



## Newsletter 18

**Friday 1 March, 2019**

### **Some key dates for your diary!**

#### **February**

Thurs 7 Rev Lydia Avery in school  
Thurs 7 CASMA rehearsal 1.30 to 3.15 PM Cl. 3  
Tues 12 Norfolk Athletics School Finals - UEA  
Thurs 14 Valentine Cake Sale  
**Half Term Holiday**

**Mon 18 to Fri 22 February**

#### **March**

W/b Mon 4 Book Week  
**BookPeople** in school children can buy books  
Thurs 7 World Book Day  
Fri 8 ECO Flag application  
**Fri 15 Tempest Class** Photos  
W/b Mon 18 Families Week  
School Dinners  
Wed 20 Parents Meeting 4.30-7PM  
Thurs 21 Parents Meeting 3.30-6PM  
Mon 25 to Wed 27 Class 3 to How Hill – residential  
Fri 29 Maths Open Morning for parents

#### **April**

Thurs 4 – Egg Drop Challenge  
Fri 5 April Last day of term – Easter Service in All Saints Church 1.30PM

**Summer Term starts**

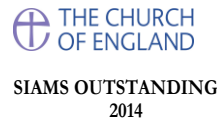
**Tuesday 23 April**

#### **May**

**Wed 1 CASMA concert – cl.3**  
**The Citadel 7PM**

w/b Mon 6 KS1 Nat Curriculum Tests

w/b Mon 13 KS2 Nat Curriculum Tests



### **It can be tricky deciding whether or not to keep your child off school when they're unwell.**

We had an unusually high number of children absent this term as a consequence of some nasty bugs. The school advice is that with vomiting and diarrhoea children should stay away from school for 2 days after their symptoms have gone. Children with a fever should also not go to school. While giving them medicine might bring the fever down, it won't stop them from being contagious, passing it on to other children.

With attendance in mind, if a child has been unwell and appropriately been away from school, subsequently booking a holiday for several days in term time has a significant impact on their learning. Attendance can drop below 90%, a threshold that is flagged up as a persistent absence by Norfolk County Council.

**Embroidered school uniform can now be purchased from <https://myclothing.com/>** Tesco's are no longer supplying them.



**Next week the school is holding a book fair in the school hall from Monday to Thursday from 3.10 PM. Children will be able to buy a book, choosing from over 150 titles (the World Book Day tokens cannot be used). A reminder that next week is Book Week and on Thursday children can dress up as their favourite book character.**

**We are very excited to announce the arrival of baby George Thompson! He was born in the early hours of Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February. Mrs Thompson and George are both doing well and look forward to meeting you all.**

Tempest group photos has been changed and is now on Fri 15/3/19

#### **Stars of the Week**

Reception Celia O, Year 1 Hollie R, Year 2 Tyler S, Year 3 William G, Year 4 Tia S, Year 6 Freddie G Year 6 Joe P