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# St John's Community Primary School and Nursery



## Weekly Newsletter 19th January 2018

Dear Parents,

Last Friday the whole school attended The Theatre Royal where they watched Sleeping beauty.

The children as usual were very well behaved and loved the show. I received an email the following day from a member of the audience and it was so nice I wanted to share a little of it with you. It read: 'I just wanted to email the school to compliment how much of a pleasure it was to be around your school at the Theatre this morning. The behaviour of the children in attendance was outstanding and the politeness of them and the staff was first class. They were by far the loudest and proudest school in attendance'

So often we only comment on things that have upset or annoyed us and I was moved to receive this lovely email from a stranger complimenting our children.

Thank you to all of the parents who attended the Phonics morning this week, it was another huge success. Thank you to Mrs Hands and all of the KS1 and EYFS teachers for welcoming parents into their classes. Please check the website for pictures and any resources.

Regards  
Mrs Quinn

### Dates for your Diary

#### January

26th—Year 1 Road Safety

#### February

6th—School Choir performing at  
Young Voices Concert  
O2 Arena, London

9th—9.00am Coffee Morning in  
After School Club Mobile

12th—16th—Half Term

19th—Children return to school

21st-23rd—Year 4 Residential to  
Horstead

#### March

6th—Class Photos

23rd—9.00am Coffee Morning in  
After School Club Mobile

28th—Last day of Term

#### April

16th—Children Return to School

19th & 20th—Year 5 London visit

#### May

7th—Bank Holiday—School Closed

8th & 9th—Year 2 Residential to  
Kingswood

### Spare Uniform Required

We are short of spare uniform for KS1, if you have any socks, trousers, tights or skirts to donate please hand them to Mrs Steele in the School Office. Thank you.

## Swimming—Year 3



Year 3 will be swimming on Monday 22nd January Please ensure your child has their swimming kit, including a hat, a towel and a suitable coat to walk to and from Broadland High School for these sessions.

## Head lice

Please check your child's hair for head lice weekly. Any parents requiring further information please see the Head Teacher, school nurse or pharmacist.

## PE Kit Key Stage 2

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit of Green Polo shirt, Black Shorts, Black Hoodie, Black Jogging Bottoms and trainers in school every week .

PE days are:

Monday - Year 3

Tuesday - Year 5

Wednesday - Year 4

Wednesday - Year 6 Outdoor games

Thursday - Year 6

Friday - Years 3 ,4 & 5—Outdoor games

## Lunchtimes

As part of our Eco-Schools programme we would like to encourage as many children as possible to scooter to school.



As an incentive the children will have the opportunity to use their own scooters on the playground every **Thursday** lunchtime play which will be supervised by one of the play-leaders.

On **Friday** lunchtimes the children will playing on the field whatever the weather. Please make sure your child has a change of shoes/wellies to wear when the weather is wet.

## Caution in Cold Weather

Please be aware that in icy/snowy conditions the steps from the road down to the playground can become extremely slippery and hazardous. We do endeavour to grit these areas on icy mornings.