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## Wreningham VC Primary School

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### Friday 07/11/2025 NO 9

Welcome back everyone - we hope you all enjoyed a restful half term. We have heard lots of spooky Halloween and trick or treat stories from the children and hope they all had a wonderful time if you

celebrated. Wednesday was Guy Fawkes night and we know many of you will be venturing out at the weekend to enjoy bonfires and firework displays. Wrap up warm, have fun and stay safe everyone.

This half term is going to be a busy one, with lots of Christmas performances, parties, residential for Class 4 and sporting events. Please ensure you keep up to date with our diary dates which are constantly being updated.



Next week is Anti-Bullying week. On **Monday 10<sup>th</sup>** we are supporting this by having an Odd Sock Day – so the children may come in their wackiest,

stripey, spotty, colourful odd socks, if they would like. It gives children the chance to express themselves and celebrate individuality and everything that makes us all unique.

We also have an alternative menu running on this day to support Anti-Bullying week. The hot options are attached but you may also still order jacket



potatoes and the normal advertised packed lunch option for that day.



A massive thank you from all at Wreningham school

SugarBeat to Tara King and the team at the Sugar Beat Eating House for their wonderful donation of £1,150. WOW! The donation

was from funds raised at their recent firework evening. We are sure that everyone had a fabulous time and we are very grateful for this fantastic contribution to school funds. Great consideration will be given on how the funds will be best used. Thank you to all at Sugar Beat!

DIARY DATES	2025	
NOVEMBER		
Sat 8	Open Morning for new 2026 parents and	
	children 10.00-12.00	
WC: Mon 10	Anti-bullying week	
Mon 10	Odd Sock Day/Special lunch menu	
Tues 11	Yr1/2 Multi-Skills Festival, Framlingham	
	High	
Weds 12–Fri 14	CL4 Residential to Horstead	
Fri 14	Reception Class Health Checks	
Fri 14	Children In Need – Wear spots/yellow day	
Thurs 27	CL1 Stay and Play 8.30-10.00am	
DECEMBER		
Tues 2	CL3 Christmas Performance 9.30am and	
	5.30pm at Village Hall	
Fri 5	FOWS Christmas Fayre after school	
WC Mon 8	RE Week	
Tues 9	CL4 Tag Rugby, Wymondham College Prep	
Thurs 11	CL1 Christmas Performance 9.15am in	
	School hall	
Fri 12	FOWS Sponsored Santa Run	
Mon 15	KS2 Christmas Party	
Weds 17	CL2 Christmas Performance	
	9.15am at Village Hall	
Weds 17	Christmas Lunch	
Thurs 18	KS1 Christmas Party	
Thurs 18	FOWS – Christmas outfit day dress down day	
Fri 19	Christingle Service, Wreningham Church	
	1.30pm	
Fri 19	FOWS Christmas School Disco	
Fri 19	Break Up for Christmas	
Mon 22 – Mon	Christmas Holiday	
5 <sup>th</sup> Jan		
JANUARY		
Tues 6	Back to School	
Thurs 8	Whole School Visit to Norwich Castle	
FEBRUARY		
Fri 13	"Love Yourself" FOWS non-uniform day	
Fri 13	Break Up	
Mon 16- Fri 20	Half term holiday	
Mon 23	Back to school	
Sat 28	FOWS Tidy Up morning	
MARCH		
Wed 4 – Fri 6	CL3 Residential to Aylmerton	

Next Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> November, we will be helping Pudsey Bear to raise some funds for this year's **Children in Need** appeal. If



the children would like to take part they need to **wear something spotty or yellow** to school, in return for a small donation of about £1.00.

Please note this is not a general "dress down" day – the children need to be wearing spots or yellow to support Pudsey!

# School

Please can you ensure your children know what you have ordered for their lunch. The midday supervisors are spending a lot of time looking up

meal choices for the children who have no idea what their lunch may be! This impacts on the timings of the lunch sittings and slows down serving the children. As you can imagine it is quite a logistical challenge to get everyone eating together and if the children are aware of their lunch it would be a great help. Thank you.

#### Things we are collecting this half term:



Don't forget we are collecting Art tokens from the local EDP newspapers and will continue to collect until December.

Thank you for those that we have already had in.



Also a reminder that we are collecting bags of sugar for the Sugar for Shelters local charity. If you can spare a bag of sugar please do bring it into school. Any contributions are very welcome and will

help with feeding the local homeless this Christmas, thank you.







On Thursday, year 5 and 6 took part in the South Norfolk tag rugby

festival. After a morning of fun drills and rugby skills sessions, we split into two teams to compete in a mini tournament against the other schools. For some of us it was our first experience of a fast, exhausting rugby competition. Everyone threw themselves into the games, running until they dropped, scoring many, many tries and making the opposition teams have to work incredibly hard. We finished the day with both teams beating teams from Wymondham Prep., with one of our teams finishing the day top of the group and invincible!

#### Some reminders:



Year 1 and 2 – Multi Skills Festival on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November. You should have received a letter home via email earlier this week. Please ensure you have completed the Consent form

via the link below. Deadline is today, 7<sup>th</sup> November.

https://forms.office.com/e/QvkVN63QEy

Also please don't forget that the children either need a home packed lunch or please order a school packed lunch.



Class 1 – We would love Reception parents to complete the Settling in Survey. If you haven't already done so please complete via the link below:

https://forms.office.com/e/9AUbDhME5b



All years – we still have lots of outstanding Home School Agreements to be returned. Please can we ask you to complete and

return them as soon as possible. If you need another copy please do let the office know.



We are coming into that time of year where we see increased use of inhalers. If your child needs an inhaler in school these need to be handed to the office for KS1 children and to the class teacher for KS2. In addition

an Asthma Care plan must be completed for any child with an inhaler in school. Inhalers must not be kept in school bags "just in case" of need – the school has to record any time an inhaler is used and we obviously cannot monitor this if the children are using their inhalers without staff knowledge.

#### **FOWS Christmas Art Competition – KS2**

Thank you to everyone who returned their Christmas artwork templates.



The winners are:

Class 4 – Alf Class 3 – Leila



And the winning class who completed the most templates was,

...... Class 3. Well done everyone!

#### Stars of the Week:

Class 1 Cecily/Teddy Class 2 Edmund/William F/Ozzy
Class 3 Alfie/Reuben Class 4 William/Lily