

News Sheet

Cantley Puffin Preschool

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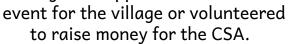
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Another busy week - Inspiring Creative Learners



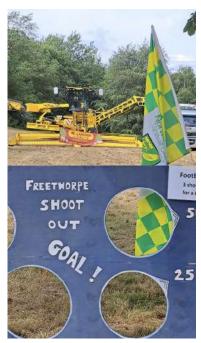
Cantley Fun Day 2023!

What a fantastic day everyone had at Cantley Fun Day on Saturday. A massive thank you to Micahel Zouvani for taking the lead of planning the event and making it as fantastic as it was. Thank you to everyone who came along and supported the









Year 6 Leavers 2023

Today, we have wished our Year 6 pupils a 'goodbye and good luck' as they come to the end of their Primary journey. It has been an absolute joy to watch this group of children mature into the young people they have over their time at Cantley Primary School. They have made us laugh, made us proud and shown a resilience much needed for their journey ahead. They are truly high school ready and we look forward to hearing of the amazing things they achieve in the future. Have fun in the Isle of Wight those who are going and lots more fun for those staying at school next week.



Cantley PTFA (CSA) Date for your diary; 19th September @ 2.45pm - Coffee and Cake drop in

A massive thank you to the CSA for all the funds they have generated this year. The money raised has helped contribute towards trips, coaches for swimming, fun day events for Year 6, new play equipment and much more.



In the current climate, with continued costs rising for schools, the money generated from Parent, Teacher, Friends Associations like the CSA are essential.

In September we will be hosting a 'drop in' Coffee and Cake for both current members and anybody interested in ways they can help the CSA or join the committee. Please spread the word as the more volunteers we can generate the more events we can hold for our children as well as money raising. We are not asking for huge commitments, it might be offering to bake a cake once a term for the cake raffle, selling ice lollies/cakes at the end of the day on the playground, selling old uniforms or helping at the school disco, fete or Village Fun Day.

Follow us on Facebook!

Don't forget to follow our Puffin Preschool and Cantley Primary School Facebook Pages to keep up to date with news and celebrations.



<u>Cantley Primary School Facebook</u> <u>Page</u>

Puffin Preschool Facebook Page





End of Term Celebration Assembly

The pupils of Cantley Primary School will have an end of year celebration Assembly at 3pm on Friday 21st July. This is an opportunity for us to present awards, celebrations and hand over the significant roles for next year. As always for this traditional event, parents and carers are welcome to come along.



Acle Tennis Club Free Junior Introduction Day

Acle Tennis Club will be running a Junior Introduction Day on Saturday 22nd July between 10.30am-11.30 for ages 5 – 9 years old and 11.30am-12.30pm for ages 10 – 16 years old. The aim of these sessions is to offer your child an introduction to tennis and to learn various skills, whilst having fun. We currently have 70 juniors having at least one group session per week on the tennis programme and we would love to welcome your child to be part of our coaching programme. Acle Tennis Club and Head Coach, Warren Sawyer have rich history of producing top national and international tennis players, one of which, Olivia Nicholls is currently ranked number 72 in the world at doubles and will be competing at Wimbledon this year.

Head Coach - Warren Sawyer, will be running these sessions. If you would like to book your child on, please get in contact by email at sawyerwarren@yahoo.co.uk or if you would like any more information, please either email or call on 07834355007.

Acle Tennis Club



Acle Tennis Club Summer 23 Sport Camps

Acle Tennis Club are running sport camps throughout the summer holidays. The sessions will be run by Acle Tennis Club Head Coach Warren Sawyer (LTA licenced Level 4). The children will be playing many different sports, including, tennis, football, uni hockey, Swedish handball, quick cricket and rounders. Please bring packed lunch/snacks, water, fruit, sun cream and hats. We can provide tennis rackets if you do not own one. For ages 5-14 years old, members and non members are welcome.

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25.07.2023	0900-1200
26.07.2023	1300-1600
27.07.2023	0900-1200
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£10 members

£12.50 non members

10% reduction for booking 5 days or more.

If you would like to book, please get in contact by email at sawyerwarren@yahoo.co.uk

Payment details will then be sent to you.

If you would like any more information, please either email or call on 07834355007.

Look forward to seeing you all

Warren Sawyer





Big Norfolk Summer Holiday Activities -

booking now open

We're pleased to let you know that booking for our summer holiday activity scheme is now open. Activities start from 24 July and parents will be able to use the booking link to search and book an activity for their child. There are thousands of spaces available across Norfolk this summer and we have stacks of exciting activities that children and young people can take part in.

Help us promote Big Norfolk Holiday Fun to your school – order your leaflets by 5pm Wed 27 June

Thank you to those schools that have already ordered their promotional kits. If you need some additional support there's still time to order printed copies through our toolkit or just download what you need. All the materials can be downloaded here <u>Big Norfolk Holiday Fun: Schools (activenorfolk.org)</u>

Please help promote Big Norfolk Holiday Fun to eligible families by:

- sending the Big Summer Holiday Fun pdf to all eligible families
- inserting printed flyers into book bags
- working with families you know who may struggle to make the booking themselves
- promote the scheme in your weekly school newsletter using the copy provided
- promote the scheme on your Facebook page using the social media images provided

Families should visit Big Norfolk Holiday Fun - Active Norfolk to search and book activities.

Additional free places for vulnerable children and young people

In addition to places for children eligible for free school meals, there are a small number of places available to vulnerable children and young people. For a complete list of who can benefit from free places, how you can make referrals, and how to request free transport as well as one to one help please use the form here.

Please note that spaces will be restricted and issued on a first come first serve basis.

Thanks as always for helping us promote the message to families at your school. We really appreciate your help. If you have any questions, please contact your HAF coordinator by emailing bnhf@norfolk.gov.uk

Thanks in advance for all your continued support.

Kind regards

Tim Eyres

Assistant Director of Commissioning and Partnerships Norfolk County Council Children's Services



Puffin

Happy graduation to our Puffin Preschoolers!

A lovely day last Friday celebrating the near-end of an amazing academic year. We are so proud of our Pre Reception children and wish them all the luck in the world for their adventures in Reception! We are all so proud of you!



Springbok

This week we have been learning all about Judaism and the children have had such great learning attitudes. The children made Challah bread and we celebrated Shabbat with wine* and our handmade bread. The children made their very own Torah scroll and listened to the Torah being sung at a Bat Mitzvah. The children made their own prayer mat and we looked inside a Synagogue. We have been particularly interested in looking for the similarities with all religions and faiths, instead of the differences.

The children remarked that regardless of your religion it's important we all understand each other and show kindness.







Next Tuesday Year 2 (only) will have an activity afternoon planned, in line with the Coastal Together trips and residentials. Please send the children in with a change of scruffy old clothes and a towel. Any questions please ask Mrs Singleton.

Also on Tuesday at 3pm, we will all be performing a special end of year song to all parents. Bring tissues, it could get emotional!

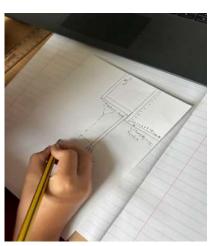
Vixen

As we're nearing the end of the school year, we've been wrapping up a lot of our learning. Vixen wrote some lovely non-chronological reports about the Norfolk broads, their history and uses. We learnt that the broads are actually manmade and we were surprised to find out they have over 7 million visitors a year!

In geography, our focus has been on mapwork and our local area. Looking at ordnance survey maps and the key, we have identified different objects and places. Following this, we created our own maps of Cantley. They had to show important details such as the school, church and train station. Vixen worked diligently to make their maps as accurate as possible and look at how amazing they look!









We also completed some competition art pieces based on the Norfolk broads. These looked absolutely incredible (unfortunately we have no pictures) but it was lovely to see the different areas of the broads. They were excellent drawings of wildlife, sailing boats and wind pumps. As soon as I saw them, they inspired thoughts of the broads. It was an excellent opportunity and I look forward to seeing the results of the judging!

Firefly

What an amazing penultimate week! And, for some of our fabulous Year 6s, the final week of their time at Cantley Primary School, oh boy has it been a good one!

Firefly embarked on a magical adventure when they all received their summons to attend Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry.

When they arrived at Hogwarts, they were soon sorted into their houses where they stayed for the week, competing in competitions, brewing some delicious butterbeer, designing and constructing boxes for Bertie Botts Every Flavour Beans, getting close and personal with dragon eyes and so much more.





I think the best part of this week, however, was getting to play our very own matches of Quidditch! The children had a lot of fun and giggles flying on their magical broomsticks trying to catch the golden snitch! During the year 6 fun day, year 5's wrote fantastic recounts of the matches using passive voice!



The class have been unbelievable this week as they have worked hard, tapped into their creativity, imagination and most of all, had fun! I am so proud of everything they have achieved this academic year. Each week they have worked harder, showed greater determination and built up their resilience. Well done, Firefly. You are simply the best.

And finally, a super special well done and good luck to the year 6 pupils heading off on the Isle of Wight trip on Monday. I hope you have the *time of your life!*

Times Tables Rockstars

Keep practising.....



Useful websites and information

Taken from Acle website - Acle Foodbank

Acle Food bank has a freephone number now which is 0800 774 7286. Messages can be left on this number and we will get back to the caller a.s.a.p.



For donations; The Foodbank

<u>https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/</u> box is in the lobby of the Methodist Church, Bridewell Lane, Acle and donations can be left here any time the church / hall is open.

Useful items would be rice (long grain or microwaveable), tinned tomatoes, pasta sauce, soap, shower gel.

If you are in need of support or cannot access essential items, please call 01508 533933, Monday to Friday 08:15 - 17:00 and Saturday and Sunday 10:00 - 16:00.

If you are a Broadland resident and need financial support please call 01508 533933, Monday to Friday 08:15 - 17:00.

https://www.leewaysupport.org/

Domestic abuse helpline **0300 561 0077** adviceandsupport@leewaynwa.org.uk





Top Tips for dealing with Anxiety in children -

https://www.norfolklscb.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Top-Tip_Anxious-Child.pdf

https://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/

Attendance/Safeguarding

Attendance target set by the government = 96.6%



We are delighted to announce that at the end of the Summer Term one lucky child with good - 98% or above - attendance for the term will be picked at random to win a Kindle tablet which will be theirs to keep!

The class with the highest attendance this week was Vixen 91.68%

PLEASE ensure that all holidays are taken during the designated holiday time.

Holidays During Term Time

All in-term holiday requests will be classed as unauthorised absences. This will likely result in a fixed penalty notice being issued from Norfolk County Council.

In Norfolk, penalty notices are issued in accordance with the Norfolk Local Protocol. In all cases a penalty notice can only be issued if the pupil has accrued at least 9 sessions (4.5 school days) of unauthorised absence within the previous 6 school weeks. This would result in a fine of £60 per child per parent ie; for a family with 2 children this would total £240

The leaflet below has more information about fixed penalty notices. Fixed Penalty Notices



Date	Time	Event
Monday 17th July- Friday 21st July	All Week	Isle of Wight Trip Yr6
Tuesday 18th July	All Day	Year 2 Activity Day and Springbok Song to Parents (3pm)
Friday 21st July	Last Day	3pm End of Year Celebration Assembly on the playground - Parents/Carers welcome
Wednesday 6th September		Return to School
Friday 15th September	10am-2pm	Yr6 Humanities Day Transition Day
Friday 29th September	10am-2pm	Yr6 Creative Industries Transition Day



2022-2023

Norfolk Model Calendar

This calendar applies to community schools, community special schools, VC schools and nursery schools and sets the days on which school transport will be provided. While most Foundation, VA, foundation special, free schools and academy trusts who are able to set their own dates, adopt the Norfolk Model, we advise you to check with your child's school before making holiday or other commitments.

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