

# Newsletter

19 April 2024

Dear Families,

Welcome back! We hope you had a fantastic Easter break and enjoyed a little bit too much chocolate!

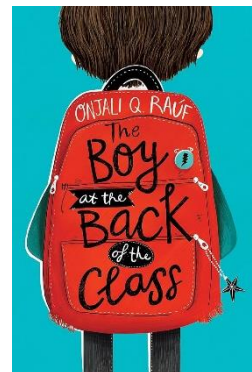
We are back to a very busy term with lots going on. It's an important term for year 6 with the SAT's coming up in a few weeks. We also have the phonics screening check for year 1 and the multiplication check for year 4. We have lots of fun things going on like residential and trips.

## Football

On Monday some children from year 3 and 4 were invited to attend the football festival held at the Lotus training ground, Norwich. This festival was hosted by the academy and was held inside the club's redeveloped dome (3G surface). This gave our children a chance to use and experience the same facilities as NCFC's current first team use. They played 6 matches against other Schools from the Norwich area and played extremely well and had some great matches. Brilliant skills demonstrated from saving goals to scoring them! Well done everyone, what a great start to the term.

## The Boy at the Back of the Class trip – Avocet, Kingfisher and Marsh Harrier.

We are so excited about our trip! To clarify, please could **all children have a packed lunch that day**. If they would like to order a school packed lunch they will need to do so on Wednesday (the day before). If your child is in receipt of free school meals, they will be ordered a packed lunch unless you let us know otherwise. Please can children have a snack like a biscuit and fruit to take with them.



## Friends Smarties Challenge

We are giving you some Smarties treat. But the empty tube you must keep! 20p pieces you must earn from chores or jobs; perhaps you could ask Family and Friends.

Fill the tube right to the top, to help us with our Go Green Pot!

**Please return your Smarties tubes on Monday 22nd April.**

The class with the most combined 20p coins will receive a special class treat!!



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## Visit from Residents at Ealing House



Residents from Ealing House Care Home in Martham came to spend some time with the Nursery children. We sang songs, planted some seeds, and shared some games and toys. Ealing Housed residents have been making us knitted resources for our story sacks and were happy to see them being used. Some of our older children will be going to visit the residents and plant some flowers later this term.

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## Weekly Attendance

Linnet Class – 96.64%

Avocet Class – 96.4%

Kingfisher Class – 94.19%

Marsh Harrier class – 91.43 %

Total for the week – **94.93%**



Our target for attendance is 97 %

## Rollesby Dates –

<b>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Children return to school for the summer term.
<b>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Theatre Royal trip to see “The Boy at the Back of the Class”
<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 2 How Hill Residential 1 night
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 6 SAT’s week SATs breakfast each morning – letter to follow
<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May</b>	Whitwell Hall Parent Meeting 3.30pm, Kingfisher Classroom
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Ancient Greek Day – Avocet, Kingfisher and Marsh Harriers. Reception children sports festival at Martham Last Day of half term
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	Children back to school
<b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Little Wren’s Playbarn Trip
<b>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 5/6 Norfolk Lakes Residential – 2 nights
<b>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Whole School Sports Afternoon
<b>Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 3/4 Whitwell residential – 2 nights
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	Whole school Change over day
<b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	School Summer fete
<b>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Reports out to parents. Year 6 Pleasurewood Hills trip
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leavers assembly
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	End of summer term

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## **Rollesby Stars**



### **Little Wrens**

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Ollie**, for wonderful tidying up.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Evalea**, for joining in beautifully with our singing.*

### **Linnet**

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **James** for amazing progress with his set 3 RWI sounds.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Ezra** for some fabulous similes in a spring poem.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Archie** for great work with 3D shape*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Jennifer** for always contributing to class discussions and trying to answer questions.*

***This week's Presentation award was presented to William P for consistent letter sizes in his handwriting book.***

### **Avocet**

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Jaiden** for his excellent participation and effort in reading comprehension this year.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Connie** for her fantastic persuasive advert describing the Perfect Pet Shop in English.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Jack** for his brilliant work in Maths when collecting data for his own bar chart.*

***This week's Presentation award was presented to Poppy M for the effort she has put in to making her handwriting neatly joined and wonderfully presented.***

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## **Kingfisher**

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **all Year 4 children** for their excellent behaviour and listening skills during their first swimming lesson this week.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **all Year 3 children** for their brilliant work during our first bar chart maths lesson.*

***This week's Presentation award was presented to Willow for consistently joined and neat handwriting.***

## **Marsh Harrier**

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Felix and Henry M** for their effort in the spelling challenge in English.*

*A Star of the Week Award was presented to **Poppy** for resilience and effort in Maths.*

***This week's Presentation award was presented to Robyn for beautifully presented English work.***

## **Battle of the Bands!**

**Well done to all of you who competed in our Battle of the Bands over the Easter break.**

**The results are as follows:**

4<sup>th</sup> place: Marsh Harrier (88 points)

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Linnet (1,047 points)

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Avocet (1,558 points)

1<sup>st</sup> place: Kingfisher (3,112 points)



**Well done Kingfisher, I will arrange a special treat for you!**

**Top players:**

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Lola (Avocet) 1,183 coins

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Freddy (Kingfisher) 1,198 coins

1<sup>st</sup> place: Alice (Kingfisher) 1,338 coins