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St John's Community Primary School and Nursery



Weekly Newsletter 28th February 2020

Dear Parents,

A warm welcome home to our Year 4 pupils that have been at Horstead for their residential. During their time away they have enjoyed a range of activities including canoeing and archery. They were extremely well behaved and a credit to the school and their families - I hope they enjoy a restful weekend recovering! Pictures will be added to the website so please do watch out for updates.

Our lovely new classrooms will be ready for learning after the Easter break and we are hoping to have a Grand Opening. If anyone knows of a local 'celebrity' that may be free to open the building could you please see Mrs Steele in the school office.

I wanted to end this week with some good old fashioned praise! I am always so very proud of the children at St. John's in the way they approach their learning, friendships and challenges. It never fails to impress me at just how thoughtful, respectful and hardworking your children are - please do pass on my thanks to each and everyone of them. Wishing you all a super weekend.

Kind regards

Mrs Quinn

Dates for your Diary

March

3rd—Class Group Photos
(Not Nursery)

5th—World Book Day—Mufti Day

16th—Pop-Up Uniform Shop

25th & 26th—KS2 Production

April

1st—Last day of Term

2nd—17th—Easter Holidays

20th—Children Return to School

20th & 21st—Year 2 Residential at
Hilltop Outdoor Centre

30th—Bag2School Collection

May

8th—Bank Holiday—School Closed

12th—Nursery Class Group Photo

21st—Duathlon

22nd—Last day at School

25th—29th—Half Term

June

1st—Children Return to School

8th—12th—Year 6 Residential to
Hautbois Activity Centre

24th—Sports Day

July

14th & 15th—Year 6 Production

16th—Fete

Swimming Year 5

Year 5 will be swimming on **Monday 2nd March**. Please ensure your child has their swimming kit, including a hat, a towel and a suitable coat to walk to and from Broadland High School for these sessions.



Forest Schools—Rota

Tuesday 3rd March—Nursery and Reception Class

Wednesday 4th March—Nurture Group

Thursday 5th March—Year 2

Friday 6th March—Year 4

Please ensure your child has a change of old clothes/waterproofs including coat, hat, gloves and wellies in school for these sessions.



Class Group Photographs—Reception to Year 6

'Tempest Photography' will be coming into school on **Tuesday 3rd March** to take class photographs.



Would you please send your child in full winter uniform on that day.

Reception Class - Foundation Stage Sweatshirts and white polo shirt.

KS1 & KS2—shirt and tie.

Thank you for your help with this.

World Book Day—Thursday 5th March

For World Book Day on Tuesday 5th March, children can come to school in casual clothes for a charge of £1.00 per child. All money raised will go towards buying additional books for our school.



Book tokens will be sent home for you to get a free book or £1.00 off a book at your local bookseller.