



# SUMMER TERM NEWS 2017

No 2



'What we learn with pleasure we never forget'

We have had a busy first half term and look forward to more lovely weather for the final part of the school year.

## PE/SPORT/CLUBS

Clubs this half term have included Kwik Cricket, Rounders, Year 1/2 Competitions, Netball, Swimming and Water Polo. We have also participated in a Cross Country (Years 4 & 5) event, a Year 3 Kwik Cricket tournament and a Year 5 Rounders tournament which we won. Well done to all the children involved—we are always so proud of their conduct and determination.



**Other Clubs** running this half term have included Lower School and Upper School Choirs, Year 3 Book Club, Gardening Club, Year 1/2 'Nature Art' Club, Spanish Club, Upper School 'Storytelling' Club and many many more.

## YEAR 6 SATS

Well done to all our pupils who took their National Tests this half term. Their attitude and behaviour was exemplary. We were so proud of them. Many thanks also to Mr Head, Mrs Lewis and all the staff who helped to teach and prepare them for this milestone.



## HALF TERM HIGHLIGHTS

### Walk in the Park (Suffolk's Year of Walking)

During May half term three walks in the park have been arranged by the 'Lowestoft Rising' Team. The events are 10am to 2pm on Tuesday 30th May in Nicholas Everett Park, Wednesday 31st May at Carlton Marshes and Thursday 1st June at Sparrows Nest Park. Each event will start with an organised simple one mile walk and be followed with opportunities for fun sports and games and pond dipping etc at Carlton Marshes. There will also be free entry to the Museums in the two parks. These events are open to all Years 1–6 pupils. Please support these lovely family activities and send us any photos for a school display.



### Waterstones Bookshop Lowestoft

**Walliams Week** - There will be lots of fun activities themed around the books of David Walliams during half term (29.5.17–4.6.17)

**Pirates and Princesses Day** - Join in the fancy dress fun and storytelling on Saturday 3rd June. See their website for details.

## LEARNING HIGHLIGHTS.....

- ◆ Year 3 Farm & Country Fair
- ◆ Year 4 Benacre trip (Coastal Erosion)
- ◆ Year 5 Benacre Estate Open Day
- ◆ Year 6 Murder Mystery morning
- ◆ Year 6 Egyptian Exhibition afternoon
- ◆ Africa Alive visit to Nursery



More exciting opportunities coming soon next half term.

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

- ♦ Monday 26th June Sports Day (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 am; EYFS and Year 1 & 2 pm)
- ♦ Tuesday 3rd July—Summer Music Performance—3.30 in the hall (details to follow)
- ♦ Friday 7th July—pm—Storytelling Performance (for parents of children in 'Storytelling' Club)
- ♦ Week Beginning 10th July—Circus week
- ♦ Wednesday 12th July—pm—School Summer Picnic

Details of all these events will be sent out next half term.

## JUNIOR ROAD SAFETY OFFICERS (JRSO)

This term the JRSO's ran an In Car Safety Competition. Reception to Year 3 had to design their dream car seat and Years 4, 5 & 6 designed a poster about keeping safe in the car.



You should all have received the leaflet the children designed for parents.

In June they are running a 'Street Feet' Workshop for Reception children to help them keep safe on the road during the Summer months.

Many of our Year 5 & 6 children have been participating in the Bikeability Scheme this half term to ensure that their bikes are roadworthy and they are competent to ride on the roads. The Road Safety Officer who organized the course emailed us to pass on what the instructors had said: ".....how lovely the children were. A credit to your school and their teachers"

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Isabella Tom for her winning plate design of Tuttle's for the 1940s Festival Weekend in Lowestoft on 27th & 28th May. This competition was organized by Lowestoft Vision and was open to Years 3, 4 & 5 in Lowestoft Schools.

## FUNDRAISING

We continue to fundraise to help us support the children's trips/theatre visits/in-school activities. The School Lottery is proving popular with great odds of winning a weekly prize. Please continue to ask family and friends to sign up. All proceeds allow us to continue supporting your child/children.

[www.yourschoollottery.co.uk](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk) search for Carlton Colville



## KEEPING SAFE

- Please ensure your child has suncream on before school and drinks lots of water. Also, bring a named sunhat when necessary.
- We are concerned that some of our children are not being monitored with their "screen" use. We have lots of e-safety information on our website, please find out what your children are using or accessing. **This is particularly applicable to our older children.**

## LUNCH MENU

There are a few minor changes to the School Dinner Menu—please see our website.

## THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone for your ongoing support, especially those voluntary helpers in school and those who go to and from our swimming pool each week, who give their time so willingly.

Keep Learning Everyone!

**School re-opens Tuesday 6th June.**

**Best wishes Mrs Child and Staff**

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