

19th April 2024



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to Summer Term 1. What a week we have had weather wise, with all seasons happening at once on some days! The children have all come back rested and ready for learning.

The highlight of this week was for Years 3 and 4 and their trip to Suffolk Farm Fair. I'm not sure who was most tired at the end of the day, the children or the adults.

A reminder that clubs, including choir, start next week.

Have a lovely weekend!

Sarah King

Head of School

Online Safety

Township

Almost 250 million downloads. Since its release way back in 2011, Playrix's online and mobile game Township has become a firm favourite with casual gamers of all ages – letting users build a community of their own design in a colourful 'sandbox' environment, and even share their creations with other people.

However, with an online multiplayer mode, in-game purchases and a steady stream of enticing adverts, it's not difficult to imagine where online safety risks might begin to occur. This week, our guide explores Township – highlighting potential hazards and offering strategies to minimise possible pitfalls for young players.



Suffolk Farm Fair

Year 3 and 4 had a fantastic time at the Farm Fair. They enjoyed visiting the food tent where they learnt how food items are produced and were given the opportunity to try different foods. Later on in the morning, they visited the animal tent where they were able to see and touch numerous farm animals and ask farmers questions about how old the animals were, what they liked to eat and how they are cared for.

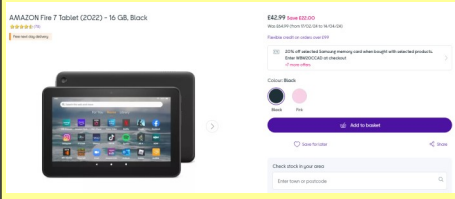
During lunch time, the children watched the sheep show, learned about all the different types of wool and what made them unique—the show ended with a sheep shearing demonstration. In the afternoon, the children visited the emergency service stands, they had a chance to save their friends with the RNLI, create a keyring with the police and dress up like a police officer.

The children finished the day by planting a maple bush within the hedgerow around the end of Trinity Park and returned to school with their very own silver birch tree to remember the fantastic day they have together!



Special Offer

We have 3 new Amazon Fire 7 Tablets for sale, we are unable to use them in as they don't meet the security standards we have in school. They are available at a highly reduced cost of £22, on a first come first serve basis.



Super Learner

Reception – Bobby

Year 1 / 2 — Capri

Year 3 –

Year 4 –

Year 5 –

Year 6 –

**Congratulations to you all
Keep up the good work!**

School Dinners

Due to increases in the costs of feed and labour, we are no longer able to maintain lower than average school lunch prices. From 1st May the price will increase from £2.30 to £2.40 (50p across the week). This still keeps our lunch prices amongst the cheapest in the county.

The new Summer Menu starts after Easter and each week will continue to be shown on the newsletter. A full copy of the menu can be found on our school website .

<https://www.bacton-pri.suffolk.sch.uk/>

Attendance This Week

As we know, good attendance at school supports pupils' attainment and well-being.

Reception: 98.57%

Year 1/2: 97.1%

Year 3: 98.95%

Year 4: 97.73%

Year 5: 95.56%

Year 6: 93.75%



Key Dates: 23/24

6th May—Bank Holiday Monday

27th May—Half Term

Dinner Menu

Week Commencing 22nd April

Monday

Pepperoni Pizza
Margherita Pizza
Potato Waffle Fries
Selection of Salad/Vegetables

Packed Lunch—Baguette
Cheese, Ham or Pulled Pork
Selection of Salad

Jacket Potato

Treat of the Day

Tuesday

Sausage and Mash
Shepherdess Pie
Beans and Peas

Packed Lunch—Baguette
Cheese, Ham or Pulled Pork
Selection of Salad

Jacket Potato (Cheese & Beans)

Treat of the Day

Wednesday

Wrap with
Goujons or Pulled Pork
Veggie Frankfurter
Diced Potatoes
Salad and Coleslaw

Packed Lunch—Baguette
Cheese, Ham or Pulled Pork
Selection of Salad

Jacket Potato

Fresh Fruit Platter

Thursday

Roast Beef
Quorn Vegan Fillets
Yorkshire Pudding
Roast Potatoes
Green Veg, Carrots
Gravy

Packed Lunch—Baguette
Cheese, Ham or Pulled Pork
Selection of Salad

Jacket Potato

Fruit Cheesecake

Friday

Fish
Vegan Sausage Roll
Chips
Beans/Sweetcorn

Packed Lunch—Baguette
Cheese, Ham or Pulled Pork
Selection of Salad

Jacket Potato

Fresh Fruit Platter