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Although we are supposed to be in the Summer term, it certainly hasn't really felt like it these last couple of weeks. Hopefully the weather will mean we can enjoy the outside a bit more over this last term. Things do feel like they are heading back to some sort of normal, with discussions about transitions to high school for our Year 6 children and also planning our own transition for the new reception children. We also are trying to plan some sporting events later this term and Class 3 beginning to think about their end of year production.

Now the children are well and truly settled back in, I have asked teachers to ensure home learning activities are now completed regularly. The home learning is an important part of your child's schooling, where they can develop independence, responsibility and consolidate skills and understanding. We appreciate many families have busy lives, but it is very helpful if you are able to support your child to complete tasks over the week, spreading them out, so they do little and often is best. We focus on core areas of reading, key maths skills and spellings, which will help with their confidence within school. Classes 1 and 2 have a lunchtime homework club each week that children can attend if they need some additional support or time to complete it. Any issues you have homework please contact the school office, who will pass on your message to the class teacher.

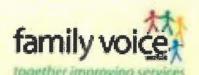
Well done to Sylvia who entered a competition for a local care home, winning first prize. A copy of the poem and picture is attached on the next page. I hope this brings a smile to your face, as it certainly brightened our day.



Norse Catering

Please ensure that all meals are paid for in advance on Parentpay. www.norsecatering.co.uk





about new specialist provision in Norfolk

Micki will talk about:

- next steps for planned new schools and new provision
- how placement decisions are made
- other developments in education

She's also keen to answer your questions and hear your views.

with Nickl Rider
Interim Head of Education High
Needs SEND Service

If you are the parent carer of a child or young person with additional needs. please join us via Zoom on

> Wednesday 19 May 10:00am to 12:00pm

Email events@familyvoice.org.uk for full booking and joining instructions, giving the date of the event.

Diary Dates

Please see the accompanying schedule of dates for the remaining term, but do be aware that they are still subject to change.

<u>Dates for your diary</u> <u>Summer term</u>

12 May 2021 Reception, Height, Weight & Vision – School nurse

Letter to be sent home closer to this date.

17 June 2021 Multiskills day at Frettenham; each class has a

session.

5 July 2021- 8 July 2021 Cycle training for Year 5 and 6. Consent form sent

home on 13.04.2021

2 July 2021 Year 5/6 cricket at Horsford 9:30 – 2:30 (home

packed lunch required, water bottle, sun hat, pre-

applied sun cream)

9 July 2021 Year 4 cricket at Horsford (home packed lunch

required, water bottle, sun hat, pre-applied sun

cream)

If you are the parent carer of a child or young person with special educational needs and/or disability (SEND), you are very welcome to join our online meetings:

Let's talk... about benefits to help your child and your family

Tuesday 11 May 2021 10:00am-12:00pm

with Greg Lonergan, Welfare Rights Team Manager, NCC and Audrey Watts, Norfolk Supporting Families & Disability Employment Adviser Leader, DWP benefits you can claim I help and advice available I your questions answered

Let's talk... about new specialist provision in Norfolk

Wednesday 19 May 2021 10:00am-12:00pm

with Nicki Rider, Interim Head of Education High Needs SEND Service I new schools and provision I placement decisions I other developments

Let's talk... about autism

Monday 7 June 2021 10:00am-12:00pm

with Tom Bassett, Partnership Boards Transformation Manager autism overview | Norfolk Autism Partnership Board | autism e-learning

Let's talk... about sleep

Tuesday 15 June 2021 10:00am-12:00pm

with Joy Bishop, Sleep East, and Louisa van Melsen, NANSA Sleep Practitioner good sleep practices I techniques and tips to help I y our questions answered

Let's talk... about looking after your child's teeth

Monday 26 July 2021 10:00am-12:00pm

with Angela Simms, Clinical Lead, and Gemma Sargent, Dental Therapist, Norfolk & Waveney Special Care Dental Service

I developing good habits I tackling challenging issues I your questions answered

Email events@familyvoice.org.uk for full booking and joining instructions. Make sure you say which event you wish to attend.

Drop in at our friendly teatime get-togethers to chat to other parent carers of children and young people with SEND.

There's no need to book. Just use this link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83006703755

Thursday 29 April 2021 13:45pm-14:45

Thursday 27 May 2021 13:45pm-14:45

