

15<sup>th</sup> July 2022



Dear Parents/Carers

We have reached the final week of our school year and it is going to be HOT! The highest level RED extreme heat warning has been issued for areas very near to us and we are on an AMBER warning for the beginning of next week. Please could you ensure that your child/ren attend school with a water bottle, sunhat and with suntan lotion. Children will be asked to stay in the shade as much as possible and keep hydrated, classrooms will be well ventilated and we will do our best to keep the children as comfortable as possible. Where possible, children should be dressed in loose fitting clothes – even if these are not school uniform.

While the weather may make us all a little more grumpy than usual, please could I take this opportunity to remind you that we have a zero tolerance policy for any aggression against staff, this includes swearing at staff, verbal/written abuse either over the phone, email on social media or in person – whatever the weather! We are happy to help and respond to your queries and concerns within a sensible timeframe. We really appreciate that the vast majority are polite and courteous and are grateful for all the support you offer.

*Tessa Sait*

Executive Headteacher

### Summer Holiday Challenge

The Bacton Owl is on display at the University of Suffolk Café.

The Challenge is for the children to have a photo of themselves with our owl.

Please send photos in to admin@bactonschool.org.uk

### St Elizabeth's Hospice – Bacton Owl

Children will be bringing home their own owl creations.

We're raising £500 for much needed funds for St Elizabeth Hospice.

Please visit our JustGiving Crowdfunding Page and help make it happen. Suggested donations are £1+.

[https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/owl?utm\\_id=1&utm\\_term=ZBMbnqkmi](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/owl?utm_id=1&utm_term=ZBMbnqkmi)

Thank you for your support.

### Head lice

Please can you make sure that you check your children's hair for headlice at least once a week and treat if you see evidence of headlice.

### Marvellous & Mischievous Exhibition

Attached to this email is some information about the above exhibition taking place at The Hold on Ipswich Waterfront.

### Year 5 – Jubilant Performance

Year 5 attended the Regal in Stowmarket last week to perform an original musical, led by local musician Andi Hopgood. They did a fantastic job and we are extremely proud of each and every one of them. The performance was part of the Jubilant Arts and Culture Mini Youth Festival. This is part of a free two-week mini festival in Stowmarket celebrating the creativity of local school children and young people, which ends on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July.



### Holiday Club From Onelife Suffolk

Please find attached to this newsletter some information about the above holiday clubs.

### Year 2 Maths Morning

Last Friday Year 2 parents will have received an Invitation to the Year 2 Maths morning.

Please join us on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July from 9-10am in the school hall, so we can show you part of a maths lesson. Then there will be the change for the children to play some maths games and do activities with you.

## House Points

The total house points for this term are as follows:

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Green - 133
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Red - 118
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Blue - 114
- 4<sup>th</sup> – Yellow - 98

### Congratulations

Green Team for being the winners this Week

## Times Tables Rockstars

The most coins scored this week is: -

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Lottie-Rose - 9533
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Kacie - 7503
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Leo L - 5969
- 4<sup>th</sup> – Rhys - 5821
- 5<sup>th</sup> – Ivan - 5571

A big WELL DONE Lottie-Rose for scoring the most coins. Keep up the good work.

Can you beat Lottie-Rose next week?

## Lunch Menu

### Week Commencing 18<sup>th</sup> July 2022

#### Monday

Traffic Light Pizza/Vegetable Chilli & Nachos/  
Jacket Potato  
Jam Sponge & Custard

#### Tuesday

Beef Lasagne/Macaroni Cheese/Jacket Potato  
Apple Crumble & Ice Cream

#### Wednesday

Roast Gammon & Pineapple/Quorn Sausage  
Ice Cream

#### Thursday

Pork & Apple Burger/Pizza  
Tiffin Cake (no Raisins)

## Super Learners

Our Super learners this week are: -

- Reception – Capri
- Year 1 – Rebecca
- Year 2 – Poppy
- Year 3 – Owen
- Year 4 – Riley
- Year 5 – Summer
- Year 6 – Izzy

**Congratulations to you all keep up the good work**

## Super Learner Bacton Behaviours Certificates

- Reception – Ava-Esme
- Year 1 – Mason
- Year 2 – Ellie
- Year 3 – Finlay
- Year 4 – Estelle
- Year 5 – Dylan
- Year 6 – Maddisyn

Well done to you all for being kind to others.

## Key Dates: 21/22

Year 2 Maths Morning: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July, 9-10am

Leavers Assembly: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July @ 9:30am

Last Day of Term: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July

Pupils Back in School: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September

## Attendance This Week

As we know, good attendance at school supports pupils' attainment and well-being, this is especially important following the year of partial school closures.

- Robin: 92.9%
- Finch: 94.4%
- Kingfisher: 93.8%
- Woodpecker: 96.4%
- Kestrel: 98.3%
- Owl: 91.9%
- Eagle: 94.6%

### Congratulations

Well done Kestrel Class for the best attendance this week