



Morley Church of England Primary Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Easter Service

Please make a note in your diaries that our Easter Service will take place on Wednesday 29th March at 9am.

Easter Egg Hunt

After the Easter Service at the church we will once again be having an Easter Egg hunt on the school playing field. For our new parents, this involves all the children running around the field hunting for chocolate eggs and returning them to the staff (not their pockets!!) in order to be counted and handed out at the end of the school day. We would therefore we grateful for donations of small chocolate eggs for the hunt.

In the past we have received the smallish hollow eggs, these are not ideal as they get broken when being collected and we would need quite a few in order for all the children to receive one. Also, with the eggs being on the field, they must be foiled wrapped. Therefore, could we please ask for the nets / bags of the **small**, **solid**, **foil wrapped** eggs.

In addition, we are a nut free school and cannot use eggs with nuts (praline) or alcohol in them - they will make their way to the staffroom!

There is a box in the reception area by the office for the eggs. Thank you.

Book Quiz

Don't forget to complete the book quiz and return it to school next week to be in with a chance of a prize!

Football event

A group of 16 girls from years 3, 4, 5 & 6 took part in an inter-school's football event at Goals, Norwich yesterday. It was quite an exhausting event but the children had a lovely day. Mr Smith was so proud of the sportsmanship showed by all the girls, particularly when congratulating opponents. Congratulations to all the players, especially Ella in Rowan for a spectacular goal and the Y5/6 team who were placed 3rd out of 15 teams playing.



Defibrillator update

I am delighted to say we have finally secured our defibrillator and cabinet. It will be installed on the outside of the school so will be available to the community. I would like to thank everyone who contributed to the defibrillator fund last year including anybody who purchased Christmas cards, class photos and hamper squares. Thanks also to Martha in Willow for donating all the takings from her book stall. Finally my thanks go to Nicola Burman who sourced the defibrillator unit at no cost to the school. This has allowed our funds to stretch to an exterior cabinet and the cost of maintaining the unit for quite some time.

Rowan and Willow Class PE

Children in Rowan and Willow class will be doing tag rugby for the next few weeks. Please can you make sure your child has a change of shoes as their outdoor trainers/boots are likely to get muddy. Thank you.

Classroom Visits

We are holding open classrooms at Morley on Monday 20th March from 3:15 until 4:00pm. You will be very welcome to come into the classroom with your child so that they can show you their books and share their learning space with you.

You will have another opportunity to visit your child's classroom in the summer term on the following date: Monday 3^{rd} July from 3:15 to 4:00pm

Anxiety and children

Many parents have talked to us about anxiety in children. It would be very helpful if you could complete the very short survey (link below) to help us with future plans. The Mental Health Support Teams in Schools (MHSTS) are an early intervention service that support children and young people, their families and schools and college communities with mild to moderate mental health difficulties. Each MHSTS is allocated to specific secondary schools/colleges and their feeder primary schools within Norfolk. The team work in education settings and in the wider education community, both in and out of term time, including school holidays. Families who have accessed this service in our schools so far, have had really positive outcomes and experiences. MHSTS are keen to find out if there are any specific areas of support required by parents and carers so that they can target specific needs within our school community. Please take just two minutes to complete the short survey using the link below.

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/RL9KBVB

Celebrations

Value Achievements	Pine	Oak	Sycamore	Rowan	Willow
Achievements					
Star Readers					
Reading Passport					
Going for Gold					
Award					
Merit Badge					
Bronze			Clara		
			Thomas		
			Lauren		
Silver					
Gold					
Platinum					
EFFORT					
HELPFULNESS					
COURAGE					
SERVICE				Blake	
SELF RESPECT					
RESPONSIBILITY					
FORGIVENESS					
GENEROSITY					
FRIENDSHIP					
RESPECT					
KOINONIA					
COMPASSION					
PERSEVERANCE					Mya
HUMILITY					
KINDNESS					
CREATIVITY					
BRAVERY					
JUSTICE					
TRUST					

House Points

Blickling	Felbrigg	Holkham	Oxburgh
666	616	607	689



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

Direco

Laura Green

Newsletter additions:

- Raffle and Turkish Brunch opportunity for the Turkish/Syrian Earthquake Appeal
- Rainbows, Brownies & Guides Easter Fayre
- Visible Norfolk's Neurodiversity Festival
- Diary Dates



Turkish Brunch

Menu

Tea & Coffee

Mix Pastries; feta cheese dill Pastry,
Simit , Börek & More
Menemen (Egg, tomato,
tomato paste, onion , herbs)
Sucuk (beef pepperoni)
Olive
Honey Comb , Jam
Tahini & Molasses, Mix Meze Dip
Fresh Pita Bread

Discover Turkish Flavours with our Exotic Brunch

Sunday 5th March 10am -11am Lyng Village Hall





Forehoe District's Easter Fayre!



Saturday 25th March 2023





Lincoln Hall, Hingham 10am - 1pm

ORGANISED ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN!

GAMES / Cakes and Treats / Refreshments
PREMIUM TOMBOLA / Teddy Tombola
Hook a Duck / Lollipop Game
Easter Egg Game / Treasure Hunt Game
Crazy Skins Face Painting / Grumpy Panda
Laura's Bowtique / Alicemade Crochet
The Body Shop / Flamingo Paperie Cards
Laiden Crafts / Downing Sweet Delights
H&A Melts and More / Easter Crafts
Perfectly Poetic Bath Bombs/ Tarina Eats
The Wellbeing Store - Crystals
Pre-loved Jewellery / Plus LOTS more!

Come and support us and have a wonderful time, with all the above and various <u>Easter competition entries from our members in the district</u> on view for you to see!

Proceeds going towards <u>Forehoe District Rainbow</u>, Brownie and Guide Units.



Together, we can influence change countywide

forum 31st March - 1st April 2023

Together we can listen and we can learn

- **Exhibitors**
- **Workshops**
- Talks

Together we can be heard and we can be VISIBLE



For more information: Scan the OR Code









Termly Value E & E Q A

Diary Dates

Spring Term





13/03/23 – Oliver Twist Theatre performance pm

17/03/23 – Pine Class Bedtime Story 6-7pm

20/03/23 - Open Classroom 3.15 - 4pm

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

29/03/23 – Easter Service

29/03/23 - Easter egg hunt

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

03/07/23 - Open Classroom 3.15 - 4pm

04&05/07/23 - Wymondham High Academy Transition Day

07&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