



# **House Teams**

On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September, we will be having a House Teams morning where the children will learn together in their House Teams. This will give them a chance to meet their new Team Captains and to start to bond as a team, as well as giving older children a chance to develop their leadership skills and younger children to be supported by them. All children will need to wear their PE kits, with their house team colour t-shirts on Thursday next week.

Congratulations to our new house captains	
<b>Saxons</b>	<b>Vikings</b>
House Captain(s): Ben Sargent	House Captain(s): Holly Waring
Vice Captain(s): Evie Baker	Vice Captain(s): Jake Browning
<b>Romans</b>	<b>Danes</b>
House Captain(s): Evann Ashford	House Captain(s): Fletcher Sanders
Vice Captain(s): Kieron Briston	Vice Captain(s): Riley Mower

#### **Walking Home**

We understand that some of our older children may be ready to walk home by themselves. As an added safety measure, we ask that parents inform the school office so we know which children have permission to go home without an adult. Mrs Pryer will send out a MyEd form to all parents of Year 5 and 6 pupils for this. If in future, you decide you wish your child to start walking home by themselves, please inform a member of school staff (just like you should, if they are being collected by someone different). Thanks

## Friday 7th October - "Shine Bright" for Cancer Research UK

On Saturday 8th October Mrs Keeler, Mrs Jermy, Ms Beaumont and Miss Gannon will be taking part in the Shine Night 10k walk around Norwich, to raise money for Cancer Research UK. To show them some support, we invite everyone to come to school in non-uniform and something bright, shiny or sparkly. All donations will be added to their fundraising pot. Cash donations may be brought to school. A huge thank you in advance.



# We are Reading

As a school, we want to promote a love of reading in every child. As well as daily reading sessions, each class also listens to a class reader. These books are carefully chosen to inspire children, broaden their reading experience and expose them to language they may not read independently.

Currently we are reading ...

Oak: a selection of traditional nursery rhymes

Hazel: The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark by Jill Tomlinson

Maple: The Great Chocoplot by Chris Callaghan

Cedar: Horrid Henry's Underpants by Francesca Simon

Rowan: TOTO the Ninja Cat by Dermot O'Leary

Elm: Greek Beasts and Heroes by Lucy Coats

Sycamore: The Explorer by Catherine Rundall

Why don't you ask your child about the book? Have they enjoyed it? Can they tell you the story so far? What do they predict will happen next?

# **Diary Dates**

Every effort is made to stick to the planned dates, but occasionally circumstances beyond our control may affect in-school events. We will always inform you as soon as possible of any changes. Thanks for your understanding!

Tues 27<sup>th</sup> Sept: ACORNS Junction 09:00-10:00

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> Sept: House Teams Morning

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> October: Walk to School Week

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct: HAZEL Junction 09:15-10:15

Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Oct: SYCAMORE Junction 09:15-10:15

Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Oct: CEDAR Junction 14:00-15:00

Fri 7th Oct: Non-uniform "Shine Bright" day for Cancer Research UK (see above)

Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Oct: ELM Junction 14:15-15:15

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Oct: ROWAN Junction 14:00-15:00

Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Oct: MAPLE Junction 14:00-15:00

Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Oct: School Photographs (Individual)

Fri 14<sup>th</sup> Oct: OAK Junction 14:15-15:15

Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Nov: Flu Immunisation

Half Term: 24<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup> October Last day of term Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

# Clubs

This term we will be offering the following after-school clubs:

MON: Cooking with Miss Smith & Miss Brown (Year 5 & 6 to begin with) **until 5pm** MON: Choir with Mrs Saunders & Mrs Jermy (KS2) TUES: Dance with Miss Coates & Miss Gannon (KS2) WEDS: Football with Miss Beaumont (KS1) WEDS: Taekwondo with John (KS2) until **4:30pm** 

All clubs run from 3:15 until 4:15 (unless stated otherwise above) Further information on how to sign up and start dates for clubs will be sent out separately.

TUES LUNCHTIMES: Homework Club with Miss Brown - a chance for children to catch-up homework or use online resources (Bug Club, Spelling Shed, TT Rockstars etc.) at school.

# **Online Resources**

Our main online platform is Google Classroom, and class teachers will share your child's log-in next week so they can access their new class. The following resources can also be used to support your child's learning at home.

#### Bug Club https://ww.activelearnprimaty.co.uk

Bug Club is our online library of reading books, where you will find books assigned to your child's reading ability.

Spelling Shed https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/

Here you can play online games to practice spelling, as well as see the assigned weekly spellings for your child's class.

## <u>Numbots https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/35246</u> <u>& TT Rockstars</u> <u>https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth</u>

Practice number facts and times table in a fun game-based situation.

Purple Mash https://www.purplemash.com/sch/mundford

We use Purple Mash for teaching computing, but it also contains games sections for practising English & Maths at home.

*If your child needs their log-in details for any of the above, please contact the class teacher.* 

<u>Maths Frame</u> Maths Games for KS2: designed by a teacher for teachers - Mathsframe Username: Churchside Password: maths123

### Letterjoin www.letterjoin.co.uk

Desktop Login username: **Mund** password: **ford** Tablet Login username: **Mund** passcode: a capital **'L'** shape starting at top left This site allows children to practise their handwriting and spelling.

## **School Uniform**

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