Newsletter

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Monday 6th July 2015

Stars of the week

Stars of the Week for before half term were:

Tia-Mae Buck	**Seb Apuzzo**
Samuel Magregor-Cannon	**Jameson McCoy**
Alfie Bewers	**Verity Ozelton**
Maja Lisewska	**Jacob Kutny**
Austin Rivett	**Poppy Cash**
Kajus Tucas	**Mason Loveridge**
Bailey Arnold	**Emily Pottle**
Billy Williamson	**Jack Morley**

Teampoints

Last week's results were:
1st: Green
2nd: Yellow
3rd: Red
4th: Blue

Well done Green. 1st again and still in the lead! Blue and Yellow are in joint 2nd, 7 points away.

Attendance results

Wrens:	93.1%	*Inadequate*	
Owls:	94.7%	*Requires Improvement*	
Magpies:	95.0%	*Good*	
Swallows:	**98.4%**	***Outstanding***	
Robins:	**97.3%**	***Outstanding***	
Skylarks:	**97.5%**	***Outstanding***	
Herons:	**100%**	***Outstanding***	***WINNER!***
Kestrels:	**97.1%**	***Outstanding***	

Last week's attendance: 96.6%
Outstanding

Attendance since September: 95.2%
Good

Y6 enterprise project

Anyone who came to Bury market on Wednesday morning last week, cannot fail to have noticed our amazing Kestrel market traders. We took over a huge pitch and all of the children tried to sell their products. Every group did well and nobody made a loss!

Thank you to all the parents who came out and supported the children and for all those who worked with their children over the last three weeks on making the products. This was the first time we have done something of this scale and it was great to see the children proving how resourceful they could be. Special mention must go to Billy Williamson who proved to be an excellent trader. He had no fear in selling to the public and as soon as his group had sold out he went to help other groups. He showed true determination!

Hot weather

With all of the wonderful weather we have had recently, please make sure that your child has a hat for break-time and lunchtime. Please also make sure that your child brings their water bottle to school. The bottle must only have water (no squash, juice etc.)

If you want to buy a water bottle, they are sold from the school office for £1.10 each.

Please do not send sun cream to school. Teachers will not apply it and children make a real mess. Put sun cream on before school and it should still be good for break/ lunch.

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Mr A Smith, Headteacher

We need you!

Sports Day in on the morning of **Monday 20th July** and parents are invited to come and watch. EYFS/KS1 is from **9.15am** to **10.30am** and KS2 is from **10.45am** to **12.00pm**.

Please come along and support your child. Please note that KS2 children will need to have a Glade coloured PE t-shirt to take part. Nearly all of our children wear the correct uniform for PE but some do not. to take part in the events on Sports Day, we expect children to wear the correct PE kit. Children in EYFS/KS1 should wear their normal white t-shirt/ black shorts.

Parents are also invited to our end of term Big Sing outdoor festival on **Tuesday 21st July** at **2pm**. Just be ready to sing loudly!

Move-up Days

We have added an extra move-up day for next week. Children currently at Glade will go to their new classes on Tuesday 14th July and Wednesday 15th July.

New children for Reception will be in on the Wednesday only. On the Tuesday, EYFS staff will do home visits for new pupils.

Children will be informed of their new classes on Monday 13th July. Our new Y1 class will be called **Woodpeckers**.

Attendance

Attendance this year has been considerably higher than in previous years and has finally beat the nationally expected level. Thank you so much to parents for helping us achieve that.

Please remember to send in a short note when your child has time off due to illness so that we can record the absence as authorised. If it is recorded as unauthorised, then you may receive a penalty notice from Suffolk County Council.

Annual reports + Assessment

School reports will come home during the week beginning 13th July. You will notice one change to the report in that children are no longer assessed using levels. National Curriculum levels were removed by the Department for Education last year, apart for the current Y2 and Y6. They will be the last year-groups assessed using levels. All schools are now "free" to choose how they assess and how they report to parents. Staff have discussed this in great deal over the year and have trialled a couple of ideas. From September, we will report using the following:

Below	*Red*
Working Towards	*Orange*
Expected	*Green*
Embedded	*Blue*

Grades are based on the year group of the child.

Advance Diary Dates

Wednesday 8th July	Y5 visit to Linton Zoo
Thursday 9th July	Y6 End of Year Trip
Friday 10th July	Y6 University Challenge against local schools
	Drama club performance - 1.15pm
Tuesday 14th July	Move-up day (All current pupils)
Wednesday 15th July	Move-up day (All current pupils + new Year R)
Friday 17th July	KS1 + KS2 visit to Weeting Steam Engine Rally
Monday 20th July	Sports Day – KS1 + KS2 track events (AM)
Tuesday 21st July	Big Sing (2pm) - Parents invited
Wednesday 22nd July	Awards assembly (2pm) - Invited parents only
Wednesday 22nd July	Last day of term
Thursday 3rd September	Autumn term 1.1 begins