

# Waldringfield Primary School

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## SPRING TERM: NEWSLETTER 12

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023

### THANK YOU

A huge thank you to the WSA who hosted a popular coffee morning, raising money for our school. The children enjoyed performing and you all looked like you were enjoying their singing and your refreshments!

### STREP A

We have had several cases of strep A, scarlet fever and now chickenpox in school over the last few weeks. We have contacted the local Health Protection Team and attach a letter and a scarlet fever fact sheet. The advice is to act quickly rather than wait, so please be aware of the signs and symptoms and contact your GP or call 111 for advice if at all worried. If any further cases are confirmed over the Easter break, please inform Mrs Wood.

### AYLMERTON 2024

We have booked our Y5 and Y6 residential for Monday 24<sup>th</sup> –Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024. We will be returning to Aylmerton (as last year), staying at the Pleasaunce Hotel in Overstrand. I will be hosting a meeting (via zoom) for all current Year 4 and Year 5 parents on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April. Costs and an overview of activities will be explained and parents (and children) will have the opportunity to ask any questions and to see some photos of the trip from last year. Please complete the form on ParentMail to indicate that you would like to come to this initial meeting. Attendance at this meeting does not commit you to sending your child on the residential, however I will need to confirm numbers and a deposit of £70 will need to be paid by 19<sup>th</sup> May.

### HOUSEKEEPING and UNIFORM

As we finish the Spring Term, please can you ensure all uniform, including coats, are named. We have an increasing amount of lost property and it is frustrating how many items are not named. Please spend some time over the Easter Holidays naming your children's property.

### NEW MENU

Attached is the new summer menu which will run from after Easter until October half term.

### WSA CORNER

Thank you to everyone who took part in our recent Family Quiz Night, which was a great success. Congratulations to the winning team "Charlotte's Warriors!" We look forward to holding similar family events in the future - please let us know of any suggestions.

Winners of the Easter bonnet competition:

Seren Oldfield, Ethan Haden-Scott, Alba Roper, Zaira Marques Makdhum, Jessica Todd, Isabella-Rose Clarke, Molly King

Runners up:

Kitty Hambling-Jones, Finian Wood, Emelia Mills, Ivy Mann, Caleb Haden-Scott, Florence Pethybridge, William Stanley, Dylan Murphy, Brooke Parratt.

### STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS

**Hedgehogs:** Riley Howlett-Davey for his effort with writing this week. Alice Schaefer for her fantastic listening this week.

**Squirrels:** Nellie Smith for careful sounding out and blending when reading, and excellent comprehension. Radleigh-Grant Seymour for writing his name independently and working on his letter formation.

**Badgers:** Florence Pethybridge for always working hard and challenging herself to improve. Also for being a helpful member of the class. Miles Parratt for working hard to improve in all areas, but especially his handwriting.

**Owls:** Annie South for working so hard at reading and taking quizzes.

### GOLDEN LEAVES

Mimi Todd & Paige Newton for their kindness and consideration when helping others at the park. Elodie Sadler and Marnie Cook for finding Mason's glasses. Radleigh-Grant Seymour for picking up cutlery and being kind. Riley Howlett-Davey for helping play leaders set up games. Oscar Wilson for being a good role model to younger children. Dylan Murphy for helping another

child and being really kind to him. Dulcie Woods for picking up a bag from Squirrels and hanging it on their peg. Ted Mace for helping Mrs Smith move the Squirrels coat hanger. Mason Mills for helping to tidy when it wasn't his mess. Seren Oldfield for being helpful towards another child. Radleigh-Grant Seymour for remembering to change his shoes.

#### HOUSE TEAM CHAMPIONS

Eddie Collins-Owen, Harry Griffiths, Alba Roper, Daniel Kearton, Eddie Collins-Owen, Mimi Todd, Evie Marston, Solomon Cooney

#### MIDDAY SUPERVISORS' AWARD

Ivy Mace for being a fantastic eater and cutting her dinner all by herself. Emelia Mills for trying swede/potato mash and loved it, even went for seconds!

#### SILVER ACORN AWARD

Amiah Oldfield, Brennan-Tate Macro, Caleb Haden-Scott, Evie Marston, Millie Miles, Rosa Griffiths, Torryn Theophani, Zara Newton, Jessica Todd, Jethro Ramsay, Noah Peasey, Joshua Peasey, Leo Young, Max Rogers, Miles Parratt, Thomas Love

#### WALDRINGFIELD ACHIEVEMENTS

Play2Day supplied the school with vouchers for a free session over the Easter holidays and they were allocated to the following for exemplary behaviour during the last term:

Dulcie Woods, Seren Oldfield, Riley Howelett-Davey, Luna Dowsing, Sophia Nelli, Flora Dishington, Finnian Wood, Radleigh-Grant Seymour, Caitlin Murphy, Connie Pethybridge, Daniel Kearton, Evan Boardley, Elodie Sadler, Alba Goody, Torryn Theophani, Miles Parratt, Evie Marston, Elsie Gillett-Booty, Noah Peasey, Caleb Haden-Scott, Isabella-Rose Clarke, Tabitha Webber, William Stanley, Ollie Winchester, Molly King, Solomon Leeder, Mimi Todd, Samuel Wickens

#### Golden Mile Initiative:

**Bronze 10 Miles:**

**Silver 25 Miles:**

**Gold 50 Miles:**

**Emerald 75 Miles:**

**Ruby 100 Miles:** Dylan Murphy, Ollie Winchester

#### OUTSIDE WALDRINGFIELD ACHIEVEMENTS

Dylan Murphy for player of the match at Kirton Kestrels. Elodie Sadler for receiving her Advanced Award for Gymnastics.

#### MRS WOOD DATES AT WALDRINGFIELD

I intend to be at Waldringfield on Tuesdays, Fridays and alternating Wednesdays. As always, please email me or call either school, on any day to speak to me. Hollesley's number is 01394 411616.

#### DIARY DATES

<b>3-14 Apr</b>	<b>Easter Holiday</b>
<b>Mon 17 Apr</b>	<b>PD Day</b>
Wed 19 Apr	All School Dance Workshop
Fri 21 Apr	St George's Day Lunch
Mon 24-25 Apr	Y3/4 PGL
<b>Mon 1 May</b>	<b>Closed for May Day Holiday</b>
Tue 2 May	6pm Information Evening for New YR Parents
Fri 5 May	Coronation Lunch & Street Party
<b>Mon 8 May</b>	<b>Closed for Coronation Bank Holiday</b>
Thu 18 May	WSA Disco
Fri 26 Jun	Gymnastics Trip
Thu 15 Jun	Father's Day Lunch
Fri 16 Jun	Y3/4 Football Tournament @ Nacton
Sat 24 Jun	WSA Summer Fair
Tue 4 Jul	Sports Day
Fri 7 Jul	FoSS Day
Tue 11 Jul	'Up' Day
Fri 14 Jul	9am Prize Giving Assembly
	Reports Home
Thu 20 Jul	Summer Concert
Fri 21 Jul	Leavers' Assembly

Yours sincerely  
Sarah Wood  
Headteacher



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