaces for anyone who is in Years 3, 4 or 5 who is interested in starting drum lessons in September. Please see Mrs Clarke in the office for more details.

## Clubs:

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

	Lunchtimes	After school
Mondays		
Tuesdays		
Wednesdays		Dance club (ML) Puzzles (HR)
Thursdays		Cricket (HR)
Fridays		