



Aslacton Primary School - Newsletter Friday 18th June 2021

This term our Core Value is: Community

This week in Aslacton

Here is a snapshot of our learning this week: Owl class have been learning about non-fiction texts and have researched African animals. They have also looked at weather around the world and have recorded their own weather reports. They have been learning about time and the order of events in a day. Reception have been preparing for a safari adventure next week as part of their role play. Kestrels have started practising how to tell the time in maths. We have made timetables for Gerry and worked out how long he spent on each activity. In English, we have used persuasive language techniques to encourage others to visit our eco-lodge resorts. We have learnt different sentence openers and different types of sentence and have used these in our independent writing. We have also spent some time singing in preparation for the Virtual Big Sing in a few weeks' time. Eagle class have been studying the character and behaviour traits of the Cheshire Cat in 'Wonderland'. We have worked hard to write descriptive shape poems, including similes and personification. In maths, we have challenged ourselves with tricky ratio worded problems and learnt how to simplify ratios to their lowest form. In Science, we have found out how taxonomists classify animals into groups and species. We are beginning to design our own zoos!

The return NEXT WEEK of Cake Friday

The Friends have very kindly arranged 2 COVID safe opportunities for us to hold 2 Cake Fridays before the end of term. The first is next week—25th June. The cake has been generously donated by Nosh and will be made in restaurant kitchen conditions. Tickets will be 50p as usual and **available only on the day**.
Friday 25th June - Nosh (Parents are not expected to bake in return).

School Trips

All classes have brought home letters this week for upcoming school trips—Owls to Africa Alive and Kestrel and Eagle to Banham Zoo. **If you are paying by Bank transfer, please ensure you use the references below** so that we can locate the payments:
Owl—Owl Trip [Child's surname]
Kestrel and Eagle—Kestrel Trip [Child's surname]
Cheques must be made out to 'Corvus Education Trust'

Upcoming Dates:

End of the academic year:
Wednesday 21st July 2021

Start of 2021– 2022 academic
year:
6th September 2021

Off road (playground) cycling
training for Year 4 25th June

On road cycling training for Year 6
18th and 30th June

Leaver's service—this is likely to
be invitation only—19th July

Sports Day—we will be holding our
in-house sports day in the week
beginning 28th June. Please
ensure kits and trainers are in
school all of this week.

Headteacher's Award

Owl: William for all your hard work
and contributing in class
discussions. Well done!

Kestrel: Ada for your hard work and
effort learning to tell the time.

Eagle: Jessica for fantastic
confidence, positivity and
independence in all tasks. Well
done!

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Breakfast Club Invoices

The May attendance invoices were emailed out last week. Please can we ask that you pay within 7 days, preferably via BACS. If paying by cheque, please make the cheque payable to 'Corvus Education Trust'. If you have any queries regarding the invoice, please contact the office Monday-Thursday when Mrs Bartholomew is available.

Sleep Workshop

Sleep East are running Sleep Workshops for parents of children with sleep deprivation from 10.00am to 12.30pm on Thursday 24th June. Follow on support clinics will be held on the 8th and 22nd July from 10.00am-11.00am.

These free, ZOOM Sleep Workshops cover:

- How sleep works
- Sleep information and strategies
- Developing a good bedtime routine
- Self settling
- Sleeping through the night
- Early waking
- Maintaining a good sleep pattern

Contact joybishop@sleepeast.co.uk to book your free place.

Attendance:

We take pride in attendance at our school. We will publish the attendance figures here for each class each week.

If your child is unwell and unable to be in school, please ensure that you phone and leave a message to inform us before 9.30am.

Absences not accounted for after this time will be recorded as unauthorised.

Whole school: 99%

Owl: 99.0%

Kestrel: 98%

Eagle: 100%

House Points

Here is how the house point chart stands at the end of this week:

	Holkham	Winterton	Brancaster	Mundesley
This week:	191	165	165	184
This term so far:	1509	1445	1400	1554

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