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Hainford Newsletter

Well what a term and year this has been! From last week's last-minute OFSTED inspection to another lockdown and partial school closure it's certainly been the year to keep everyone on their toes. I cannot thank all staff enough for their endless positivity, determination, stamina and adaptability. Given that two teachers are relatively new to the school this was even more remarkable. The support, guidance and opportunities that come with being part of the Nebula Federation cannot be over-stated either and we look forward to drawing on these links to restart more normalised schooling in the next academic year.

I would also like to say a huge thank to parents/carers for their support with the myriad of important but frustrating adaptations that have had to be made. I really am looking forward and keeping my fingers crossed that we can host sports days, Nativity performances and other events with parents/carers in attendance. Finally I would like to wish everyone a positive summer break and hope that you can all stay safe and are able to enjoy events with family and friends.

September 2021

Monday 6th of September will be the first day back for all pupils and we know that there will be many anxious and excited pupils. As yet we are unsure exactly how school will operate in terms of any possible Covid restrictions. Risk assessments will not be completed until much nearer to September when up-to-date guidance should be issued by the Department for Education and Norfolk County Council. We will be in contact with you before the start of term to confirm arrangements such as drop-off and collection procedures and times.

Staffing

Today we say goodbye to Mrs Landles (Class 1) and Mr Botwright (Caretaker)

Mrs Landles has been working in class 1 since Easter after transferring from St Faiths primary school and has worked with a smile on her face – supporting children and staff after the spring lockdown. We wish her all the best in her next challenge.

Mr Botwright has worked at the school for 17 years providing an invaluable service and becoming a Hainford Infants/Primary school legend. He is man of a thousand jobs role will be will be greatly missed and his contributions to the school and partnership have been invaluable. We wish him all the best in the future.

PTA Thanks

The PTA would like to say a big thank you to everyone who supported our recent garage sale. Over £400 of money was raised. We look forward to hopefully many more fundraising events in the new academic year.



Leavers



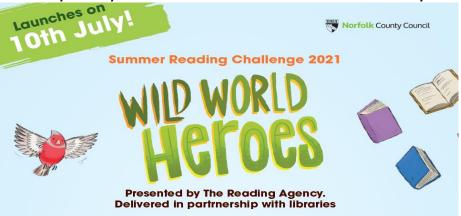
Today we have said good luck and goodbye to our year 6s and wish them all the best in their adventures at High school and beyond. We will also be saying goodbye and thank you to all of the families who have been part of the school for many years.

Medication

Please note that if your child has medication/inhalers in school these have been sent home with your child today. We ask that come September, up-to-date medication is brought to the school office and an updated medication form will need to be completed.

Norfolk Library Summer Reading Challenge





Please see the attached flier

Staying Safe / Someone to talk to over the summer

Childline:

This week classes 2 and 3 have revisited some of the excellent resources created by the charity Childline. https://www.childline.org.uk/ or phone on Call 0800 1111

Below are some helpful links for additional support / advice for over the summer holiday period and beyond:

- Net-aware for support for parents and careers from the NSPCC https://www.net-aware.org.uk/
- Parent info for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online https://parentinfo.org/
- Thinkuknow for advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/

Let's Celebrate!

Summer	Head of School Award
2nd	
Class 1	Poppy – always giving '110%'
Class 2	Thea – consistent hard work and enthusiasm
Class 3	Merryn – fantastic progress in writing

Charlie Charlie One Awards

Congratulations to all of the children below for completing the bronze level award



Challenger Bronze Award

2019/2020: Luisa, George, Jack, Maia, Darcy, Theo, Alannah, Theo, Kai, Chloe, George, Ethan, Mega, Luisa,

2020/2021: Gabriel, Toby, Ellie, Matilda, Grace, Elsa, Sienna, Maisie, Tay, Merryn, Dillan, Amelia,

Housepoints: Congratulations to Yellow house for winning this half-term's housepoint award

Mrs Crooke's Art Award for Summer 2nd goes to:

Daisy from Class 3 for some amazing origami folding



Alterations in blue

Autumn Term 2021

September 2021

Thursday 2nd: INSET Day (Staff training)

Friday 3rd: New Intake

Assertive mentoring meetings / Pupil consultation

6th (Monday) First day back of school

Thank you for all your support

