



## Morley Church of England Primary Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers,

### Support for families to help keep their children safe online

The Norfolk Constabulary Safer Schools Team and their colleagues from PREVENT (Counter Terrorism), Cyber Security and the Safeguarding Children Online Team will be delivering two webinars about keeping children safe online during 7th February 2023. These webinars provide very important information for parents and carers and we hope to attract as many participants as possible and can be booked via Eventbrite.

[Session One: 7 February 11:00 - 12:00](#)

[Session Two: 7 February 16:00 - 17:00](#)

### Sycamore Reading cafe

Please note the Reading Café for Sycamore Class is being postponed until after the Easter Holidays. We shall advise you of the new date as soon as it has been confirmed.

### Music Assembly – date for the diary

We are holding a music assembly on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March in the school hall at 9am. We will be talking to the children who learn a musical instrument in due course.

### Volunteers Needed

Do you or a family member have a bit of spare time that you could offer us? We are looking for people to support us with listening to children read and playing games with our youngest children. If you are interested in helping us, please contact Lindsey Ralphs to arrange a visit and informal chat.

### Supermarket Food Vouchers for February

For those families entitled to supermarket vouchers, you should receive this month's email with code on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February.

### Half term Sports Camp

Mr Smith's Sports Camp will be running for three days during half term. Please see the poster at the end of this letter for details.

### Thank You Jewsons of Cringleford

Miss Grant would like to say an enormous thank you to the manager, Adam, at Jewsons in Cringleford who has very kindly donated all of the wood and fixings for a DT project that Sycamore are working on, We really appreciate the kindness of this gesture and especially offering to deliver it to school. Thank you.

Morley C of E Primary Academy

Diocese of Norwich St Benet's Multi Academy Trust

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### **Thinking Day 22/02/2023**

Thinking Day is one of the most significant dates in the guiding calendar. On this day, all members of the Guide association everywhere across the world think of each other and of their commitment to international friendship and understanding.

If your child attends Brownies, Rainbows or Cubs they are invited to wear their uniform to school on this day.

### **Read Write Inc. Phonics Programme**

At Morley we are embarking on a new phonics programme called Read Write Inc. Read Write Inc. is a popular phonics scheme that teaches children the sounds in English, the letters that represent them and how to form the letters when writing. Read Write Inc. includes reading books written using only the letter they have learnt so that children will quickly feel confident and successful.

Here is the link to a useful short video overview of Read Write Inc. phonics:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sjIPILhk7bQ>

Here you can find lots of information and free resources to support your child's learning.

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>

You can also find 2 parent booklets attached to this newsletter with further information.

### **Read Write Inc. Spelling**

With the successful rollout of the RWI Phonics programme, we are now introducing the RWI Spelling programme across KS2. Please see attached letter with all the details.

## **REMINDERS**

### **Parent Consultations**

Appointments are now available for the face to face parent consultations which take place from 22/02/23 to 25/02/23. Time sheets are available in the school foyer or you can call the school office to book your appointment if that is more convenient.

### **Parent café 08/02/23**

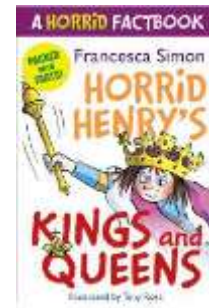
Please note our next parent café will be in the school hall at 2.30pm on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February. This is an informal gathering which gives parents an opportunity to feedback any thoughts or suggestions you may have over a cuppa and a biscuit.



## World Book Day 2023

March 2<sup>nd</sup>

Are you the king or queen of reading in your class?



As part of this year's World Book Day events, we are challenging you to become the reading king or queen in your class. To do this, you need to read as many books as you can in your ZPD and quiz on Accelerated Reader. If you are reading longer books, do not worry, as these will score higher points as they take longer to read.

Remember, you need to score 80% of questions right to pass the quiz so try to do this as soon as you have completed the book.

Winners will be announced on World Book Day (2<sup>nd</sup> March) We will also have our usual dress up day so get thinking about what book character you would like to be.

**Watch this space for information on dress up days, family quizzes and other activities for you to enjoy.**

PARENTS - All children should have their login to accelerated reader. Children can quiz on books they have read independently or with an adult or ones they enjoyed you reading to them. Most popular children's books are on Accelerated Reader and our school library has these clearly labelled with their ZPD range. Here are some useful links.

Morley School AR site (login to complete an AR quiz) : <https://ukhosted35.renlearn.co.uk/6711781/>

AR book finder (This site tells you the ZPD of books and which books have AR quizzes:

<https://www.arbookfind.co.uk/UserType.aspx?RedirectURL=%2fdefault.aspx>

Myon (Myon is an online library and almost all the books on this site have an AR quiz attached)

<https://www.myon.co.uk/login/>

For more information on Accelerated Reader: [Parents guide to Accelerated Reader](#)



# Celebrations

Pine  
Benjamin



Oak  
Aliona-Rose  
Rex

## Times Tables Awards:

Bronze: Lauren, Mark, Bailey, Baxter

Silver: Roo, Charlie, Frankie

Gold: Isobel, Josie, Charlie, Clara, Thomas

Platinum: Noah, Clara, Thomas

Diamond: Noah, Clara, Thomas

Value Achievements	Pine	Oak	Sycamore	Rowan	Willow
Star Readers					
Reading Passport					
Going for Gold Award					
Merit Badge					
Bronze			Ezra Frankie Isobel		
Silver					
Gold					
Platinum					
EFFORT					
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SELF RESPECT					
RESPONSIBILITY		Charlie			
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PERSEVERANCE	Rocco		Noah		Ben

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<b>KINDNESS</b>					
<b>CREATIVITY</b>					
<b>BRAVERY</b>					
<b>JUSTICE</b>					
<b>TRUST</b>					

### House Points

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And finally...

*As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace*  
Amen

Best wishes




Laura Green


Newsletter additions:

- Links support group information (February)
- Happy Sports half term Sports Camp poster
- Diary Dates

Do you have a child or children with SEN or behavioural needs? Do you need support and advice from someone who has been through the same things? Do you just need someone to chat to?



**L**earning  
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**S**upport



If you have any questions or queries, email Micha Butler:  
[psa@robertkett.net](mailto:psa@robertkett.net)

Come join us for a chat, a listening ear, to share your expertise and to connect with other parents.

**Parent and Carer Support Group**

Join us on Friday the 24th of February at Robert Kett Primary School from 9:30-11:30am. We will be joined by a speaker from Just One Norfolk.





**HAPPY SPORTS  
PRESENT...**

**HALF TERM**

**SPORTS**

**CAMP**

**14th-16th February**

**9AM - 3PM**

**AT MORLEY PRIMARY**

## **INFORMATION**

**Location :** Morley Primary School - NR18 9TS

**Time:** 9am-3pm each day

**Please bring a packed lunch and a drink with you.**

**Ages:** 5-11. All abilities welcome.

**Footwear:** Indoor and outdoor.



## **ACTIVITIES**

**14th Feb - Basketball Camp**

**15th Feb - Dodgeball Camp**

**16th Feb- Football Camp**

**BOOK NOW**

**£12**

*per child, per day.*

**AGES 5-11**

**To Book:**

**[happysports@yahoo.com](mailto:happysports@yahoo.com)**



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## Diary Dates

### Spring Term



- 08/02/23 – Parent Café 2.30pm – School Hall
- 10/02/23 – FOMPS disco - KS1 6-7,KS2 7.15-8.15
- 13/02/23 – 17/02/23 HALF TERM
- 21/02/23 – Sycamore Parent Consultations
- 22/02/23 – Parent Consultations (all classes)
- 23/02/23 – Rowan Class Assembly – 9.15am
- 24/02/23 – Rowan Class parent Consultations



- 02/03/23 – Pine Class Learning Café – 9am
- 02/03/23 – KS2 Girls' Football Event (rescheduled)
- 13/03/23 – Oliver Twist Theatre performance pm
- 17/03/23 – Pine Class Bedtime Story 6-7pm
- 22/03/23 – Music Assembly 9am**
- 24/03/23 – Easter FOMPS disco - KS1 6-7,KS2 7.15-8.15
- 27/03/23 – FOMPS Easter Bake-off and cake sale
- 31/03/23 – End of Spring term



## Summer Term

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17/04/23 – Inset day – school closed to pupils  
18/04/23 – School starts  
26/04/23 – Bag2School Collection



01/05/23 – Bank Holiday – school closed  
04/05/23 – Pine Class Assembly 9.15am  
08/05/23 – Coronation Bank Holiday – school closed  
09 - 12/05/23 – KS2 SATs tests

**29/05/23 – 02/06/23 – HALF TERM**



05/06/23 – School starts  
10/06/23 – FOMPS Summer Fayre  
12-16/06/23 Residential visit to Isle of Wight, Y6  
22/06/23 – Oak Class Assembly  
23/06/23 – Sports Day



03/07/23 – Wymondham High Academy Transition Day  
04/07/23 – Wymondham High Academy Transition Day  
05/07/23 – Wymondham High Academy Transition Day  
07/07/23 – Wymondham College Transition Day  
08/07/23 – Wymondham College Transition Day  
17-19/07/23 – Horstead trip for Y4  
21/07/23 – End of School Year 3.15pm  
21/07/23 – End of term disco - KS1 6-7, KS2 7.15-8.15  
Year 6 Leavers only 8.15 – 9.15