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*As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace
1 Peter 4:10*

Our Value for Life this term is Forgiveness

February 4th 2022

Dear parents and carers

Pine Class Reading Café

It was lovely to have a Learning Café in school after such a long time. The story, *Not a Box*, was read to the children and adults, after which the children all had a box to make 'not a box' (showing that a box can be anything – not just a box!) The children (and hopefully their parents) really enjoyed the activity and I would like to thank all those parents who were able to attend and make it such an enjoyable event.

Pine Class wish list!

If anyone is planning a clear out during half term, Pine Class are looking for donations of the following:

- Toy cars
- Pots, pans and utensils (for the mud kitchen)
- Sturdy tractors and diggers
- Water toys (boats, jugs, watering cans etc.)

If you wish to rehome any of the above, please bring in your contribution to Pine Class or the School Office.

Thank you
Mrs Ketley

Sycamore Class Learning Café

Next week, it is Mr East's Learning Café on Thursday 19th February. We look forward to welcoming parents of Sycamore Class children in the School Hall at 9am.

Basketball event

On Wednesday, a squad of eight children from year 5 & 6 travelled to Framingham Earl High School to take part in a Basketball Event organised by the South Norfolk School Sport Partnership. Ten teams took part and Morley played their hearts out finishing in third place (missing out on playing in the final by just one point!)



Mr Smith preparing the basketball team prior to the event.



Congratulations and well done to Elias, Aamil, Harvey, Emma K, Hayden, Max, Robbie and Sienna-Mai who showed great sportsmanship and team spirit.

The Ark

It has been quite a wait but finally the Ark is open for the children to explore and enjoy! It is proving very popular and we are delighted that we have been able to provide such an entertaining and creative activity to add to the children's play time fun!



Let's not forget our trim trail is still hugely popular too!



Parking issues

A parent emailed this today:

Two more parents were dropping kids off in bus bay. One dad was getting things out of the boot, while his 2 boys were behind him and a white van came behind to drop his son off. One of the little boys could easily have been knocked down.

Very dangerous!

Please can I remind parents not to drop their children off in the school bus bay or on the zig zag lines outside the school. Even stopping for a short time causes an obstruction and is hazardous for parents and children arriving at school.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter

School Vacancy

We have a vacancy for an MSA. The role is for supervising children during the lunch hour and setting up and clearing away furniture in the dinner hall. The hours are from 12.00 – 1.30, Monday – Friday. If you are interested in joining our friendly team, please contact the school office for further details.

100 Club – School fundraiser – it could be you . . .

For just £5.00 per number for the whole school year you are in for a great chance of winning cash prizes every term. If we can sell all 100 numbers we will have £60 every term to give away as well as raising money for the school. **Prizes of**

£30, £20 & £10. Anyone who had a number last year will automatically keep their number(s) for this year and payment should be made on the SchoolMoney portal.



If you would like to buy a number (or two) for the remaining two terms of this academic year please contact the school office to find out which numbers are available to purchase. **The cost would be just £3.33 for two terms!**



FOMPS NEWS



Friends of Morley Primary School (FOMPS) are a group of parents and staff working together to fundraise much needed money to support extra resources for our students. Our next events are:

Bag2School collection - Monday 21st February

By getting involved in our **Bag2School** collection, you have an opportunity to sort through your cupboards and wardrobes and donate unwanted textiles- this can include adults' and children's clothes, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts, handbags and soft toys, (please refer to <http://uk.bag2school.com/> for full details). In addition to raising much needed funds it will also raise awareness amongst the children of the benefits of recycling and reuse.

Bag2School will be collecting from school on **Monday 21st February**. Please bring your bag (or bags!) to school and help us have a really good collection.

Retro Adult Disco

DJ Gaz Easter will be at the decks and spinning some vinyl in our Retro Disco.

Dig out some leg warmers, crimp your hair and join us for a boogie down memory lane! (Other music decades also available!) Tickets are £5. Please see the poster at the end of this newsletter.

Celebrations

Pine Class
Aliona-Rose
Rex



Value Achievements	Pine	Oak	Sycamore	Rowan	Willow
Star Readers			Kiran Willow	Blake Harry	
Going for Gold Award		Molly (Bronze)			
Merit Badge		Frankie Clara Rufus Josie			
Bronze					
Silver					
Gold					
Platinum					
EFFORT					
HELPFULNESS					
COURAGE					
SERVICE	Ella M				
SELF RESPECT					
FORGIVENESS					
GENEROSITY					
FRIENDSHIP				Callum	
RESPECT	Scarlet			Joshua	
KOINONIA					
LOVE & COMPASSION					
PERSEVERANCE		Ella P	Ezra James		Betsi
HUMILITY					
KINDNESS					
CREATIVITY					
BRAVERY					

Out of school achievements:

Congratulations to Charlie in Rowan and Graciemay in Pine for achieving swimming awards this week. Congratulations also to Henry in Sycamore who received a 2 star award and has been signed off to ski safely on his own at Trowse Ski Slope. He has also been invited to join the Kadets in Junior Ski Club. Good timing as the Winter Olympics starts today! Well done to you all.

House points

Blickling	Felbrigg	Holkham	Oxburgh
497	493	510	535

And finally...

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God's varied grace
Amen*

Laura Green

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Laura Green".

Executive Headteacher

Newsletter additions:

- FOMPS Adult Disco Poster
- Diary Dates (scroll down)



Friends of Morley
Primary School
Retro Adult Disco

With DJ Gaz Easter
School Hall

Saturday 26th March 8-12pm

£5 ENTRY

Tickets can be purchased on the door or via the
office before the event

Bring your own nibbles and drink



Spring Term



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- 10/02/22 – Sycamore Class Reading Café – 9am
- 14/02/22 – 18/02/22 HALF TERM
- 21/02/22 – Bag2School collection 9am
- 23/02/22 – Rowan Class Reading Café – 9am
- 25/02/22 – PHSE workshop for Willow Class



- 02/03/22 – Willow Class Reading Café – 9am
- 08/03/22 – Parent session on online safety – after school (times tbc)
- 16/03/22 – Author visit
- 17/03/22 – Tag Rugby event – Y5&6
- 23/03/22 – Parent Forum – 2.00pm
- 26/03/22 – FOMPS Adult Disco 8pm**
- 29/03/22 – Kwik Cricket event – Y1&2



- 01/04/22 – Termly Progress Reports sent out
- 01/04/22 – End of Spring Term

Summer Term

20/04/22 – Children return to School

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Value*



09-12/05/22 – KS2 SATs

19/05/22 – Sycamore Class Assembly, School Hall 9am



07/06/22 – Attleborough Academy Passport Day

20–24/06/21 – Residential visit to the Isle of Wight

21/06/22 – Attleborough Academy Transition day

22/06/22 – Attleborough Academy Year 6 parents evening

23/06/22 – Pine Class Assembly, School Hall 9am

29/06/22 – Oak Class Assembly, School Hall 9am



01/07/22 – Sports Day & picnic lunch

01/07/22 – FOMPS Summer Fair

05 – 07/07/22 – Wymondham High Transition days

08/07/22 – Wymondham College Transition Day

09/07/22 – Wymondham College Transition Day

11/07/22 – 13/07/22 – Year 4 residential to Horstead

19-21/07/22 – Attleborough Academy Transition days

22/07/22 – End of term

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